

# Top 40

## The Briggs

Idle fame with a plastic smile  
Controversial relations keep you on top for a while  
At the top of the charts, the bottom of the barrel  
Success depends upon the company you keep  
Compositions sugar-coated with messages puddle deep  
Emotions bought and sold and the going rate is cheap  
Gimme gimme gimme a lesson in pop star 101  
'Cause I can smile and I can dance  
Pull my strings and give me some cash  
Because I don't wanna, I don't wanna  
Lead a normal life and work like all the others  
Top 40 look out, 'cause I'm gonna be number 1  
Business tycoons are writing songs in crayon  
Consumer reports show what needs good distribution  
Appeal to the masses, the best as you can  
Radio DJ's spreading your disease  
Infectious transmission from sea to shining sea  
Music without soul, an empty shell  
Gimme gimme gimme a lesson in pop star 101  
'Cause I can smile and I can dance  
Pull my strings and give me some cash  
Because I don't wanna, I don't wanna  
Lead a normal life and work like all the others  
Top 40 look out, 'cause I'm gonna be number 1  
Radio dial, it can be heard for miles  
But the only thing coming through is a narrow point of view  
Just think one day, this could be you  
Gimme gimme gimme a lesson in pop star 101  
'Cause I can smile and I can dance  
Pull my strings and give me some cash  
Because I don't wanna, I don't wanna  
Lead a normal life and work like all the others  
Top 40 got no soul but it will when I take control  
Because I don't wanna, I don't wanna  
Lead a normal life and work like all the others  
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