Empire State of Mind

Glee Cast

Yeah I'm out that Brooklyn, now I'm down in Tribeca Right next to Deniro, but I'll be hood forever I'm the new Sinatra, and since I made it here I can make it anywhere, yeah they love me everywhere I used to cop in Harlem, all of my Dominicano's Right there up on Broadway, pull me back to that McDonald's Took it to my stash box, five sixty State Street Catch me in the kitchen like a Simmons with them pastries Cruisin' down eighth Street, off white Lexus Drivin' so slow, but B.K. is from Texas Me, I'm out that Bed-Stuy, home of that boy Biggie Now I live on billboard and I brought my boys with me Say whatup to Ty-Ty, still sippin' mai tai's Sittin' courtside, Knicks and Nets give me high five Jigga I be Spike'd out, I could trip a referee Tell by my attitude that I'm most definitely from New York Concrete jungle where dreams are made of There's nothin' you can't do Now you're in New York (New York!) These streets will make you feel brand new Big lights will inspire you Let's hear it for New York, New York, New YorkCatch me at the X with O.G. at a Yankee game Dude I made the Yankee hat more famous then a Yankee can You should know I bleed blue, but I ain't a Crip though But I got a gang of brothers walkin' with my clique though Welcome to the melting pot, corners where we sellin' rock Africa Bambata home of the hip-hop Yellow cab, gypsy cab, dollar cab, holla back For foreigners it ain't for they act like they forgot how to act Eight million stories, out there in it naked City is a pity, half of y'all won't make it Me, I got a plug, Special Ed "I Got It Made" If Jesus payin' Lebron, I'm payin' Dwayne Wade Three dice Cee-lo, three card molly Labor Day Parade, rest in peace Bob Marley Statue of Liberty, long live the World Trade Long live the Kingdom, I'm from the Empire State that's New York Concrete jungle where dreams are made of

There's nothin' you can't do

Now you're in New York
These streets will make you feel brand new
Big lights will inspire you

Let's hear it for New York, New York, New YorkLights is blinding, girls need blinders So they can step out of bounds quick

The sidelines is, lined with casualties, who sip to life casually

Then gradually become worse, don't bite the apple leaf

Caught up in the in-crowd, now you're in style

End of the winter gets cold, en vogue, with your skin out

City of sin, it's a pity on the wind

Good girls gone bad, the city's filled with them

Mommy took a bus trip, now she got her bust out

Everybody ride her, just like a bus route

Hail Mary to the city, you're a virgin

And Jesus can't save you, life starts when the church end

Came here for school, graduated to the high life

Ball players, rap stars, addicted to the limelight

M.D.M.A. got you feelin' like a champion

The city never sleeps, better slip you an AmbienNew York

Concrete jungle where dreams are made of

There's nothin' you can't do

Now you're in New York

These streets will make you feel brand new

Big lights will inspire you

Let's hear it for New York, New York,

New YorkOne hand in the air for the big city

Streetlights, big dreams, all lookin' pretty

No place in the world that could compare

Put your lighters in the air

Everybody say "Yeah, Yeah, Yeah, Yeah"New York

Concrete jungle where dreams are made of

There's nothin' you can't do

Now you're in New York

These streets will make you feel brand new

Big lights will inspire you

Let's hear it for New York, New York, New York

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