

# 30 Cops or More

## Boogie Down Productions

When they arrest a black man  
They need 30 cops or more, well, now  
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They need 30 cops or more, well, now, heyIf you a black herb smuggler  
They will watch you by the hour  
It only means that if you have more money  
Then you have more powerThey will come in the night  
And they will read you your rights  
There is no need to fight  
If you're black there is no need to fightWhen they arrest a black man  
They need 30 cops or more, well, now  
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They need 30 cops or more, well, now, heyYears ago a black man couldn't be a cop  
They could only be great dancers  
When the whole police department was white  
Justice was The Black PanthersWe've been robbed of our religion  
Our government and social position  
And you won't see no quick solution  
Until you see the black revolutionBut when them come to arrest a black man  
They need 30 cops or more, well, now  
When they arrest a black man  
They need 30 cops or more, well, now, heyHe's gonna get across the border before we could catch him  
Just let me draw a bead on his black ass and he's deadThey arrest us by the hour  
'Cause the black man in the ghetto has power  
If he would wake up and unite  
The police department would lose the fightBut when them come to arrest a black man  
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No, I won't do it, he's got full, they've only got two  
They'll tear him apart, I won't do it, let the dogs go  
Turn loose those dogs

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