Slicker Than Your Average

Craig David

Yo, Craig There's some real jealous people out there right Tryin' to say how you're whack And your music's soft And you ain't got nothin' to say Well, it's album number two right So you gotta let 'em know So do your thing, take your time Speak your mind Ever since I first stepped up They thought I wasn't good enough, no They told me that I'd only last one song (That's foolish man, what's it like now? 7 million albums?) They said I wasn't from the streets When I was working behind the scenes Shit like this don't happen overnight, no no While they're tellin' me about my imagery How I'm so squeaky clean whenever I'm on TV Too much jealousy in the industry Why are you watching me when you should just let me be Slicker than your average Tell me what do you want from me Slicker than your average Tell me what do you want from me Slicker than your average, hey Tell me what do you want from me Slicker than your average Ooh, tell me what you want from me Some people say it's been too long That's why I'm here to prove them all wrong So why do imitators wanna bite my style (Ladies and gentlemen, will the real Craig David, please stand up?) You never had a problem at all When I was havin' woman trouble Somebody fill me in, didn't I serve my time Remember who gave you rewind While they're tellin' me that I'm too R&B How I turned right back up the whole U.K. garage scene Now they're stressing me when I know there's much more to see

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