

I Know What You Need

R. Kelly & Public Announcement

You better turn me loose
I got a trick up my sleeve
If you don't wanna wake up bleeding
You better tell me I can leave
Now the dark man's coming
He's gonna strike you to the bone
He's a voodoo Medusa
Gonna turn you into stone
Will you obey the master
When he sets you free?
Don't you think there'll be a price?
I know what you are, I know what you need
Are you dreaming in your coma?
How do you know for sure?
Could be your mind in the silence
Could be they couldn't find a cure
Now a bad man coming
Gonna shoot you full of holes
He's a true believer
Gonna crucify your soul
Can you pay the jester

To watch you while you sleep?
Can you be sure his heart's as pure?
I know what you are, I know what you need
Now here's the execution
All around your bed
Are you gonna feel the axe blade
When it separates your head?
See the hooded man coming
Maybe the last thing you'll see
You can struggle like a maniac
But you'll never get free
Can you play the traitor?
Can you make men believe?
Will you turn and laugh as they burn?
I know what you are, I know what you need
Can you play the dead man?
Can you cease to breathe?

Will you cry when you're buried alive?
I know what you are, I know what you are
I know what you need, I know what you need

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