

Some Nights

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S = stamp on the floor
Cl = claps

in case of vocal percussion
S = "D"-sound (kickdrum)
Cl = short "Kff" (snaredrum)

A ♩ = 108

Soprano

Mezzo
Some nights I stay up cash-in' in my bad luck, some-nights I call it a

Alto
Some nights I stay up cash-in' in my bad luck, some-nights I call it a

Tenor
Some nights I stay up cash-in' in my bad luck, some-nights I call it a

Bass

Percussion

10

S
see your_ ghost. still not_ sure_

M
see your_ ghost. oh Lord, I'm still not_ sure_ what I'm stand for, oh_

A
see your_ ghost. oh Lord, I'm still not_ sure_ what I'm stand for, oh_ oh_

T
see your_ ghost. still not_ sure_ stand for, oh_ oh_

B
see your_ ghost. still not_ sure_ stand for,

Perc.

13

S
What do I stand for? What do I stand for? Ooh_

M
What do I stand for? What do I stand for? Ooh_

A
Whoa_ Whoa_ Most nights I don't know_

T
Whoa_ Whoa_ Most nights I don't know_ a-ny-

B
Whoa_ Whoa_ Ooh_

Perc.

C

25

S Oh oh whoa oh

M This is it boys, this is war! What are we waiting for?

A Oh oh Oh oh

T Oh oh whoa oh

B dam da-ba dam dam da-ba dam dam da-ba dam da-ba dam dam da-ba dam dam

Perc. S S Cl S S Cl *Sim.*

27

S whoa oh dam dam

M Why don't we break the rules already? I was

A Oh oh dam dam

T whoa oh dam dam

B dam da-ba dam dam da-ba dam dam da-ba dam da-ba dam dam da-ba dam dam

Perc.

D

33

S *dam dam dam dam that's all - right that's all - right*

M *that's all - right that's all - right*

A *that's all - right *Lead* that's all - right*

T *that's all - right, I found a mar - tyr in my bed to-night... She*

B *dm dm de be dm dm de be*

Perc. *slap the knees*

36

S *that's all - right that's all - right Who am I*

M *that's all - right that's all - right Who am I*

A *that's all - right that's all - right Who am I*

T *stops my bones from won - de - ring just who I am who I am who I am, oh*

B *dm dm debe dm dm Who am I*

Perc.

45

S
I could use some friends for a change. Some nights I'm scared you'll for -

M
I could use some friends for a change. And Some nights I'm scared you'll for -

A
I could use some friends for a change. And Some nights I'm scared you'll for -

T
I could use some friends for a change. Some nights I'm scared you'll for -

B
I could use some friends for a change. Some nights I'm scared you'll for -

Perc.

48

S
get me a-gain, and some nights I al-ways win I But I

M
get me a-gain, and some nights I al-ways win I

A
get me a-gain, and some nights I al-ways win I

T
get me a-gain, and some nights I al-ways win I al-ways win.

B
get me a-gain, and some nights I al-ways win I

Perc.

G

57

S
Ooh _____ oh, come on

M
Ooh _____ Oh no__ no

A
Most nights _____ I__ don't know Oh no__ no

T
Ooh _____ So this_ is it,

B
Most nights _____ I__ don't know So this_ is it,

Perc.
"dew" "dew" "K ts K"

60

S

M
Oh no__ no Oh no__ no

A
Oh no__ no Oh no__ no

T
I sold_ my soul_ for this? Washed my hands of God for this? I

B
I sold_ my soul_ for this? Washed my hands of God for this? I

Perc.
"dew" "dew". "K ts K" "dew" "dew" "K ts K"

66

S
sound like_ this one, so come on_

M
Oh no_ no ooh ooh

A
Oh no_ no ooh So come on,

T
sound like_ this one, so come on.

B
sound like_ this one, ooh ooh

Perc.
"dew" "dew" "K ts K"

69

S
Oh come on! Oh oh

M
ooh ooh Well_ boys you_ can stand this all

A
Oh oh

T
ooh ooh Oh oh

B
ooh Oh oh

Perc.
S S Cl S S Cl

H

76

S
whoa _____ oh _____ whoa _____ oh _____

M
sor-ry to leave mom, I had to go. _____ Who the fuck wants to die a - lone all

A
Oh _____ oh _____ Oh _____ oh _____

T
whoa _____ oh _____ whoa _____ oh _____

B
whoa _____ oh _____ whoa _____ oh _____

Perc.

78

S
dm dm dm hmm

M
dried up in the de - sert sun? _____ hm

A
dm dm My heart's brea-king for _____ my sis - ter _____ and the

T
dm dm dm hm

B
_____ dm dm hm

Perc.

J

86

S some ter - ri - ble lies...

M hm hm_ hm hm_ hm hm_

A hm hm_ hm hm_ hm hm_

T hm hm_ hm hm_ hm hm_

B damm.. hm hm_ hm hm_ hm hm_

Perc. Cl Cl Sim.

All Soprano's opt.

90

S _____
Woah oh_ waah

M hm hm_ hm hm_ hm hm_ hm hm_

A hm hm_ hm hm_ hm hm_ hm hm_

T hm hm_ hm hm_ hm hm_ hm hm_

B hm hm_ hm hm_ hm hm_ hm hm_

Perc.

98

S Oh oh

M dm dm dm Oh oh

A dm dm dm Oh oh

T dm dm dm Oh oh

B dam da-ba dam dam da-ba dam dam dam da-ba dam dam da-ba

Perc.

100

S whoa oh whoa oh

M whoa oh whoa oh

A whoa oh whoa oh

T whoa oh whoa oh

B dam da-ba dam dam da-ba dam dam dam da-ba dam dam da-ba

Perc.

M

106

S
dam da-ba dam da-ba da-ba dam dam Some nights I stay up

M
dam da-ba dam da-ba da-ba dam dam Some nights I stay up

A
dam da-ba dam da-ba da-ba dam dam Some nights I stay up

T
dam da-ba dam da-ba da-ba dam dam Some nights I stay up

B
dam dam dam dam da-ba dam dam da-ba dam dam da-ba

Perc.
S S S S S Cl S Cl

108

S
cash - in' in my bad luck, some - nights I call it a

M
cash - in' in my bad luck, some - nights I call it a

A
cash - in' in my bad luck, some - nights I call it a

T
cash - in' in my bad luck, some - nights I call it a

B
dam da-ba dam dam da-ba dam dam dam da-ba dam dam da-ba dam dam da-ba

Perc.
Sim.

N

114

S *off.* But I still wake up, I still

M *off.* oh still wake up, I still

A *off.* oh still wake up, I still

T *off.* oh still wake up da - ba dam

B dam da - ba dam dam da - ba dam dam still wake up da - ba dam

Perc.

116

S see your ghost, oh Lord, I'm still not sure what I stand for,

M see your ghost, oh Lord, I'm still not sure what I stand for, oh...

A see your ghost oh Lord, I'm still not sure stand for, oh oh

T see your ghost da - ba dam still not sure stand for, oh oh

B see your ghost da - ba dam still not sure stand for,

Perc.