Joe Budden, I Couldn't Help It

[Verse 1]

(Talk to em) We had a beautiful relationship at one point (but then)

Then that shit changed with the quickness

Maybe because I was fucking other bitches (or)

Or maybe we had on business having business

Not the girl that I would want to raise kids with

But still that shit happen regardless (look)

I was so young back then so heartless

The shit I was thinking could have caught me some charges

Listen, I tried to talk to her normally (but)

That shit didn't work for a one second she was on to me

I tried to explain how I ain't have a dollar to my name

Pursuing this rap shit chasing fame

Young dude stressed in the hood

Like Jesus

I ain't ready for no child but she was

When you piss poor

Get to having sick thoughts

While the chick probably sitting there thinking about marriage

I'm thinking abortion like a savage

An on purpose accident to have a miscarriage

Her mother and mine I couldn't end up seeing (plus)

Plus what type of mother would you end up being

You already a psycho I wouldn't let that pass

I ain't think life time bond I thought fat ass

All them times you was pregnant and miserable

All them fights we had that got physical

Every time I sent you packing Piss at you

Like I ain't want to live with you

Yeah I kinda planned that

Inconsiderate

That sounds just like me

(Then you) Then out pushed something out that looks just like me

I grabbed my little dude up

Looked him in his eyes

You can't understand right now I apologize

How could I not want you here and be that selfish

Fuck was on my mind at the time my bad I couldn't help it

[Chorus]

Naw mean I couldn't help it

(Talk to em right quick)

For real I couldn't help it

Even though I tried

Must have been something going on inside

No lie I couldn't help it

I couldn't help it

[Verse 2]

(Talk to em) Now this is how you know we go threw phases

(How) Cause he done sold millions of records

(And then) Plus they done been together for ages

I don't really know how I should say this

Me and ole boy done shared a couple of stages

But he wasn't around when I saw her in Vegas (ok)

She said remember me

I though I shouldn't lie

I looked baby up and down and said should I

Maybe she my ole broad maybe she a singer

I looked down and seen that chunky rock on her finger

She said I'm blinks wife how you been and what your doing here

(Look) I should have asked her that same shit

(Cause) Snoop already told me that bitches ain't shit

And the industry's so small

That's how the game is

When you famous

Everybody's a bilingual plaintiff

And the defendant speaks one language

But we exchanged numbers like fuck it (I mean look)

All we gone talk about is music (And then)

Neither one of us will ever use it (I was wrong)

Shorty she ain't hesitate to use it

Four A.M. where do I began

She's leaving the club I'ma bag the win

She's so aggressive like what room are you in

I ain't answer she said meet her downstairs in ten

So now we totally disrespecting his star

I'm with his bitch

She in his car she said hop in let's head to the strip bar

Bad ass friend with her (den she turned around and) and then she kiss ma

And now I'm so confused

She start telling me bout how she's so abused

How he beats her as how he takes that figure

And in my head I'm thinking about how I don't blame that nigga

We hit the club like everything is wonderful

She's touching me I'm feeling uncomfortable

And then the D.J. threw on something slow

I'm grinding on her friend now she wanting to go

Dude wife start whispering in my ear

I'm starting to see it clear she don't care

Shorty down with whatever

She said let's go to your room all together (and I'm)

I'm sure the two of us will make it worth your while

Now your friend looks great and I really want to fuck her

But I can't be your side dude can't be your lover

Called on my old school trick just to duck her

We got to the room told her I ain't have a rubber

I thought it worked at first (but)

One look disappointed and one looked hurt

But her trifling ass when and made shit worse

She reached down and pulled a few of those from her purse (bioch)

Got on her knees started playing with the head

All her dude's lyrics started playing in my head

Her friend jumps in probable feeling left out

I'm filled with guilt cause all I could think bout was

He has her on T.V. with your kids

I got her on the T.V. in her ribs

Please god forgive

Regret what I did

That ain't the life style I wanna live

Just then I couldn't help it

Ta ha, Ta ha, Ta ha

Naw

I couldn't help it

Mic, ma mic

I couldn't help it

Even though I tried

Must have been something going on inside

No lie I couldn't help it

I couldn't help it

Naw I couldn't help it

Talk to em