

Ariana Grande, This Is Not a Feminist Song

The world, it needs an anthem for all of womankind
A song to fight, a song to right the wrongs of all of time
So we put pen to paper and wrote all through the night
A gorgeous ode to feminism well within our sights
But this is pretty nuanced stuff
And putting it all in one song was tough

And that's why

This is not a feminist song
We tried real hard and it took too long
This is not a feminist song
Cause we were scared we would do it wrong
We don't really need an anthem, a song to call their own
But we didn't write that anthem, we went home

Every woman has a struggle and every struggle's real
But just try to write a song that captures every woman's deal
So instead writing lyrics here's us running in the sand
And here's a bunch of lense flares, aging old woman's hands
Not to call a woman old or judge a woman's hands
We know a woman shouldn't be reduced to just her hands
We stop trying to that track
It's so hard to never get this crap

And that's why

This is not a feminist song
So technically it can't be wrong
This is not a feminist song
I feel like we've been singing so long
?they fought for us, so they deserve a song
But this is not that song, so move along

Now here's some powerful footage for a song we did not write
It's Malala, Maya Angelou and Madeleine Albright
And RBG, she taught me that women can be strong
And the women have the right to choose to bail on this whole song

And that's why

This is not a feminist song
We're just women singing the song
But doesn't that make it a feminist song
I guess this was feminist all along

This is a feminist song
Tweet and hashtag #FeministSong
Where are the men in this feminist song?
And that's a little point, now move along
Cause now it's time for you at home
To weigh in on this song
And tell us if we handled it all wrong
This tough and tricky landmine of a song