

# Curtis Mayfield, Freddie's Dead (Single Edit)

Hey, hey...

Love, love...

Yeah, yeah...

Uh huh...

Freddie's dead.

That's what I said...

Let the man rap a plan; 'said he'd send him home.

But his hope was a rope, and he should have known.

It's hard to understand; there was love in this man.

I'm sure all would agree, that his misery,

was his woman and things.

Now Freddie's dead.

That's what I said...

Everybody's misused him; ripped him off and abused him.

Another junkie playin'; pushin' dope for the man.

A terrible blow, but that's how it go...

Freddie's on the corner now... if you wanna be a junkie, wow...

Remember, Freddie's dead...

We're all built up with progress,

but sometimes I must confess,

we can deal with rockets and dreams,

but reality... what does it mean? Ain't nothing said.

'cause Freddie's dead.

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