

# Eddie Murphy, Steppin' To The Bad Side

(feat. Hinton Battle)

[Curtis, J.T. Early, C.C. White, Wayne:]  
Steppin to the bad side, ooh, ooh, ooh

[Wayne:]  
Steppin to the bad side

[Curtis, J.T. Early, C.C. White:]  
Gonna take a mean

[Curtis:]  
Ride

[C.C. White:]  
Ride

[J.T. Early:]  
Mean ride

[C.C. White:]  
The smile I had has gone away

[J.T. Early:]  
Those that steal gonna pay

[Curtis, J.T. Early, C.C. White, Wayne:]  
Steppin to the bad side today  
Steppin to the bad side, ooh, ooh, ooh  
Gonna take a mean ride, ooh, ooh, ooh

[C.C. White:]  
The smile I had has gone away

[J.T. Early:]  
Those that steal are gonna pay

[Curtis, J.T. Early, C.C. White, Wayne:]  
Steppin to the bad side today

[Curtis:]  
I tell ya now, its got to end  
No more trustin them, my friends  
We're gonna change our style, change our tone  
Look for songs we sing our own

[Curtis, J.T. Early, C.C. White, Wayne:]  
Steppin to the bad side, ooh, ooh, ooh  
Gonna take a mean ride, ooh, ooh, ooh

[Curtis:]  
I got you all the breaks you need  
Just two years, we'll be in the lead  
Just sit back, its plain to see  
Open your eyes and trust in me

[Curtis, J.T. Early, C.C. White, Wayne:]  
Steppin to the bad side, ooh, ooh, ooh  
Gonna take a mean ride, ooh, ooh, ooh

[Vocal breakdown]  
[Radio DJ intros, overlapping]

[Dreamettes x2:]

Steppin to the bad side, steppin to the bad side

[Announcer:]

Singing their big new hit, here's James Thunder Early and the Dreamettes!

[James Thunder Early:]

I had to step into the bad side

[Dreamettes:]

Ooh, ooh, ooh

[James Thunder Early:]

I had to take myself a mean ride

[Dreamettes:]

Ooh, ooh, ooh

[James Thunder Early:]

You know the smile I had has gone away

[Dreamettes:]

Ooh

[James Thunder Early:]

Those that steal are gonna pay

[J.T. Early & Dreamettes:]

Steppin to the bad side(Dreamettes: Today)

[James Thunder Early:]

Yea-ee-yea, Man just stole my woman from me

Took her down to Tennessee

She was the best girl I ever knew

If it wasnt for him, she'd still be true

I've always been a good man, its been said

Damnit, that man, he wish you were dead

Men like him make good men mad

Starting today Im gonna be bad, yeah, yeah, yeah

[J.T. Early ad libs:]

[Dreamettes: repeat to end of song]

Step, step, to the bad side