

# Keke Palmer, My music box

## Verse 1

Listen up, turn your box up, gather all around  
This one's strictly for the ghetto  
Some of y'all recognize, some of y'all won't  
Better pay attention and listen close  
There was an old lady who lived in my hood that sold freeze pops for a quarter  
Had so many kids that I lost count, more sons than she had daughters  
And every night before they would fall asleep  
They would pray for shelter and food to eat  
But the landlord huffed and blew the house down and now they out on the streets  
And now she cleans, she mops the tears they drop  
The only sound that drowns it out comes from my music box

## Chorus

So just let the music play (Play)  
Don't let it stop (No)  
It ain't easy growing up in the hood but I got my music box  
When the sirens sound, wind it up  
Or the shots ring down, just wind it up  
\_\_\_\_\_ cause I got my music box

## Verse 2

There was an old man, he lived in the hood  
Had rubber bands, dimes, and quarters worth a block put him away  
Left his wife and kids and a sexist teenage daughter  
Couldn't shake the reflections, starved to perfection  
I've seen it all before  
Now she ignores the advice of a kid folk  
Tell her stay home, but she creeping out the back door  
And now she pays the cost, young girl so lost  
I feel your pain, try to maintain  
Wind up your music box

## Chorus

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## Bridge

This hood situation's got me sick  
Call the doctor quick, quick, quick  
Doctor, doctor will I die (Na na young girl just let the song play)

## Chorus

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My music box