

# N.W.a, If It Ain't Ruff

[MC Ren:]

Ren is the villain and you're just an hostage  
So whenever I'm steppin cover your head like an ostrich  
Groupies been waitin for this, suckers been hatin for this  
You know why ? Because so many are relatin to this  
Jealous is how they feel it intentionally  
But they start to love it becoz I made it eventually  
Pumpin the music I keep the music like pumpin  
Coz Ren ain't in here for nuthin, I keep the average crowd jumpin  
Yo, you know the color, the villain's in black  
Always down to make noise, and attack  
So you better get back unless you wanna come with it  
And make your face like a target and close your eyes when I hit it  
You're screamin with fear but it's with fear that you're screamin  
You're wakin up in a sweat coz Ren is givin bad dreams and  
I'm not schemin, I'm just tellin the facts  
That's how it is when N.W.A. starts to jack  
So brothers that wanna scrap with me  
That sweezin and sneezin will have to lap with me  
Especially beggin to write some lyrics with me  
I just snatch your girl to take a nap with me  
Coz when it comes to Ren there's no comparison  
And if you try to be me, it's quite embarassin  
But I understand coz you're mentally slow  
Coz I can tell from the jump you're too nervous to go

If it aint' ruff it ain't me (scratch)  
[Tha gangsta's black and he's about to attack]  
If it ain't ruff it ain't me (scratch)  
Lemme bust a freestyle here [Alright then]

I can tell that you're afraid to fight me  
Simple because you lost the crowd and they had to invite me  
Becoz you're sweat as a puddle but there's a puddle o' sweat  
I'm a threath, so get a cold rag and wipe your neck  
And clean the dirt off your face that calls acne  
It's ridiculous thinkin that you can jack me  
This is the round where the punch will go  
Until ya A G-A-T that's known as a flow  
I'm makin a point but it's a point that I'm makin  
Like, see, I'm hatin the fakin I keep the suckers like shakin  
Scared to speak with a tongue and they're chozen  
The sound of my voice in their ear and they're frozen  
This is a battle to the death, it's like the [?? same ol' ??]  
Against a brother on a tip, with [??]  
Givin a pain but it's with pain that I'm givin  
But I'm comparin and tearin'em but I'm makin a livin  
With the hype of a 9 Volt battery  
And the odds for me to conquer is averagely good  
Meanin I'm a flow  
I'm from the streets so, yo, I'm ready to go

If it ain't ruff it ain't me [Yo Ren]  
[Tha gangsta's black and he's about to attack]  
If it ain't ruff it ain't me  
[Man whatcha gonna do now ?] [get funky]

The 'do not disturb' sign is in effect  
While I'm thinkin of a fool to select  
To give the victim the verdict so for the verdict a victim  
Slammin my vocals on a dance with the rest then I kick them  
Tell'em they're guilty, and beep out the bailer  
And get a new track o' drums so I can play with  
Percussion; pumpin it loud when I perform

Yo, you wanna play in my game, put on a uniform  
It ain't a rule in the book you have to go by  
Hey, coz when it comes to cheatin yo you should know I  
For fear in the hearts coz it's the hearts full of fear  
Coz what you hear in your ear is something funky and clear  
The hump was incredible yo but Ren he was super  
But now I'm ruthless, a civilian and not a trooper  
But a soldier with a top rankin  
Givin dope material, the hell with the gankin  
So play like an airplane and just jet  
And keep your blood pressure low coz I'm a [??], if not  
I'm afraid of the show  
That you're a sucker and you're too nervous to go

If it ain't ruff it ain't me [Yo Ren]  
[The gangsta's black and he's about to attack]  
If it ain't ruff it ain't me [Yo Ren]  
[The gangsta's black] If it ain't ... If it ain't  
[scratching]