

# Wyclef Jean, Gone Till Novemeber

Intro: (spoken)

I dedicate this record, "The Carnival" to all you brothers takin' long trips down south, Virginia, Baltimore, all around the world, and your girl gets this message that you ain't comin' back. She's sittin' back in the room, the lights are off, she's cryin', and then my voice comes in POW!, in the middle of the night, and this is what I told her for you

Chorus: (sung)

Every time I make a run, girl, you turn around and cry  
I ask myself why, oh why  
See, you must understand, I can't work a 9 to 5  
So I'll be gone 'til November  
Said I'll be gone 'til November, I'll be gone 'til November  
Yo, tell my girl, yo, I'll be gone 'til November  
I'll be gone 'til November, I'll be gone 'til November  
Yo, tell my girl, yo, I'll be gone 'til November  
January, February, March, April, May  
I see you cryin', but girl, I can't stay  
I'll be gone 'til November, I'll be gone 'til November  
And give a kiss to my mother

Verse 1: (sung)

When I come back, there'll be no need to clock  
I'll have enough money to buy out blocks  
Tell my brother, "Go to school in September"  
So he won't mess up in summer school in the summer  
Tell my cousin, Jerry, wear his condom  
If you don't wear condom, you'll see a red lump  
Woh oh oh oh  
You sucker MC's, you got no flow  
I heard your style, you're s-o s-o

Repeat chorus

Verse 2: (rap)

I had to flip nuttin' and turn it into somethin'  
Hip-hop turns to the future rock when I smash a punk (BING!)  
Commit treason, then I'll have a reason to hunt you down  
It's only right, it's rappin' season  
Yeah, you with the loud voice, posin' like you're top choice  
Your voice, I'll make a hearse out of your Rolls Royce  
Besides, I got my girl to remember  
And I'll commit it that I'll be back in November

Repeat chorus

I know the hustle's hard, but we gotta enterprise, the carnival