

## The Monster Ft. Rihanna by Eminem

[Hook - Rihanna:]

I'm friends with the monster that's under my bed Get along with the voices inside of my head You're trying to save me, stop holding your breath And you think I'm crazy, yeah, you think I'm crazy [Verse 1 - Eminem:] I wanted the fame, but not the cover of Newsweek Oh, well, guess beggars can't be choosey Wanted to receive attention for my music Wanted to be left alone in public. Excuse me For wanting my cake and eat it too, and wanting it (1)\_\_\_\_\_ ways Fame made me a balloon 'cause my ego inflated When I blew; see, but it was confusing 'Cause all I wanted to do is be the (2)\_\_\_\_\_ Lee of loose leaf Abused ink, used it as a (3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_ I blew steam (wooh!) Hit the lottery, oh wee With what I gave up to get was bittersweet It was like winning a used me Ironic 'cause I think I'm getting so huge I need a shrink I'm beginning to lose sleep: one sheep, two sheep Going cuckoo and cooky as (5)\_\_\_\_\_ Keith But I'm actually weirder than you think 'Cause I'm [Hook - Rihanna:] I'm friends with the monster that's under my bed Get along with the voices inside of my head You're trying to save me, stop holding your breath And you (6)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm crazy, yeah, you think I'm crazy Well, that's nothing Well, that's nothing [Verse 2 - Eminem:] No, I ain't (7)\_\_\_\_\_ of a poet but I know somebody once told me To seize the moment and don't squander it 'Cause you never know when it all (8)\_\_\_\_\_ be over tomorrow \_\_\_\_ I wonder So I keep conjuring, (9)\_\_\_\_\_ (10)\_\_\_\_\_ (11)\_\_\_\_\_ thoughts spawn from (Yeah, ponder it, do you want this? It's no (12)\_\_\_\_\_ you're losing your mind, the way it wanders) Yo-lo-lo-yee-whoo I think you've (13)\_\_\_\_\_ wandering off down yonder And stumbled onto Jeff VanVonderen



## Fill in the gaps

To intervene between me and (15) monster
And save me from myself and all this conflict
'Cause the very thing that I love's killing me and I can't
conquer it
My OCD is conking me in the head
Keep knocking, nobody's home, I'm sleepwalking
I'm just relaying what the voice in my head's saying
Don't shoot the messenger, I'm just friends with the
[Hook - Rihanna:]
I'm friends with the monster that's under my bed
Get along with the voices inside of my head
You're (16) to save me, stop holding your
breath
And you think I'm crazy, yeah, you think I'm crazy
Well, that's nothing
Well, that's nothing
[Verse 3: Eminem]
Call me crazy, but I had this vision
One day that I'd walk amongst you a regular civilian
But (17) (18) drums get
(19) and I'm coming straight at
MCs, blood get spilled and I
Take it (20) to the days that I get on a Dre track
Give every kid who got played that
Pumped up (21) and shit to say back
To the kids who played 'em
I ain't here to save the fucking children
But if one kid out of a hundred million
Who are going through a struggle feels and (22)
relates that's great
It's payback, Russell Wilson falling way back
In the draft, turn nothing into something, still can make that
Straw into gold chump, I will spin Rumpelstiltskin in a haystack
Maybe I need a (23) jacket, face facts
I am nuts for real, but I'm okay with that
It's nothing, I'm still friends with the
[Hook - Rihanna:]
I'm friends with the (24) that's
(25) my bed
Get along with the (26) inside of my head
You're trying to save me, (27) holding your breath
And you think I'm crazy, yeah, you (28) I'm crazy
[x2]
Well, that's nothing
Well, that's nothing
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- 2. Bruce
- 3. tool
- 4. when
- 5. Kool
- 6. think
- 7. much
- 8. could
- 9. sometimes
- 10. where
- 11. these
- 12. wonder
- 13. been
- 14. need
- 15. this
- 16. trying
- 17. until
- 18. then
- 19. killed
- 20. back
- 21. feeling
- 22. then
- 23. straight
- 24. monster
- 25. under
- 26. voices
- 27. stop
- 28. think

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