

BUT YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND
('Cause You're Not Me !)

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HIT SONG

1. This is my life ! And I don't get a second one.
So don't treat me like I'm the moon and you're the sun;
or as if I were you, or as if we were two
in a god-to-subject setting
where homage from me is due !
The bottom line is this — and it's so true:
 We're not in a pre-scripted movie
 or a scene seen on TV.
 My view's perfectly clear from here
 it's plain enough to see —
 But you don't understand, 'cause you're not me !
 [INSTRUMENTAL RIFF]

2. Oh, don't give me that same old line, "the song & dance."
You've already had more than your second chance.
Don't even think about it — loosening your pants;
in the messed-up world we live in
where you think I'll always give in
I've converted all my 'cans' for you to "can'ts !"
 We're not in a pre-scripted movie
 or a scene you've seen on TV.
 My view is 20/20 clear from here
 it's plain enough to see —
 But you don't understand, 'cause you're not me !
 [INSTRUMENTAL RIFF]

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3. Don't tell me what to do, 'cause you're not this life I live.
My thinking is not yours, nor what I choose to keep or give.
You need to come to realize, I'm not you as seen through your eyes;
Though I'm not independent yet
I'm not your attendant or your pet
I'm me, so accept me as me — it's all you're gonna get !
 This isn't a pre-scripted movie we're in
 or a scene seen on TV.
 My view is perfectly clear from here
 it's plain enough to see —
 But you don't understand, 'cause you're not me !
 You'll never understand, 'cause you're not me !
 [INSTRUMENTAL RIFF]

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