## And Then I

## **Beastie Boys**

Grabbed the beat, looped it up Saw my check, scooped it up Rock ignition, got to listen Change position, start transmission

Point the camera, click the frame Use a high asa, I like the grain Flip the script, start to trip Grabbed my hip, did the dip

Rent the car, go upstate Hit the waterfall, jump in a lake Step in the place, move the crowd Cut the snake, walked right out

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I've got the mind maligned
With I mean mine
Got to turn it around
Got to give back
Because this self-centered thing is keeping me off track

Take the one train, ride the double L Go to Brooklyn, rock well Jump the gun, call your bluff Break the mold, a diamond in the rough

Ran the floor, grabbed a rock Spot it up, shot the shot Go pet Sam, said, "get off me" Check the machine, "Adam this is coffee"

Brace myself, trace myself Pace myself, lace myself Check the mirror, start to melt Jump back, kiss myself

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Hug my Lois, brush her teeth
Read her books, put her to sleep
Pack her lunch, drop her at school
Head to the studio, turn on the pro-tools

Apple C, Apple V
Drop the beat, hit delete
Hit record, smorgasbord
Draw my sword, jump aboard

Grab the phone, call my dad

Shared some love, felt so glad Went and called Freckles, and I told her I love her Ran home, got under the covers  $\,$ 

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