These Walls

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If these walls could talk (6x)

Sex, she just want to close her eyes and sway If you, if you, if you exercise your right to work it out Its true, its true, its true, shout out to the birthday girls say hey Say hey, everyone deserves a night to play And shes plays only when you tell her no

If these walls could talk I can feel your reign when it cries gold lives inside of you If these walls could talk I love it when I'm in it, I love it when I'm in it

If these walls could talk they'd tell me to swim good No boat I float better than he would No life jacket I'm not the guard in Nazareth But your flood can be misunderstood Wall telling me they full of pain, resentment Need someone to live in them just to relieve tension Me? I'm just a tenant My lord said these walls vacant more than a minute These walls are vulnerable, exclamation Interior pink, color coordinated I interrogated every nook and cranny I mean its still amazing before they couldn't stand me These walls want to cry tears These walls happier when I'm here These walls never could hold up Everytime I come around demolition might crush

If these walls could talk they'd tell me to go deep Yelling at me continuously I can see Your defense mechanism is my decision Knock these walls down that's my religion Walls feeling like they ready to close in I suffocate then catch my second wind I resonate in these walls I don't know how long I can wait in these walls I've been on these streets too long looking at you from the outside in They sing the same old song about how they walls are always the cleanest I beg to differ, I must've missed them I'm not involved I'd rather diss them I'd rather call all you put your wall up Cause when I come around demolition gon' crush

If your walls could talk they'd tell you it's too late Your destiny accepted your fate Burn accessories and stash them where they are Take the recipe, the bible and god Wall telling you that commissary is low Race wars happening no calling CO No calling your mother to save you Homies say to you, you're reputable, not acceptable Your behavior is Sammy Da Bull like a killer that turned snitch Walls is telling me you a bitch You pray for appeals hoping the warden could afford them That sentence so important Walls telling you to listen to "Sing About Me" Retaliation is strong you even dream about me Killed my homeboy and God spared your life Dumb criminal got indicted the same night So when you play this song rewind the first verse About me abusing my power so you can hurt About me and her in the shower whenever she horny About me and her in the after hours of the morning About her baby daddy currently serving life And how she think about you until we meet up at night About the only girl that cared about you when you asked her And how she fucking on a famous rapper Walls could talk

I remember you was conflicted Misusing your influence Sometimes I did the same Abusing my power full of resentment Resentment that turned into a deep depression Found myself screaming in a hotel room