

Hold On

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For Whim 'n Rhythm 2000

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doo doo doo etc...

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I know there's pain -

I know there's pain - - Why do you

doo doo doo wah

lock your - self -up in these chains

ooh doo doo doo these chains ooo

9

No one can change your life except for you Don't ev-er let an - y- one step all

doo oo ooh mm wah ooh doo doo

bum
dm

13

ov- er you Just o- pen your heart and your mind Mmm

dm dm doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo mm wah

bum

Is it real- ly fair to feel this way in - side

doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo mm wah

17

Whoa

Some - day some - bo- dy's gon- na make you wan - na

ba ba da da da ba da da Some - day

ba ba ba doo doo doo doo doo doo do ba

turn a- round and say good- bye 'till then ba - by are you gon- na let 'em

good bye 'till then

etc...

21

hold you down and make you cry Don't you know Don't you know Things- 'll change

don't cry things change

Things- 'll go your way If ya hold on for one

your way hold on one

doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

This block contains the musical notation for measures 21 through 24. It features three systems of staves. The first system (measures 21-22) has lyrics: 'hold you down and make you cry Don't you know Don't you know Things- 'll change'. The second system (measures 23-24) has lyrics: 'don't cry things change' and 'Things- 'll go your way If ya hold on for one'. The third system (measures 25-26) has lyrics: 'your way hold on one' and a vocal line 'doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo'.

25

more day if ya hold on for one

more day so hold on one

doo doo doo da doo ba doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

more day things- 'll go your way

more day so doo doo doo doo

doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

This block contains the musical notation for measures 25 through 28. It features three systems of staves. The first system (measures 25-26) has lyrics: 'more day if ya hold on for one'. The second system (measures 27-28) has lyrics: 'more day so hold on one' and a vocal line 'doo doo doo da doo ba doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo'. The third system (measures 29-30) has lyrics: 'more day things- 'll go your way' and 'more day so doo doo doo doo'. The fourth system (measures 31-32) has lyrics: 'doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo'.

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Hold on for one more day.

doo doo doo doo doo

33

You could sus-tain

doo doo doo doo doo

37

Mm or are you com-for-ta-ble with the pain

mm wah doo doo doo doo the pain ooo

You've got

no one to blame for your un-hap pi-ness No ba-by

doo oo ooh mm wah

41

Oooh...

You got your-self in-to your own mess

Let-ting your wor-ries pass you by

doo doo doo dm dm doo oo ooh

Let-ting your wor-ries pass you by

Don't you think it's worth the time

doo doo doo doo mm wah doo doo doo doo

Don't you think it's worth the time

to change your mind

No no

doo doo doo doo mm wah ba da da da da ba da da ba ba ba

to change your mind

Some-day some-bo-dy's gon-na make you wan-na turn a-round and say good-bye

Some-day good bye

Some-day some-bo-dy's gon-na make you wan-na turn a-round and say good-bye

49

'till then ba - by are you gon - na let 'em hold ya down and make you cry Don't you know

'till then don't cry

Don't you know Things 'll change Things 'll go your way if you hold

things change your way

53

on for one more day Can you hold on for one

hold on one more day so hold on one

57 now things - ll go your way

more day things 'll go your way Hold on for one more day

more day wah oo doo

I know that there is pain but ya hold on for one more day and ya

doo oo ooh mm wah

bum

61 break free from the chains Ooh I know that there is pain but ya

ooh doo doo dm dm doo doo doo

bum do do do do

65 hold on for one more day and ya break free break from the chains -

dm dm doo doo doo

bum

Some - day some - bo- dy's gon- na make you wan- na

ba da da da da ba da da

ba ba ba da da

(stomp stomp clap stomp stomp clap)

turn a- round and say good- bye

'till then ba - by are you gon- na let 'em

hold you down and make you cry - Don't you know

Don't you know things' - ll change

no no no (just claps on 2 and 4 until end)

ahh

73

things' - ll go your way if ya hold on for one

no no no no hold on one

bow bow bow bow

more day yeah if ya hold on

more day so hold on oh yeah

Don't you know things' - I'll change

Hold on oh yeah hold on

This system contains measures 77 through 80. It features three staves: a vocal line with lyrics, a piano accompaniment line with chords, and a bass line with a steady eighth-note pattern. Measure 80 ends with a double bar line.

things I'll go your way if ya hold on for one more day can ya hold

oh yeah hold on one more day so

This system contains measures 81 through 84. Measure 84 ends with a double bar line. The final measure of this system (measure 84) is circled in the original image.

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can ya hold on -

Hold on oh yeah hold on

This system contains measures 85 through 88. Measure 88 ends with a double bar line.

Mmmm can ya hold on ba-by won't ya tell me now

oh yeah hold on oh yeah

This system contains measures 89 through 92. Measure 92 ends with a double bar line.

89 Hold on

Hold on for one more day 'cause it's gon-na go your way

Hold on ooh ooh

yeah

The image shows a handwritten musical score on three staves. The top staff is in treble clef and contains the lyrics 'Hold on for one more day 'cause it's gon-na go your way'. The middle staff is in treble clef and contains the lyrics 'Hold on ooh ooh'. The bottom staff is in treble clef and contains a handwritten 'yeah' at the end. The score is divided into three measures by vertical bar lines. There are some handwritten annotations and corrections, particularly in the bottom staff where 'yeah' is written over some scribbles.