

## **Keziah Jones**

### **"Funk'n'circumstance"**

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Oh, check me over  
Get this feeling pulling me under  
How can a country ask for more?  
But I can't refuse  
Everybody knows I got this hunger  
Everybody goes along with the flake  
Nobody knows why there's thunder  
Nobody knows the rest of the cake  
Oh brother  
The skin you're in has got a new friend  
Got a new language got a new trend  
Oh brother  
Now your hero's sitting in vogue  
Got a new a language got a new logo  
You just got to say :  
Funk 'N' Circumstance  
When the money talks the skin will dance  
Any kind of funk will do  
Play your circumstantial blues  
Now let me get this straight  
Is it the pot calling the kettle black?  
Or the black calling the pot a what  
A "nigger"? A "nigger"!  
Oh check me over  
I got to realize another  
She got this feeling for y'all to see  
She started squeezing my history  
Oh brother, sister  
If you open your eyes you'll never see her  
She took my flag and kissed my woe  
She gave birth to all my sorrow  
Oh brother  
The skin you're in has got a new friend  
Got a new language got a new trend  
Oh mother  
Now your son is sitting in jail  
Got a new a language got a new logo  
You just got to say :  
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"My country 'tis of thee..."  
Brother, sister!

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