

## Nick Cave

### "Today's Lesson"

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Little Janie, she wakes up from a dream  
A gun like a jawbone down the waistband of her jeans  
Mr Sandman, he can recite today's lesson in his sleep  
He says there oughta be some kind of law against me  
going down on the street  
And little Janie pipes up and she says  
She says we're gonna have a real good time tonight  
Yeah, tonight

All right

Down the back of Janie's jeans she had the jawbone of  
an ass  
Mr Sandman, he runs around the corner  
Trying to head her off at the pass  
He sticks his head over the fence and yells something  
way too fast  
It's today's lesson, something about the corruption of  
the working class

Little Janie walks up on the floor and she says  
We're gonna have a real good time tonight

Come on

Janie says we're all such a crush of want half-mad with  
loss  
We are violated in our sleep and we weep and we toss  
and we turn and we burn  
We are hypnotised we are cross-eyed we are pimped  
we are bitched  
We are told such monstrous lies

Janie wakes up and she says  
We're gonna have a real good time tonight

Mr Sandman, he has a certain appetite for Janie in  
respose  
He digs her pretty knees and that she is completely  
naked underneath all her clothes  
He likes to congregate around the intersection of

Janie's jeans, yeah  
Mr Sandman the inseminator opens her up like a love  
letter and enters her dreams

Little Janie wakes up and she says  
We're gonna have a real good time tonight, tonight,  
tonight, tonight  
We're gonna have a real good time  
Come on, come on, come on  
We're gonna have a real good time

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