

## **No Curfew "El Matador"**

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Performed live by No Doubt

Announcer:

Senors and señoritas, welcome to the most anticipated  
bullfight in Spanish history!

Today, El Matador Ricardo will face El Toro the bull - the  
fiercest meanest beast in all of the  
Land!

Matador:

El Matador -comes out of the dust- as the sweet smell  
of roses and the foul smell of the bulls  
Fills the air.

Today, El Toro faces Don Presarios...

El Toro the bull -?- -does not think a lot- of the most  
beautiful woman in all of Spain.

Chorus:

I am the matador, and I must fight the bull!  
For my honor, and for my pride!  
It is which I adore,  
And it's so much more than a job  
It's what I live for, it's just a way of life!

Rosalina:

Oh Ricardo, don't you love me anymore?  
You cannot fight the bull, for he is fierce and mean  
And he is merciless,  
He will impale you with his horns.  
What about our lives together?

Chorus:

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For my honor, and for my pride!  
It is which I adore,  
And it's so much more than a job  
It's what I live for, it's just a way of life!

Narrator:

The buzz of nervous excitement fills the stadium,

As the tension mounts, the crowd rises to their feet.  
(oh!)  
The vendors walk the stands, selling at the top of their  
lungs:  
Popcorn! Peanuts! NACHOS!!!  
The fight begins...

(Assorted Spanish yells)

Fight pause:  
He's got it, he's got it, he's got his pride.  
He's got it, he's got it, deep down inside  
Because the matador, he's got his pride  
The matador, deep down inside  
The matador, he's got his pride  
The matador-----

Come on, Fight! Fight! (x7)

Narrator:  
It is over. The fight is done.  
But it is not the bull that is the dead one,  
Rosalina lies dead of a broken heart  
The bull and the matador together part...

As I left that arena that day, I was confused.  
I saw the matador and I asked him, 'Why did you kill  
your fiancée?'

Matador:  
I must have done what I have done because today's  
fight was such a bore,  
I needed to spark up something more...

Chorus:  
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For my honor, and for my pride!  
It is which I adore,  
And it's so much more than a job  
It's what I live for, it's just a way of life!

I am the matador! (x7)  
I am the matador-e-or-e-or-e-or-e-or-e-or-e-or!

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