

## Sonny Boy Williamson

### "Better Cut That Out"

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Better Cut That Out Track #24 2:57  
Sonny Boy Williamson I (John Lee)  
(John Lee Williamson)  
Chicago, November 12, 1947  
With Blind John Davis - piano, Big Bill Broonzy - guitar  
Ransom Knowling - sbass, Judge Riley - drums  
Album Complete Recorded Works Vol 5  
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Intro - Instrumental & harmonica

A-now-now, when you see a drunk man  
It made-a you mad  
When you get drunk  
You look-a just as bad

You better cut that out  
Yeah, you better cut that out  
You better cut that out, boy  
Befo' it be too, late

A-now-now, when you get high  
You know now, you'll get worse  
When you get drunk  
You throw a rock in a hearst

You better cut that out  
Yeah, you better cut that out  
Ya better cut that out, boy  
Befo' it be too, late

(harmonica & instrumental)

I see you're on your knees  
You know you mistreat a friend  
The next thing you know  
You'll been wonderin' where you been

You better cut that out  
Yeah, you better cut that out

Ya better cut that out, boy  
Befo' it be too, late

Ya went downtown  
Ya say, you didn't go to stay long  
The next time I saw ya  
You's in another man's home

You better cut that out  
Yeah, you better cut that out  
Ya better cut that out, boy  
Befo' it be too, late

(harmonica & instrumental)

Well now, when you get high  
You don't know what to do  
You say you get high  
Because you feelin' blue

An you better cut that out  
Yeah, you better cut that out  
Well, ya better cut that out, boy  
Befo' it be too, late

(harmonica & instrumental to end)

~ Last track on Vol. 5 Album

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