

## **Temptations**

# **"Message From A Black Man"**

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Yes, my skin is black  
But that's no reason to hold me back

Why don't you think about it, think about it  
Think about it, think about it, think about it  
Think about it, think about it

I have wants and desires just like you  
So move on aside because I'm comin' through, oh

No matter how hard you try, you can't stop me now  
No matter how hard you try, you can't stop me now

Yes, your skin is white  
Does that make you right?

Why don't you think about it, think about it  
Think about it, think about it, think about it  
Think about it, think about it

This is a message, a message to y'all  
Together we stand, divided we fall

Black is a color just like white  
Tell me how can a color determine whether you're  
wrong or right  
We all have our faults, yes, we do

So look in your mirror, what do you see?  
Two eyes, a nose and a mouth just like me

Oh, your eyes are open but you refuse to see  
The laws of society were made for both you and me  
Because of my color, I struggle to be free

Sticks and stones may break my bones  
But in the end, you're gonna' see my friend, oh

No matter how hard you try, you can't stop me now  
No matter how hard you try, you can't stop me now  
We are rollin', rollin', rollin', we are rollin' on

No matter how hard you try, you can't stop me now  
No matter how hard you try, you can't stop me now  
Hey, we are rollin', rollin', rollin', rollin' on

No matter how hard you try, you can't stop me now  
You can't stop me, you can't stop me  
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Say it loud  
I'm black and I'm proud  
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