

## **The Strokes**

### **"The Cheat Is Not Dead"**

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(The Cheat, man,  
Where did we go wrong?  
Seems like just yesterday we were setting fire to Strong  
Sad's underwears.)  
(STRONG SAD: That WAS yesterday!)  
(This one's for you...)

I got mad at The Cheat,  
(Uh!)  
For screwing up the Jumble Caper  
(Uh!)  
I hope I don't see his name in the paper,  
In the obituaries,  
'Cause that would mean he's dead

The Cheat is not dead  
I'm so glad The Cheat is not dead  
The Cheat is not dead  
(STRONG SAD: Dead!)  
I'm so glad The Cheat is not dead  
The Cheat is not dead  
(STRONG MAD!: DAAH!)  
I'm so glad the Cheat is not--  
Just the claps!  
Just the claps!

Uh!  
Uh!  
(Strong Sad, I had no idea you had any rhythm!)  
(STRONG SAD: Oh sure, I got TONS of rhythm!)  
Uh!  
Uh!  
(Alright, guys, keep it rolling for me.)  
Keep it rolling.)

Come on,  
I cracked wise at The Cheat,  
But in my defense, he cracked wise at me first  
i hope he doesn't end up in a hearse  
At the cemetery,  
'Cause once again that would mean that he's dead

The Cheat is not dead  
I'm so glad the cheat is not dead  
The Cheat is not dead  
(Whoa, where'd this choir come from?)  
I'm so glad The Cheat is not dead  
The Cheat is not dead  
(You guys sound great!)  
I'm so glad The Cheat is not dead  
The Cheat is not dead  
I'm so glad The Cheat is not dead  
The Cheat is not dead  
I'm so glad The Cheat is not dead  
The Cheat is not dead...  
I'm so glad The Cheat is not...  
Dea-----duh!

Cheat is not dead  
(Cheat is not dead)  
Cheat is not dead  
(Cheat is not dead)  
No, Cheat's not dead!  
(Cheat is not dead!)  
Oh yeah, Cheat's not dead!  
(Cheat is not dead)  
Oh, he's dead...  
(Cheat is not dead)  
NO, he's NOT dead!  
(Cheat is not dead)  
I said Cheat's not dead now  
(Cheat is not dead!)  
No, The Cheat's not dead  
(Cheat is not dead)  
Had to go to the store!  
(Cheat is not dead)  
Licorice Sticks  
(Cheat is not dead)  
They're out of frozen food!  
(Cheat is not dead)  
At least The Cheat's not dead!  
(Cheat is not dead)  
Little Cheat's not dead!  
(Cheat is not dead)  
Cheat is not dead!  
(Cheat is not dead)  
No, he's never been dead  
(Cheat is not dead)  
I said Cheat's not dead  
(Cheat is not dead)  
Oh..dead!  
(Cheat is not dead)

No, he's not dead!  
(Cheat is not dead)  
I know he's not dead!  
(Cheat is not dead)  
No, he's not dead  
(Cheat is not dead)  
No, he's not dead  
(Cheat is not dead)  
No, Cheat's not dead!

CHEAT'S NOT DEAD!

AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA-oh.....

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