

## **Patti LaBelle**

### **"More Than Material"**

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Don't get mad if I treat me  
To a day, I only shop for me  
Don't get mad if I buy the clothes  
That you think are not the style for me  
Who I am is not what I wear  
And what I think has nothin' to do with hair  
Love me by what my heart shows  
But it seems like you just can't let it go

You keep talkin' 'bout my clothes  
But the clothes don't make the woman  
You keep talkin' 'bout my hair  
But this hair can't give you lovin'  
You keep talkin' 'bout my shoes  
But my shoes don't make me money  
Now, why you actin' so hysterical  
I'm so much more than material

Oh, don't get mad if I treat me  
To a day of cosmetology  
Don't get mad if you see me  
Explorin' different sides of me  
Deep inside of my outer shell  
There's only so much I'd show and tell  
Love me like the real girl, you know  
But it seems that you just can't let it go

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More than material, more than the typical  
More than just a video  
A respectable and effectual, woman  
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More than just a video  
A respectable and effectual, girl

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