

## In The Heights

### "96,000 (feat. Andrea Burns, Christopher Jackson, Janet Dac)"

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Usnavi:  
Ninety six thousand,

Sonny & Benny:  
Damn,

Usnavi:  
Ninety six thousand,

Sonny:  
Dollars? Holler.

Usnavi:  
Ninety six thousand,

Benny: [Spoken]  
Yo, somebody won?

Usnavi:  
Ninety six thousand,

Benny:  
Yo, if I won the lotto tomorrow,  
Well, I know, I wouldn't bother  
Goin' on no spendin' spree-  
I'd pick a business school,  
And pay the entrance fee!  
Then maybe if you're lucky  
You'll stay friends with me!  
I'd be a businessman,  
Richer than Nina's daddy.  
Donald Trump and I on the links,  
And he's my caddy!  
My money's makin' money,  
I'm goin' from po'  
To mo' dough!  
Keep the bling,  
I want the brass ring,  
Like Frodo!

Usnavi:

Oh no, here goes  
Mr. Braggadocio,  
Next thing you know,  
He's lying like Pinocchio-

Benny:  
Well, if you're scared of the bull,  
Stay out the rodeo!

Graffiti Pete:  
Yo, I got more hoes than  
A phonebook in Tokyo.

Usnavi:  
Ooh, you better stop now,  
You're not ready.  
It's gonna get hot and heavy,  
And you're already sweaty-

Graffiti Pete:  
Y-y-yo-yo-

Usnavi:  
Yo, I'm sorry,  
Is that your answer?  
Shut up, go home,  
And pull ya damn pants up!  
As for you,  
Mr. Frodo of the shire-  
96 g's ain't enough to retire.

Benny:  
I'll have enough to knock  
Your ass off its axis!

Usnavi:  
You'll have a knapsack  
Full of jack after taxes!

Sonny:  
Ninety six thousand!

Abuela:  
Ay, alabanza!

Sonny:  
Ninety six thousand!

Daniela & Carla:  
No me diga!

Sonny:  
Ninety six thousand!

Vanessa: [Spoken]  
I never win shit!

Sonny:  
Ninety six thousand!

Benny:  
For real, though,  
Imagine how it would feel  
Goin' real slow  
Down the highway of life  
With no regrets,  
And no breakin' your neck  
For respect or a paycheck.  
For real, though,  
I'll take a break from the wheel  
And we'll throw the biggest  
Block party, everybody here-  
A weekend when we can breath,  
Take it easy,

Neighbors:  
Yo! Ma, it's me!  
Check my tickets!

Carla:  
One, two, three,  
What would you do  
With 96 g's?

Daniela:  
Who me?

Carla:  
I mean, it it's just  
Between you and me,

Daniela:  
Esa pregunta es tricky!

Carla:  
I know.

Daniela:  
With 96 g's,  
I'd start my life with  
A brand new lease.  
Atlantic City with

A Malibu Breeze-

Carla:  
And a brand new weave-

Daniela:  
Or maybe just bleach.

Vanessa:  
Y'all are freaks.

Usnavi:  
Yo, I'm just sayin'  
It's silly when we get  
Into these crazy hypotheticals.  
You really want some bread,  
Then go ahead,  
Create a set of goals,  
And cross them off the list  
As you pursue 'em,  
And with those 96  
I know precisely  
What I'm doin'.

Vanessa:  
What you doin'?

Usnavi:  
What am I doin'?  
What am I doin'?  
It takes most of that cash  
Just to save my ass  
From financial ruin.  
Sonny can keep  
The coffee brewin',  
And I'll spend a few on you  
'Cuz the only room with a view's  
A room with you in it.  
And I could give Abuela Claudia  
The rest of it-  
Just fly me down to  
Puerto Plata,  
I'll make the best of it.  
You really love this business?

Sonny:  
No.

Usnavi:  
Tough, Merry Christmas!  
You're now the youngest

Tycoon in Washington Hiznits.

Sonny:

Yo, with 96,000  
I'd finally fix housin',  
Give the barrio computers,  
And wireless web browsin'.  
Your kids are livin' without  
A good edumacation,  
Change the station,  
Teach 'em about  
Gentrification. Graffit Pete:  
The rent's escalatin', What?  
The rich are penetratin', What?  
We pay our corporations  
When we should be  
Demonstratin'. What?!  
What about immigration? What?  
Politicians be hatin'- What?  
Racism in this nation's  
Gone from latent Community:  
To blatant! Ooooooh!  
I'll cash my ticket and picket,  
Invest in protest,  
Never lose my focus  
Till the city takes notice.  
And you know this man!  
I'll never sleep  
Because the ghetto has  
A million promises  
For me to keep!

Vanessa: [Spoken]

You are so cute!

Sonny: [Spoken]

I was just thinking off the top of my head.

Usnavi: [Spoken]

96k. Go.

Vanessa:

If I win the lottery,  
You'll never see me again.

Usnavi:

Damn, we only jokin',  
Stay broke then.

Vanessa:

I'll be downtown,

Get a nice studio,  
I'll get out of the barrio. Benny:  
If I win the lottery, For real, though, imagine how it  
would feel  
You'll wonder where Goin' real slow down the highway  
of life with  
I've been. No regrets, and no breakin' your neck  
For respect or a paycheck.

[The numbered sections, 1-4, are sung simultaneously  
with  
Vanessa, Benny, Usnavi, and the Company]

1A 2A  
Vanessa: Benny:  
I'll be For real, though, I'll  
Downtown, Take a break from  
The wheel and we'll throw  
The biggest  
Block party,  
See you around Everybody here-  
A weekend when we  
Can breath,  
Take it easy.

3A 4A  
Usnavi: Community:  
Yo, it's silly when we 96,000  
Get into these crazy Carla:  
Hypotheticals. No me diga!  
You really want Community:  
Some bread, then go 96,000  
Ahead, create a set Daniela:  
Of goals, and cross Novent'y-seis mil!  
Them off the list as Sonny & Daniela:  
You pursue 'em, No me diga!  
And with those 96 Community:  
I know precisely Why-oooh!  
What I'm doin'.

1B 2B  
Vanessa: Benny:  
If I win the lottery, For real, though,  
You won't see a lot Imagine how it would  
Of me! Feel goin' real slow  
Down the highway of  
Life with no regrets,  
And no breakin'  
Your neck  
For respect or  
A paycheck.

3B 4B

Usvani: Women:

It's silly when we Check, one, two, three.

Get into these crazy Men:

Hypotheticals. And with the dollah dollah

You really want Women:

Some bread, then go With 96 g's

Ahead, create a set Men:

Of goals, and cross We get to hollah hollah

Them off the list as Women:

You pursue 'em, Between you and me

And with those 96 Men:

I know precisely We rock the hot impala

What I'm doing! Community:

Why-ooh!

1C 2C

Vanessa: Benny:

I'll be downtown, For real, though,

I'll take a break

From the wheel

And we'll throw,

The biggest

See you around! Block party,

Everybody here-

A weekend when we

Can breathe,

Take it easy.

Around! Ooh, whoa, ho!

3C 4C

Usnavi: Community:

It's silly when we With 96 g's

Get into these crazy Men:

Hypotheticals. We movin' on tomorrah

Women:

Brand new lease

You really want Men:

Some bread, We rock beyond maÃ±ana

Then go ahead, Women:

Create a set of A Malibu Breeze

Goals, Men:

We drop the mama drama,

And cross them We stop at the Bahamas!

Off the list as you Women:

Pursue 'em, Why-oh!

Men:

And with those 96 We drink piÃ±a colodas

I know precisely Shop until we bumbaclot

What I'm doin'! Women:

And with those 96 Who-oh!  
I know precisely Men:  
What I'm doin'! Drop it like it's hot!

Vanessa: Community:  
I'll be downtown Who-oaa! Who-oaa!

Usnavi, Benny & Sonny:  
We could pay off the debts  
We owe-oh-oh! Who-oaa!

Vanessa, Carla & Daniela:  
We could tell everyone  
We know-oh-oh! Who-oaa!

Usnavi:  
I could get on a plane  
And go-oh! Who-oaa!

Benny & Sonny:  
We be swimmin'  
In dough, yo! Who-oaa!

Usnavi, Benny & Sonny:  
No tip-toein'  
We'll get the dough 'n' Who-oaa!

Community:  
Once we get goin'  
We never gonna  
Stop tip-toein'  
We'll get the dough 'n'  
Once we get goin'  
We're never gonna- Usnavi, Sonny & Graffiti Pete:  
96,000 What?!  
We'll get the dough 'n' What?!  
96,000 What?!  
Once we get goin' What?!  
96,000

Everyone:  
We'll get the dough 'n'  
Once we get goin'  
We're never gonna stop!

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