

Downtown Funk (Don't Mess With Me!)

Words and Music Paul J Burrell 2020

ALL

**Don't mess with me! (Don't mess with me!)
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Verse 1 (Solo)

You may think I understand but my heart's far away
Leaving me with not a lot to say
There is nothing I can give but my life's doing fine
I know your plan but I don't have the time

Chorus - All

**Alright? ... so ... don't mess with me! (Don't mess with me!)
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You want me to help you but you see my hands are tied
And you don't feature in my plans today
If my hands get messy it could hurt my wounded pride??
So I suggest that you go on your way,
Alright? ... so don't mess with me! (Don't mess with me!)
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Verse 2 (Solo)

I can see you're full of fear and don't know what to do
Or where to go when there's no help in sight.
I would like to save you but there's so much on my mind
But I wish you all the best for now

Chorus - All

Middle 8 (Solo)

There's no point in worrying, you won't get very far
Sometimes you just have to let things be
I just want to keep the peace, the rest is up to you
Getting dirty hands is not for me

Chorus - All

(Solo ends with whispered) - Don't mess with me!