

Freedom (feat. Kendrick Lamar)
Beyonce

[Intro]

C Dm C Dm C Dm C Dm
F G A

[Verse 1: Beyoncé]

Dm C Dm
Tryna rain, tryna rain on the thunder, tell the storm I m new
C Dm C Dm
I m a wall, come and march on the regular, painting white flags blue
C Dm C Dm
Lord forgive me, I ve been running, running blind in truth
C Dm C Dm
I ma rain, I ma rain on this bitter love, tell the sweet I m new

[Pre-Chorus 1: Beyoncé]

Dm A7 Dm Am7
Ooh-ooh, I m telling these tears, Go and fall away, fall away , oh-oh-oh-oh-oh
Dm Am7 Dm
May the last one burn into flames

[Chorus 1: Beyoncé]

Dm C Dm C
Freedom, freedom, I can t move, freedom, cut me loose
Dm C Dm
Freedom, freedom, where are you, cause I need freedom too
F G
I break chains all by myself, won t let my freedom rot in hell
D
Hey, I ma keep running, cause a winner don t quit on themselves

[Verse 2: Beyoncé]

C Dm C Dm C Dm C Dm
C Dm C Dm
I ma wade, I ma wave through the waters, tell the tide, Don t move
C Dm C Dm
I ma riot, I ma riot through your borders, call me bulletproof
C Dm C Dm

Lord forgive me, I ve been running, running blind in truth
C Dm C Dm
I ma wade, I ma wave through your shallow love, tell the deep I m new

[Pre-Chorus 2: Beyoncé]

Dm A7 Dm Am7
Ooh-oh, I m telling these tears, Go and fall away, fall away , oh-oh-oh-oh-oh
Dm Am7 Dm
May the last one burn into flames

[Chorus 2: Beyoncé]

Dm C Dm C
Freedom, freedom, I can t move, freedom, cut me loose
Dm C Dm
Freedom, freedom, where are you, cause I need freedom too
F G
I break chains all by myself, won t let my freedom rot in hell
D
Hey, I ma keep running, cause a winner don t quit on themselves

[Verse 3: Kendrick Lamar]

C Dm C Dm C Dm C Dm
Ten Hail Marys, I meditate for practice
C Dm
Channel 9 news tell me I m movin backwards
C Dm
Eight blocks left, death is around the corner
C Dm
Seven misleadin statements bout my persona
C Dm
Six headlights wavin in my direction
C Dm
Five-0 askin me what s in my possession
C Dm
Yeah I keep runnin , jump in the aqueducts
C Dm
Fire hydrants and hazardous, smoke alarms on the back of us
C Dm
But mama don t cry for me, ride for me, try for me, live for me
C
Dm
Breathe for me, sing for me, honestly guidin me, I could be more than I gotta
be
C Dm
Stole from me, lied to me, nation hypocrisy

C Dm

Code on me, drive on me, wicked, my spirit inspired me

Dm Am

Like yeah, open correctional gates in higher desert

Dm Am7

Yeah, open our mind as we cast away oppression

Dm Am7

Yeah, open the streets and watch our beliefs

Dm

And when they carve my name inside the concrete, I pray it forever reads

[Chorus 3: Beyoncé]

Dm C Dm C

Freedom, freedom, I can't move, freedom, cut me loose

Dm C Dm

Freedom, freedom, where are you, cause I need freedom too

F

G

I break chains all by myself, won't let my freedom rot in hell

D

Hey, I ma keep running, cause a winner don't quit on themselves

C Dm C Dm C Dm C Dm

F G A