

Best Fake Smile

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CHORUS:

F

No you don t have to wear your best fake smile, Don t have to stand there and burn inside

Dm C F

Oh oh oh, if you don t like it

--1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1---5-----

--1-3-1-3-1-3-1-3-----

--2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-----

--3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-----

F (This sounds good for the **F** in the verse)

VERSE 1

F

She s working late and making eyes at the dough, She s sick of everybody up on her floor,

Dm C F

She wants the sun in her eyes, but all she gets is ignored

F

She used to put it out and get it all back, But now she s sipping trying to carry the act,

Dm C F

She s sweating under the lights, now she s beginning to pack

CHORUS

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Dm C F

Oh oh oh, if you don t like it

F

And you don t have to care, so don t pretend Nobody needs a best fake friend

Dm C F

Oh oh oh, don t hide it

VERSE 1

F

No hesitation now, she gets up and walks, She thinks of all the pain and pride did it cost

Dm C F

She empties all the tip jars, and won t get back what she lost

F

Outside the window we're two fingers to show She lifts her head I'm like some
blur out of smoke

D C F

She doesn't have to look back to know where she's gotta go

CHORUS 2

F

No you don't have to wear your best fake smile, Don't have to stand there and
burn inside

Dm C F

Oh oh oh, if you don't like it

F

And you don't have to care, so don't pretend, Nobody needs a best fake friend

Dm C F

Oh oh oh, don't hide it

BRIDGE:

A# Dm C

If you don't bleed it, you don't need it anymore

A# Dm C

If you don't need it, get up and leave it on the floor

A# Dm C

No more believing like it's a voice you can't ignore

A#

If you don't need it, you don't need it no

CHORUS 3

F

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Dm C F

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Dm C F

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