

FOR WHITES, JUST ANOTHER WEEKEND

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Tempo: 124 bpm Key: D

VERSES:

F#m/D	F#msus4/D	F#m/D	F#msus4/D	
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5th 1	5th 1	5th 1	5th 1	
fr. 2	fr. 2	fr. 2	fr. 2	
3	34	3	34	
Em	Em7	Em	Em7	
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7th 1	7th 1	7th 1	7th 1	e -10-9--7-6-5-
fr. 2	fr. 2	fr. 2	fr. 2	
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BRIDGE:

F#m7	Em7
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9th 111111	7th 111111
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VERSE 1 (all lyrics spoken softly):

_____ Play by the pond. The children chase after the ducks. Smoke holds over the water. The smoke of a barbeque. The talk is of real estate. All is well. In the parking lot: BMW's, Jaguars, and Mercedes. Behind them: department stores for rich men. Soweto, Soweto; com la de doh.

BRIDGE 1:

But all is not quiet here. _____ Tear gas. The talk is not of sausages. With their steel-plated whips. All is not quiet.

VERSE 2:

The children play. The adults talk softly. The chili . . . the good times. In suburbia, the houses are alike. Nice, and neat, and white in the sun. They stay outdoors. Soweto, Soweto; com la de doh.

BRIDGE 2:

But, less than a 12 minute walk away, the scene is different. Security forces police the black townships. _____ All is not well. All is so different. But, for whites, it's just another weekend.

VERSE 3:

The talk is of real estate. And the latest handbags, and the biggest cars. And the talk goes on. And the days go by, and the days go by.

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