

# BLACK OR WHITE

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I took my baby on a Saturday bang.  
Boy is that girl with you?  
Yes we're one and the same.  
Now I believe in miracles  
and a miracle has happened tonight.  
But, if you're thinkin' about my baby  
It don't matter if you're black or white.

They print my message in the Saturday Sun.  
I had to tell them I ain't second to none.  
And I told about equality and it's true  
either you're wrong or you're right.  
But, if you're thinkin' about my baby  
It don't matter if you're black or white.

I am tired of this devil. I am tired of this stuff.  
I am tired of this business.  
Sew when the going gets rough.  
I ain't scared of your brother.  
I ain't scared of no sheets.  
I ain't scared of nobody.  
Girl, when the going gets mean.

Protection for gangs, clubs, and nations  
causing grief in human relations.  
It's a turf war on a global scale.  
I'd rather hear both sides of the tale.  
See, it's not about races  
Just places, faces.  
Where your blood comes from  
Is were your space is.  
I've seen the bright get duller  
I'm not going to spend my life being a color.

Don't tell me you agree with me  
When I saw you kicking dirt in my eye.  
But, if you're thinkin' about my baby  
It don't matter if you're black or white.  
I said if you're thinkin' of being my baby  
It don't matter if you're black or white.  
I said if you're thinkin' of being my brother  
It don't matter if you're black or white.

Ooh, ooh

It's black, it's white  
It's tough for you to get by. (bis)