

## Empire State Of Mind by Alicia Keys - Jay Z

Yeah,
Yeah, I'm out at Brooklyn,
now Im down in Tribeca,
right next to DeNiro,
But I'll be hood forever,
I'm the new Sinatra,
and since I made it here,
I can make it anywhere,
yeah they love me everywhere,
I used to cop in Harlem,
all of my dominicanos
right there up on broadway,
brought me back to that McDonalds,
took it to my stash spot,
Five Sixty Stage street,
catch me in the kitchen like a simmons whipping pastry,
cruising down 8th street,
off white lexus,
driving so slow but BK is from Texas,
me I'm up at Bedsty,
home of that boy Biggie,
now I live on billboard,
and I brought my boys with me,
say wat up to Ty Ty, still sipping Malta
sitting (1) Knicks and Nets give me high fives,
N-gga I be spiked out, I can trip a referee,
tell by my (2) that I most definitely from
[Alicia Keys]
In New York,



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#### Fill in the gaps

Theres (3)\_\_\_\_\_ you can't do, Now you're in New York, these (4)\_\_\_\_\_ will make you feel brand new, the (5)\_\_\_\_\_ will inspire you, lets here it for New York, New York, New York [Jay-Z] I made you hot n-gga, Catch me at the X with OG at a Yankee game, sh-t I made the (6)\_\_\_\_\_ hat more famous than a (7)\_\_\_\_ can, you should know I bleed Blue, but I aint a crip tho, but I got a gang of n-ggas walking (8) my (9) though, welcome to the melting pot, corners where we selling rocks, afrika bambaataa sh-t, home of the hip hop, yellow cap, gypsy cap, dollar cab, holla back, for foreigners it aint fitted they forgot how to act, eight million (10)\_\_\_\_\_ out there and their naked, cities is a pity (11)\_\_\_\_\_ of y'all won't make it, me I gotta plug a special and I got it made, If Jesus payin LeBron, I'm (12)\_\_\_\_\_ Dwayne Wade, three dice cee-lo three card marley, labor day parade, rest in peace Bob Marley, Statue of Liberty, long (13)\_\_\_\_\_ the World trade, long live the king yo, I'm from the empire state thats... [Chorus]



Concrete jungle where (14)\_ are made of, Theres nothing you (15)\_\_ Now you're in New York, these streets will make you feel brand new, the lights will inspire you, lets here it for New York, New York, New York Welcome to the bright light.. [Jay-Z] Lights is blinding, girls need blinders so they can step out of bounds quick, the side lines is blind with casualties, \_\_\_\_\_ (17)\_\_\_\_ casually, then gradually become worse, who (16)\_\_\_ don't bite the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ Eve, caught up in the in crowd, now your in-style, and in the winter (19)\_\_\_\_\_ cold en vogue with your skin out, the city of sin is a pity on a whim, good girls gone bad, the cities filled with them, Mommy (20)\_\_\_\_\_ a bus trip and now she got her bust out, everybody ride her, just like a bus route, Hail Mary to the city your a Virgin, and Jesus can't save you life starts when the church ends, came here for school, graduated to the high life, ball players, rap stars, addicted to the limelight, MDMA got you (21)\_\_\_\_\_ like a champion, the city never sleeps (22)\_\_\_\_\_\_ slip you a Ambien [Chorus] In New York,

Concrete jungle where dreams are made of,



# Theres nothing you can't do, Now you're in New York, these streets will make you feel brand new, the lights will inspire you, lets here it for New York, New York, New York [Alicia Keys] One hand in the air for the big city, Street lights, big dreams all looking pretty, no place in the (23)\_\_\_\_\_ that can compare, Put (24)\_\_\_\_\_ lighters in the air, everybody say yeaaahh come on, come, yeah, [Chorus] In New York, \_\_\_\_\_ where dreams are made of, Concrete (25)\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ you can't do, Theres (26)\_\_\_\_ Now you're in New York, these streets will make you feel brand new, the lights will inspire you,

lets here it for New York, New York, New (27)\_\_\_\_\_



- 1. courtside
- 2. attitude
- 3. nothing
- 4. streets
- 5. lights
- 6. yankee
- 7. yankee
- 8. with
- 9. click
- 10. stories
- 11. half
- 12. paying
- 13. live
- 14. dreams
- 15. can't
- 16. sipping
- 17. life
- 18. apple
- 19. gets
- 20. took
- 21. feeling
- 22. better
- 23. World
- 24. your
- 25. jungle
- 26. nothing
- 27. York