

Don't Let Me Be Misunderstood (Benjamin / Marcus / Caldwell)
The Animals

[Intro]

organ doubled w/guitar, 2X:

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Bm                      Em
e-----|-----|
B-----|-----2-3-2-----|
G-4-4-2-4-4-2-4-----|---4-2-4-----|
D-----|-----|
A-----|-----|
E-----|-----|
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[Verse 1]

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Bm                      A
Baby, do you understand me now
G                      F#
  Sometimes I feel a little mad
      Bm                      A
Well don't you know that no-one alive can always be an angel
G                      F#
  When things go wrong I seem to be bad
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[Chorus]

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D                      Bm                      A
I'm just a soul who's intentions are good
G                      [N.C.]                      Bm
Oh Lord  please don't let me be misunderstood
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Bm                      Em
e-----|-----|
B-----|-----2-3-2-----|
G-4-4-2-4-4-2-4-----|---4-2-4-----|
D-----|-----| x2
A-----|-----|
E-----|-----|
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[Verse 2]

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Bm                      A
Baby, sometimes I'm so carefree
G                      F#
With a joy that's hard to hide
      Bm                      A
And sometimes it seems that all I have to do is worry
G                      F#
And then you're bound to see my other side
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[Chorus]

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D                      Bm                      A
I'm just a soul who's intentions are good
G                      [N.C.]                      Bm
Oh Lord  please don't let me be misunderstood
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Bm                      Em
e-----|-----|
B-----|-----2-3-2-----|
G-4-4-2-4-4-2-4-----|---4-2-4-----|
D-----|-----| x2
A-----|-----|
E-----|-----|

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[Bridge]

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Bm  A  [first 3 beats as per intro]
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G          A      G          A
If I seem edgy, I want you to know
G          A          D      Bm/F#
That I never mean to take it out on you
G          A          G      A
Life has it's problems and I get my share
G          F#
And that's one thing I never mean to do, 'cause I love you

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[Verse 3]

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Bm          A
Oh, oh, oh, baby, don't you know I'm human
G          F#
Have thoughts like any other one
Bm          A
Sometimes I find myself long regretting
G          F#
Some foolish thing, some little simple thing I've done

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[Chorus]

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D          Bm          A
I'm just a soul who's intentions are good
G          [N.C.]          Bm
Oh Lord please don't let me be misunderstood

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Bm                      Em          (fade)
e-----|-----|
B-----|-----2-3-2-----|
G-4-4-2-4-4-2-4-----|---4-2-4-----|
D-----|-----|
A-----|-----|
E-----|-----|

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