

STING 21213 Wake Me Up Before You Go Go

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Original artists: Wham

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(see the home page for more details about this)**

Wham! were an English musical duo formed by George Michael and Andrew Ridgeley in the early 1980s. During the period from 1982 to 1986, they sold more than 25 million certified records worldwide. George Michael was keen to create music targeted at a more sophisticated adult market rather than the duo's primarily teenage audience. Therefore, George and Andrew officially announced the breakup of Wham! in the spring of 1986,

This track is based upon the first American and UK number one recording, by Wham!, released in 1985. Re-recording a Pop track in our Nashville Gospel studio is always bound to produce interesting results and this track is a perfect example of what can be achieved; if you take the time to compare our music with original instrumentation, you will find it to be a very clever interpretation of the arrangement that is really "sold" by Thorsten Hubmann, on the vocal!

Additional Lyrics:

You put the boom boom into my heart
you send my soul sky high when your loving starts
a jitterbug into my brain
goes a bang bang bang till my feet do the same

But something's bugging you something ain't right
my best friend told me what you did last night
you left me sleeping in my bed I was dreaming
but I should have been with you instead

You take the grey skies out of my way
you make the sun shine brighter than Doris Day
turned a bright spark into a flame
my beats per minute never been the same

'cause you're my lady I'm your fool
it makes me crazy when you act so cruel
come on baby let's not fight
we'll go dancing everything will be alright

Cuddle up baby move in tight
we'll go dancing tomorrow night
it's cold out there but it's warm in bed
they can dance we'll stay home instead

Wake me up before you go go
don't leave me hanging on like a yo-yo
wake me up before you go go
I don't wan'na miss it when you hit that high

wake me up before you go go
'cause I'm not planning on going solo
wake me up before you go go ah
take me dancing tonight

Where, When and Who produced the music:

This was part of the fourteenth group of releases that were recorded in Nashville, during March 2012. A total of fifteen songs were recorded during this session, which was the ninth to be arranged and produced by Paul Bristow, with the help and assistance of his younger daughter - Cherish.

As in previous years, the music features the top musicians in Nashville: Gregg Galbraith – as band leader playing all Lead Guitars, Doug Jernigan on Steel and Dobro, Roger Morris on Piano and Keyboards, Fiddle by Rob Hojacos, David Smith on Bass Guitar, Jerry Kroon on Drums, Bruce Watkins on Rhythm Guitar, Sam Levine on Saxophone and Clarinet and Kevin McManus was the engineer.

Sting Productions Ambassador Club:

This was the first session to be underwritten by the members of the Sting Productions Ambassador Club, a collected group of Callers who worked together to choose the tunes and who contributed, financially, towards the costs of producing and distributing the music.