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SPEAKERS

Alexis Simmons

- A Alexis Simmons 00:06
Again is your black woman on this row or behind me on the front row, there's about five open seats. And if you're sitting in a seat back there
- A Alexis Simmons 00:21
and if you feel compelled to sit on the porch
- A Alexis Simmons 00:40
thank you all right.
- A Alexis Simmons 01:10
If it's what you truly want, I can wear a skinned
- A Alexis Simmons 01:17
over mine. You have a horse
- A Alexis Simmons 01:22
running in the wild that he tries to tame you. compares you to an impossible hi with Bernie
- A Alexis Simmons 01:34

... ..
says you are

A Alexis Simmons 01:35
blind he says he can never leave you

A Alexis Simmons 01:39
forget what anything

A Alexis Simmons 01:42
but you but you are always too intense too frightening. You do

A Alexis Simmons 01:52
not

A Alexis Simmons 01:54
you

A Alexis Simmons 01:58
yo dollar is doing

A Alexis Simmons 02:04
Oh,

A Alexis Simmons 02:15
oh,

A Alexis Simmons 02:21
were the world.

... ..

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Alexis Simmons 02:31

In 2016, Beyonce released her groundbreaking visual album lemonade, in which she explores the themes of infidelity, love and empowerment. However, nominees lyrics also draw a striking parallel to how America has treated black women. They have deemed us as terrifying, unlovable, all pressuring us to conform to societal beauty standards in order to be loved or desired. Sadly, this is not an area From the very beginning, from being at the forefront of slave rebellions to the 94% of black women who voted against we have shown absolute love and commitment to a country that does nothing but devalue us. But it is the love in finding and defining ourselves that will carry us through each and every tribe, trouble and space we boldly occupied. So using the lyrics from lemonade written by Warshaw, Shire and beyond, with additional polls for more, Shawn, in this program, whenever I mentioned he, Mr. Male, understand that I am solely referring to America's abusive relationship with black women. Your views, you're worthy of good things are the good things and you deserve to be loved despite what he thinks

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Alexis Simmons 04:01

Did what you truly want. I can wear has gained

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Alexis Simmons 04:10

over mine.

A

Alexis Simmons 04:15

Over mine, her hands as gloves. Her chief has confetti you find a black to be a beauty case.

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Alexis Simmons 04:28

you

A

Alexis Simmons 04:30

desperately want to look like

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Alexis Simmons 04:35

you look nothing like your mother.

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Alexis Simmons 04:44

You

- A Alexis Simmons 04:46
look everything like your mother. Your daughter is ugly. She knows last intimately carries whole cities in her belly as a chapter. Relatives would not hold her. said she was splitting to ward and see what
- A Alexis Simmons 05:04
they said she reminded them of the war. So you tried to change the
- A Alexis Simmons 05:11
close the mouth and
- A Alexis Simmons 05:14
try to make ourselves after prettier, less bothered.
- A Alexis Simmons 05:18
Less so when
- A Alexis Simmons 05:24
I tried to change clothes my mouth more tried to make myself softer, prettier, less volatile less
- A Alexis Simmons 05:33
away
- A Alexis Simmons 05:37
fasted for 60 days
- A Alexis Simmons 05:42
abstain from yours abstain from sex slowly I did not word that time
- A Alexis Simmons 05:57

Alexis Simmons 05:57

down to the basement and confess must He's got all my knees and said a man that ties my own self in a river and said if it's what you truly want, I can wear a skin

A Alexis Simmons 06:13

over my head, who will mine

A Alexis Simmons 06:19

hands as gloves, her teeth as confetti her scalp or cap her sternum. Mind but dazzle cane, the past and the future of nerds to meet us, right you every woman before and after you is down in your name. You filled his mouth. His teeth ache with the memory of your taste his body, a long shadow seeking goals but you are always too intense. And still in your dreams. You can feel him driving away from you. So what did you do love I With my own back and asked for Dominion at your feet, I threw myself into a volcano. I drink the blood.

A Alexis Simmons 07:09

I drink the water and

A Alexis Simmons 07:10

I sat alone, thinking skin on my feet, or banging bed at the waist for God across myself and thought I saw the devil but still deep inside me was the need to know. Why can't you see me?

A Alexis Simmons 07:26

And the dragon breathing fire. Beautiful man. How

A Alexis Simmons 07:34

do I know?

A Alexis Simmons 07:44

Just too much? too much for you? just too much for you. If it's what you truly want, I can work

A Alexis Simmons 08:01

As confetti

A Alexis Simmons 08:05
stone, my dad, okay, now we can post for

A Alexis Simmons 08:13
all three of us, you and your perfect girl your daughter's ugly

A Alexis Simmons 08:18
so why did you know

A Alexis Simmons 08:21
why did you not tell? He will not know

A Alexis Simmons 08:23
is covered in content in size or borders or team small colonies. It was something and I
remember someone should have already told me

A Alexis Simmons 08:35
if he wants to leave the EU that can be

A Alexis Simmons 08:39
have strange

A Alexis Simmons 08:42
and terrifying something not everyone

A Alexis Simmons 08:44
knows how to love So baby, you just gotta let the

A Alexis Simmons 08:50
Cadillac he

- A Alexis Simmons 08:52
lucky. You just gotta
- A Alexis Simmons 08:53
let it be Becky
- A Alexis Simmons 09:19
with the good hair.
- A Alexis Simmons 09:27
Don't hurt yourself when
- A Alexis Simmons 09:33
you don't love me
- A Alexis Simmons 09:36
You only hurt yourself
- A Alexis Simmons 09:58
to discuss And now it is time to heal
- A Alexis Simmons 10:04
all the sorrow from between your legs
- A Alexis Simmons 10:08
and you make the woman in doubt disappear.
- A Alexis Simmons 10:11

Because you are straight. You are terrified You are beautiful.

A Alexis Simmons 10:19
But

A Alexis Simmons 10:21
you know, you are the dog. You all you all know