

# ROYALS

LORDE

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Steady beat

♩ = 85

**drum beat pattern**

i've ne-ver seen a dia-mond in the flesh. i cut my teeth on wed-ding rings \_\_\_ in the mo - vies. \_\_\_ and i'm not

proud of my ad - dress \_\_\_ in a torn up town, no post code en - vy. \_\_\_ but eve-ry song is like

gold teeth, grey goose trip-ping in the bath-room. blood stains, ball gowns, trash-in' the ho-tel room, we don't care. we're dri-ving ca-dil-lacs in our dreams. but eve-ry-bo-dy's like

cris-tal, may-bach, dia-monds in your time-pie-ice. jet planes, is-lands, ti-gers on a gold leash, we don't care. we are-n't caught up in your love af-fair. and we'll ne-ver be

ro - yals. (ro - yals) it don't run in our \_\_\_ blood. that kind of luxe just ain't for us. we crave a diff-'rent kind of buzz. let me be \_\_\_ your

ru - ler. (ru - ler) you can call me queen \_\_\_ bee and ba-by i'll rule. (i'll rule, i'll rule, i'll rule) let me live that fan-ta-sy.

**1P**

my friends and i, we've cracked the code. \_\_\_ we count our

dol-lars on the train to the par - ty. and eve - ry - one who knows us knows \_\_\_ that we're fine with

**2P**

this. we did - n't come for mo - ney. but eve -ry song is like oh \_\_\_ oh \_\_\_ oh \_\_\_

we're bet - ter than we e - ver dreamed and i'm in love with be - ing queen. oh \_\_\_ oh \_\_\_ oh \_\_\_

life great outa-care, we are-n't caught up in your love af-fair. and we'll ne-ver be let me live that fan-ta-sy.

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