

## Sweet Honey in the Rock- "Stranger"

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[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vx7Tr\\_kla3A](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vx7Tr_kla3A)

00:02

Just a stranger! *♪♪ Accapella vocal percussion and vocalizations ♪♪*

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Stranger. Stranger. Stranger. Stranger here. Stranger. Stranger. Stranger. Stranger there. Stranger. Stranger. Stranger. Everywhere. Stranger. Stranger. Stranger. Whoa, whoa, whoa, whoa.

00:57

I'm a stranger. Stranger here. I'm a stranger everywhere. Mama, I would go home, but I'm a stranger there (Stranger. Whoa whoa whoa). I'd rather drink muddy water, I'd rather sleep in a hollow log, than to stay here in this city being treated like a dirty dog (Stranger. Whoa whoa whoa).

01:27

Whoa as I got up this morning, and I put on my walking shoes. I'm goin' down the road 'cause I've got the walkin' blues (Stranger. Whoa whoa whoa).

01:42

I'm a stranger, stranger here. And I'm just passin' through your town. You know that I would stay, but the people, people talkin' me 'round. Stranger. Stranger here. Stranger. Stranger there. Stranger. Stranger here. Stranger. Stranger everywhere. (Just a stranger) Stranger. Whoa whoa whoa.

02:17

*♪♪ Scat vocal solo ♪♪*

03:13

*♪♪ Scat solo continues ♪♪*

(Stranger here. Stranger there. Stranger here.)

03:28

(I'd rather drink muddy water) I'd rather drink muddy water. (I'd rather sleep on the hollow log) I'd rather sleep on the hollow log, (than to stay) than to stay here (being treated) being treated just like a dirty, dirty dog (Stranger. Whoa whoa whoa).

03:42

Stranger. Stranger. Stranger. Everywhere. (I would go home) I'm just a stranger, I'm just a stranger everywhere. I would go home, but when I go home I know I ain't gon' be nothing but a stranger. ( I would go home)

4:17

I'm just a stranger, nothing but a stranger. I'm just a stranger everywhere.

♪♪ Scat vocal solo ♪♪

4:43

Just a stranger!

*Action: Audience applauds*