

SONIC  
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HEROES

TRIPLE  
THREAT

SONIC HEROES VOCAL TRAX



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SONIC HEROES : TRIPLE THREAT - vocal trax

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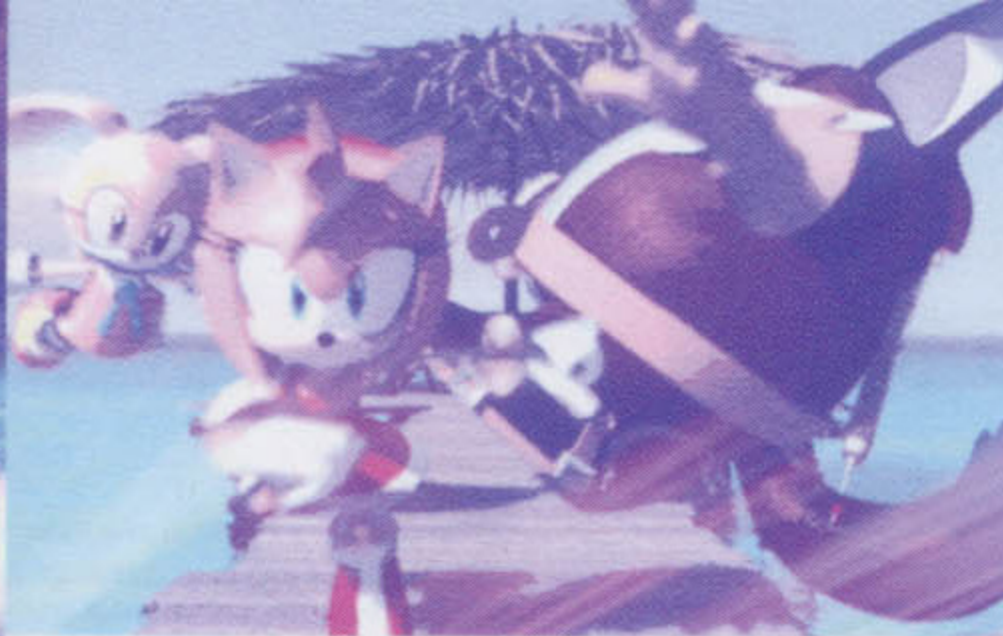
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# 1. SONIC HEROES

Performed by Crush 40  
Written by Jun Senoue & Johnny Gioeli

Produced & Arranged by Jun Senoue  
Recording Studios  
Room 650 & Beep Beep Studio, San Francisco, CA  
The Box, Los Angeles, CA  
Wavemaster Studio, Tokyo, Japan  
Mixed by Hirokazu Akashi at Wavemaster Studio, Tokyo, Japan

Vocals : Johnny Gioeli  
Guitars & Programming : Jun Senoue  
Bass : Takeshi Taneda  
Drums : Katsuji

## Verse 1

What goes up must come down  
Yet my feet don't touch the ground  
See the world spin upside down  
A mighty crash without a sound  
I can feel your every rage  
Step aside I'll turn the page  
Breakin' thru your crazy maze  
Like a laser beam my eyes on you

## Pre Chorus

Watch me rule the night away  
Watch me save the day  
Feel my storm is getting close  
Headed your way

## Chorus

Sonic Heroes  
Sonic Heroes  
Bind you confine you defying your reign  
Sonic Heroes  
Sonic Heroes  
Setting the stage for a heroes parade

## Verse 2

I won't even hesitate  
A second left to alter fate  
And you try to strike but a bit too late  
Got you hooked by my own bait

## Pre Chorus 2

Watch me rule the night away  
Watch me save the day  
Trapped by your own crazy dream and you can't wake

## Chorus

## Bridge

You can bet there ain't no doubt  
As the words spill from the mouth of a hero  
I can chase another day  
Fight you all the way  
Like a hero

And together we stand tall no matter how  
No one can bring us down...

## Chorus

Sonic Heroes

## 2. WE CAN

Performed by Ted Poley & Tony Harnell  
Written by Jun Senoue & Ted Poley

Produced & Arranged by Jun Senoue  
Tracked by Jun Senoue, Atsushi "sushi" Kosugi & Masahiro Fukuhara  
Recording Studios  
Room 650 & Beep Beep Studio, San Francisco, CA  
Jammin' Planet Studio, Los Angeles, CA  
MIT Studio in Tokyo, Japan  
Avatar Studio, New York, NY  
Mixed by Stan Katayama at the Del Rey Studio, Los Angeles, CA

Vocals : Ted Poley & Tony Harnell  
Guitars: Jun Senoue  
Bass : Takeshi Taneda  
Drums : Mark Schulman

### Verse 1

Look out down below  
Sonic is on the go  
Can't stop this party till we save the world  
This time, not alone  
We've got some friends along  
And as a team we can become even stronger

### Pre Chorus

Together, we can, overcome all the odds  
It's never as hard as it seems  
Everyone can do something special  
The secret is sharing your dreams

### Chorus

We can make it  
If we all stick together  
We won't give up not ever  
And everything's gonna be alright  
We all bring out  
The best things in each other  
Together we are stronger  
Than anyone else could be on their own

So much better than alone

### Verse 2

Sonic's in the lead  
Giving us greater speed  
Tails keeps us flying high to stay above trouble  
And knuckles by our side  
Makes this a safer ride  
We'll save the world and teach that Eggman a lesson

### Pre Chorus

### Chorus 2

We can make it  
If we all stick together  
We won't split up not ever  
It's easier with my friends by my side  
We all bring out  
The best things in each other  
Together we are stronger  
Than anyone else could be on their own  
So much better than alone

### Bridge

Together we can overcome all the odds  
It's never as hard as it seems

### Chorus

Can't stop us cause together we are strong!

# 3. THIS MACHINE

Performed by Julien-K

Music by Jun Senoue & Amir Derakh

Lyrics by Ryan Shuck

Produced and engineered by Amir Derakh at I-Synthicide studio, Los Angeles, CA

Vocals : Ryan Shuck

Guitars, bass, synth's & programming : Amir Derakh

## Verse 1

A shadow of myself, just who am I?  
Scan horizons  
A tragic mystery  
You could have left me here, sealed inside the pod  
No one would ever know - The chaos control  
My true identity  
The power that is me

## Chorus

We all danced in fire  
Trapped in this machine  
Don't know how long we've waited  
As the Eggman's watching  
We all danced in fire  
Looking thru the screen  
Don't know how long we've waited  
As the Eggman watches

## Verse 2

With rouge in the fight - electric lives  
Change surroundings  
A jewel in history  
A treasure disappears - as she goes  
Miss her as you look away - and no one knows  
This power is a key  
This power changes me

## Chorus

## Verse 3

E-123  
You didn't know - now I'm gonna show you  
The power that is me  
You try to take me down-stop the show  
Seems you've never tasted fear- or loss of control  
The power lives in me  
The power that is me

## Chorus



## 4. FOLLOW ME

Performed by Kay Hanley

Music by Jun Senoue

Lyrics by Mathilde O'Rourke

Produced & Arranged by Jun Senoue

Recording Studios

Room 650 & Beep Beep Studio, San Francisco, CA

Jammin' Planet Studio, Los Angeles, CA

MIT Studio, Tokyo, Japan

The Del Rey Studio, Los Angeles, CA

Mixed by Masahiro Fukuhara at Tai Studio, Tokyo, Japan

Vocals : Kay Hanley

Guitars & Keyboards : Jun Senoue

Bass : Takeshi Taneda

Drums : Mark Schulman

Artist Management : Michael Creamer

### Verse 1

Anywhere you want to go  
Anything you need to know  
All the best in life  
I want to get it for you  
Lately I just feel so fine  
I imagine that you're mine  
In my world you're gold  
I only want to protect you

### Pre Chorus 1

Whatever I want, I get, and I want a shooting star  
Whatever I need, I have when I'm with you

### Chorus

Follow me inside, outside  
Through the stratosphere  
The moon is shining for you  
It knows that I adore you  
Suddenly all the sadness  
Will just slip away  
And you will see what I mean

If you just follow me in my dreams

### Verse 2

I was searching everywhere  
Suddenly I saw you there  
And my love arrived  
Just in the nick of love  
Life floats on a movie screen  
You're the star of my scene  
We live on the edge of a knife  
Larger than life

### Pre Chorus 2

Whatever I want, I get, and no one could take your place  
Whatever I need, I have when I see your face

### Chorus

If you follow me in my dreams

### Chorus

If you follow me in my dreams

# 5. TEAM CHAOTIX

Performed by Gunnar Nelson  
Written by Jun Senoue & Gunnar Nelson

Produced & Arranged by Gunnar Nelson  
Engineered by Brian Tankersley at GBT Studios, Nashville, TN  
Vocals & All instruments : Gunnar Nelson

## Verse 1

Once upon a time you could be a bad guy  
And you'd live to see another day  
But now you'd never manage- boy, you'd be brain-damaged  
Just to think that you could get away

The power has arrived in a dream team  
A force where one and one makes three  
And when the trail's gone cold and the lies have been told  
This crew'll find what you can't see

## Pre Chorus 1

Yeah danger hides when the hyper bee flies  
And the ninja stars fly too  
The muscle is Vector, the karma collector  
And he's sworn to fight for you

## Chorus

Team Chaotix- They're detectives you want on your side  
Team Chaotix- Their directive's tracking down your crime  
Come along for the ride  
The truth can run but not hide for long- the game is on... now!

## Verse 2

Remember when stealin' used to be a good deal  
And when a crooked life would always pay? Well...  
Now that the teams in town that's all gone underground  
But it's a worry to this very day

A Challenge has been issued by the Eggman  
This mission's gonna need them all  
And though his hope's grown thin and their outlook is grim  
These three are gonna heed his call

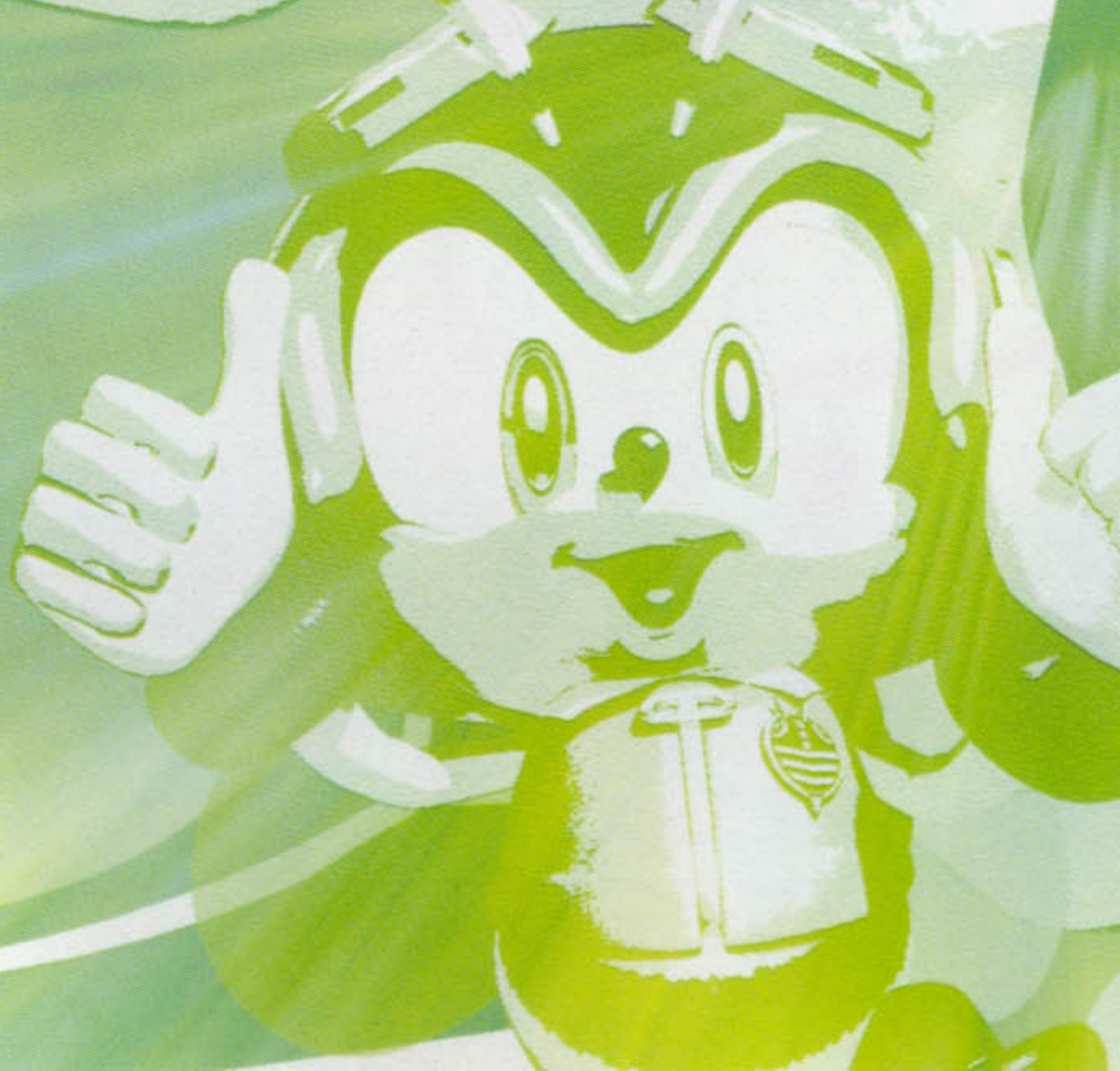
## Pre Chorus 2

Charmy's thing is dishing out first sting  
And the green one cheers them on  
Espio is clearly ready to go  
Run down who'd do you wrong

## Chorus

## Chorus 3

Team Chaotix- Sonic Heroes- what your problem needs  
Team Chaotix- Watch those three go make the outlaws bleed  
There's no way you can win  
If it's trouble you're in  
They're gonna kick your @\$%!  
Team Chaotix!



## 6. WHAT I'M MADE OF...

**Performed by Crush 40**

**Written by Jun Senoue & Johnny Gioeli**

Produced & Arranged by Jun Senoue

Recording Studios

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Jammin' Planet Studio, Los Angeles, CA

The Box, Los Angeles, CA

MIT Studio, Tokyo, Japan

Mixed by Stan Katayama at the Del Rey Studio, Los Angeles, CA

Vocals : Johnny Gioeli

Guitars : Jun Senoue

Bass : Takeshi Taneda

Drums : Mark Schulman

### Verse 1

I don't care what you're thinking  
As you turn to me  
Cause what I have in my two hands  
Is enough to set me free  
I could fight the feeling  
To resist it over time  
But when it's just too much to take  
You sneak up from behind

### Pre Chorus 1

Is it me, you say, your looking for  
Let me show you who I am and what I'm here for... here for...

### Chorus

Try to reach inside of me, try to drain my energy  
Let me show you just what I'm made of  
Simple curiosity tries to take a bite of me  
Let me show you just what I'm made of now...

### Verse 2

Like a million faces  
I've recognized them all  
And one by one they've become  
A number as they fall  
In the face of reason  
I can't take no more  
One by one they've all become  
A black mark on the floor

### Pre Chorus 2

Is it me, you say, your looking for  
Let me show you who I am and what I have in store... in store...

### Chorus

### Bridge

You can take another life long try  
You can take another try...

### Chorus

MY SWEET PASSION

Theme of AMY  
Performed by Nikki Gregoroff  
Written by Fumie Kumatani

Verse 1

I got out my map and chose a place I wanted to go to  
... Packed up my stuff, set out for adventure ...  
I know that your lucky color is that cool shade of blue  
... Won't mind painting myself blue for you ...  
I guess I'm so easy to understand  
I just do what ever that comes to me naturally

I do understand the feelings of a Persian Cat  
... But the Sphinx looked so cute I had to shave it ...  
He reminds me of parsley when he's standing there all alone  
... Makes me wanna be his specialite ...  
I guess I'm just a self - centered girl  
But there are nights that I have trouble going to sleep

Chorus 1

Sweet sweet you're so sweet  
So many things I want  
Sweet sweet you're so sweet  
I wanna be a wonderful girl  
Sweet sweet you're so sweet  
I'm not simple minded  
Sweet sweet you're so sweet  
And I won't be a pearl

You probably need me just as much as I need you

Verse 2

Are you okay you seem to be a little bit tense  
... You don't have to worry 'bout a single thing ...  
We are free to get whatever that we want to have  
... We're also free to do whatever we want ...  
That's what we'll do that's what we'll do  
We should live our lives the way we think it ought to be

Chorus 2

Sweet sweet you're so sweet  
There's no where to hide  
Sweet sweet you're so sweet  
Come on settle our lives  
Sweet sweet you're so sweet  
I'll always be there for you  
Sweet sweet you're so sweet  
In the best and worst times

You can be my sweetest honey for eternity

Chorus

I honestly need you just as much as you need me

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Brass Arrangement by Tony Kadreck  
Tracked by Roy Hendrickson at Avatar Studios, New York, NY  
Mixed by Roy Hendrickson at Sound On Sound, New York, NY  
Vocals : Nikki Gregoroff  
Guitars : Mike Campbell  
Bass : Will Lee  
Rhodes : Philippe Saisse  
Drums : Ricky Wellman  
Percussion : Bashiri Johnson  
Horn Section : East 4th Horns

LAZY DAYS ...Livin' in Paradise

Theme of BIG  
Performed by Ted Poley  
Written by Jun Senoue & Fumie Kumatani

Verse

Oh, it's a windy and sunny day  
An I can hear the faint sound of the distant waves  
The past weeks have been going by so fast  
It's all the same, the bright sky and shining sun  
I have a feeling it's gonna be a fun day  
Oh, it's a windy and sunny day  
The many summers and many great games  
Guess it's another trouble-free day  
Our playground's so huge, we don't know where it ends  
Feels energetic and groovy  
Everything's cool, it's excellent

Pre Chorus 1

Everyday's a new beginning, yeah!  
We don't know who we're gonna meet today  
The more I want, the less I can get  
Keep walking for a new tomorrow  
But I guess that I'm happy now gonna set my heart free  
Now I've got nothing to worry me, Come on!  
Let's just get up go, go, go, go!

Chorus

Hey big guy, hey little guy  
Can you tell me who came first  
Sorry, but I don't know  
We are simply natural  
Okay, all you have to do is sit up, look left, right, up, and down  
Hey big guy, hey little guy  
Can you tell me what's inside  
Sorry, but I don't know  
We are simply natural

We present you with a gift - Welcome to our Paradise

Pre Chorus 2

What'd you think about the incident?  
You always take me for granted  
I am asking you as a first step  
You answer first cause I asked you first  
You and I are friends for all of time Tell me how you feel  
But you know I can't resist that smile on your face  
Happy happy Muy Amable !

Chorus

We present you with a gift - Welcome to our Special Paradise  
Where it all comes down to just one little thing, love

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Mixed by Roy Hendrickson at Sound On Sound, New York, NY  
Vocals : Ted Poley  
Guitars : Jon Paris  
Bass : Zov Katz  
Piano : Philippe Saisse  
Drums : Ricky Wellman  
Percussion : Bashiri Johnson

UNKNOWN FROM M.E.

Theme of KNUCKLES  
Performed by Marlon Saunders & Dread Fox  
Written by Kenichi Tokoi

Here I come, rougher than the rest of them  
the best of them, tougher than leather  
You can call me Knuckles, unlike Sonic I don't chuckle  
I'd rather flex my muscles  
I'm hard as nails, it ain't hard to tell  
I break 'em down whether they're solid or frail  
Unlike the rest I'm independent  
It's my first breath, first test  
feel the right then the worst's left

Born on an island in the heavens  
The blood of my ancestors flows inside me  
My duty is to save the flower from evil deterioration

I will be the one to set your heart free  
Must cleanse yourself of that evil spirit that got in you

Streaking lights, loud sounds, and instinct  
Are the elements that keep me going  
I am fighting my own mission  
Nothing's gonna stand in my way

Won't be frightened I'll stand up to all the pain and turmoil  
Just believe in myself won't rely on others  
Get this power to wipe out the havoc and anarchy  
This is my planet gonna fight for my destiny

I have no such things as weak spots  
Don't approve of him but gotta trust him  
This alliance has a purpose  
This partnership is only temporary

Won't be frightened I'll stand up to all the pain and turmoil  
Just believe in myself won't rely on others  
Freedom will be waiting when serenity is restored  
This is my planet I shall not surrender

Won't be frightened I'll stand up to all the pain and turmoil  
Just believe in myself won't rely on others  
Get this power to wipe out the havoc and anarchy  
This is my planet gonna fight

The new porcupine on the block with the puff chest  
Outa the wilderness with the ruggedness  
Knock, knock, it's Knuckles, the bloat thrower  
Give you the cold shoulder  
My spike goes through boulders  
That's why I stay a loner  
I was born by myself  
i don't need a posy, I got it on by myself  
Advisories got shelled

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Mixed by Roy Hendrickson at Sound On Sound, New York, NY  
Vocals & Rap : Marlon Saunders & Dread Fox  
Guitars : Rohn Lawrence  
Bass : Will Lee  
Rhodes : Philippe Saisse  
Drums : Ricky Wellman  
Percussion : Bashiri Johnson  
Horn Section : East 4th Horns

## **BELIEVE IN MYSELF**

Theme of TAILS  
Performed by Karen Brake  
Written by Jun Senoue

### Verse 1

When all alone in my chair, I just go about wishing  
I wanna be strong, I really wanna be trusted  
When all alone in my bed, I just go about yearning  
I wanna be cool, I also wanna be like him

### Pre Chorus 1

But that's not something I can do so easily  
This is not simply my way, my style  
Gotta get a hold of my life

### Chorus

I wanna fly high  
So I can reach the highest of all the heavens  
Somebody will be waiting for me so,  
I have got to fly higher  
Gotta keep goin'  
Everything is a brand new challenge for me  
I will believe in myself  
This is the only start for me

### Verse 2

When all alone in my sleep, I just go about dreaming  
I see myself there, having the same adventure

### Pre Chorus 2

If I just follow you, I will never see the light  
Now's the time to find my way through this life  
I'm trying so hard to be strong

### Chorus

### Bridge

Many friends help me out, in return I help them  
Certain things I can do and there are things that only I can do  
No one's alone!

### Chorus

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Vocals : Karen Brake  
Guitars : Jun Senoue  
Bass : Naoto Shibata  
Drums : Hiro Homma  
Background Vocals : Terry Woods  
Background Vocals : Maxine Waters

## **IT DOESN'T MATTER**

Theme of SONIC  
Performed by Tony Harnell  
Written by Jun Senoue

### Verse 1

Well, I don't show off, don't criticize  
I'm just livin' by my own feelings  
And I won't give in, won't compromise  
I just only have a steadfast heart of gold

### Pre Chorus 1

I don't know why, I can't leave though it might be tough  
But I ain't out of control, just livin' by my word  
Don't ask me why, I don't need a reason  
I got my way, my own way

### Chorus 1

It doesn't matter now what happens I will never give up the fight  
There is no way I will run away from all of my frights  
Long as the voice inside me says go, I will always keep on running  
There is no way to stop me from going to the very top  
It doesn't matter who is wrong and who is right

### Verse 2

Well, I won't look back I don't need to  
Time won't wait and I got so much to do

### Pre Chorus 2

Where do I stop, it's all a blur and so unclear  
Well, I don't know but I can't be wrong

### Chorus 2

This fight is not for anybody, this is purely for myself  
There is no way I'm gonna give up 'til the very end  
I can't tell what is wrong and what is right, I've got to find the answer  
But I do there's no way I will ever give up  
Place all your bets an the one you think is right

### Chorus

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Drums : Hiro Homma

## **OPEN YOUR HEART**

Main Theme of SONIC ADVENTURE DX  
Performed by Crush 40  
Written by Jun Senoue & Kenichi Tokoi

### Verse 1

Thunder, rain, and lightning  
Danger, water rising  
Clamour, sirens wailing  
It's such a bad sign  
Shadows of dark creatures  
Steel clouds floating in the air  
People run for shelter  
What's gonna happen to us!?

### Pre Chorus 1

All the steps we take, all the moves we make, all the pain at stake  
I see the chaos for everyone who are we what can we do  
You and I are same in the way that we have our own styles that we won't change  
Your's is filled with evil and mine's not there is no way I can lose

### Chorus

Can't hold on much longer - But I will never let go  
I know it's a one way track - Tell me now how long this'll last  
I'm not gonna think this way - Nor will I count on others  
Close my eyes and feel it burn - Now I see what I've gotta do

### OPEN YOUR HEART, IT'S GONNA BE ALLRIGHT

### Verse 2

Ancient city blazing  
Shadows keep attacking  
Little children crying  
Confusion, hopeless anger

### Pre Chorus 2

I don't know what it can be but you drive me crazy  
All your cunning tricks make me sick, you won't have it your own way

### Chorus

OPEN YOUR HEART...AND YOU'LL SEE...

### Bridge

If it won't stop, there will be no future for us  
Its heart is tied down by all the hate, gotta set him free

I know it's a one way track - Tell me now how long this'll last  
Close my eyes and feel it burn - Now I see what I've gotta do  
GOTTA OPEN YOUR HEART, DUDE!

### Chorus

OPEN YOUR HEART, IT'S GONNA BE ALLRIGHT

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