

CHANTS

1. Their range of motion cannot hide
Their support for Apartheid!
2. Pas de deux or arabesque
The occupation is grotesque
3. Joyce Theater, draw the line
Stand up for Palestine
4. Don't be fooled by their rotation
They're whitewashing occupation
5. They don't have a neutral stance
When they do apartheid's dance
6. Batsheva's moves are out of line
With freedom for Palestine!
7. First position, now plié
Dance for justice every day!
8. While we dance to liberate
They dance for a racist state
9. Joyce Theater, don't you know?
Batsheva has got to go
11. If they advance, a colonial stance
We - will - not - go - watch - them -
dance!
12. Move your hips from side to side
But stop whitewashing apartheid
13. Joyce, let us set you straight
Israel is a racist state
14. Dancers have to take a stand
No excuse for stealing land
15. Batsheva gets no ovation
Ambassador for occupation
16. They whitewash, we protest
Boycott, sanction, and divest
17. Hey Batsheva, don't you know?
Israeli apartheid's got to go
18. Hey Batsheva, don't you see?
Dance can be apartheid-free
19. Batsheva may leap and prance
But they do Apartheid's dance
20. Their Gaga dance is fine to see
But not to salute a catastrophe
21. RMO, steal the show
Batsheva has got to go
22. No walls, no Muslim bans
No racism on stolen land
22. From Palestine to Mexico
All the walls have got to go
23. Stand up, get down
No *artwashing* in our town
(or "*racism*," or "*Israeli apartheid*")
24. *[If necessary]*
No fascists, no JDL
No racist Israel

SONGS

1. Turn Me Round

(To the tune of "Ain't Gonna Let Nobody Turn Me 'Round")

Ain't gonna let occupation
Turn me 'round, turn me 'round,
turn me round
Ain't gonna let occupation
Turn me 'round
Gonna keep on walkin', keep boycottin'
'Til Palestine is free

Ain't gonna let Batsheva...
Ain't gonna let Brand Israel...
Ain't gonna let whitewashing...
Ain't gonna let oppression...
Ain't gonna let racism...
Ain't gonna let illegal settlements...
Ain't gonna let siege on Gaza...
Ain't gonna let their excuses...
Ain't gonna let artwashing...
Ain't gonna let Netanyahu...
Ain't gonna let Jared Kushner...
Ain't gonna let Donald Trump...
Ain't gonna let theft of land...
Ain't gonna let theft of water...
Ain't gonna let uprooting olive trees...
Ain't gonna let colonization...
Ain't gonna let 70 years...
Ain't gonna let bans and walls...
Ain't gonna let apartheid...

2. Wein 'a Ramallah

(For Batsheva)

Boycott Batsheva
Boycott Batsheva
Boycott, boycott, boycott Batsheva
(repeat)

Justice for Palestine
Justice for Palestine
Justice, justice, justice for Palestine
(repeat)

3. Which Side Are You On?

(Palestine Version)

I was sittin' home watching CNN
Runnin' that government line
They say that Israel must be safe
But what about Palestine?

Chorus:

Which side are you on?
Which side are you on?
Justice or oppression?
Which side are you on?

We want peace and justice
Palestinians want it too
But segregation walls and bombs
Can't lead to anything new
Chorus

From New York to Palestine
Folks struggle for their rights
Until each child can say, "I'm free!"
We all must join the fight
Chorus

Boycott, Divestment, Sanction
BDS to be concise
You too can help apartheid end
Make Israel pay a price
Chorus

4. Boycott Batsheva

(To the tune of "Bella Ciao!")

We've got to wake up
We've got to wise up
We've got to boycott apartheid
Right now now now
We've got to build a better future
To fight for freedom this we vow

Supporting conquest
Is what we protest
Batsheva's artwashing IDF war crimes
We've got to build a better future
With peace and justice, not just rhymes

Contract and *release*
Won't help to bring peace
Because your country is still
 dispossessing folks
We've got to build a better future
Where we all have equal rights

So let's all wake up
The truth let's take up
No more stealing of water and land and
 rights
We're gonna build a better future
And we're gonna start right now

5. We Shall Not Be Moved

CHORUS:

We shall not, we shall not be moved
We shall not, we shall not be moved
Just like a tree that's planted by the water
We shall not be moved

Ambassador for *Brand* Israel,
We shall not be moved
But human rights *will* prevail
We shall not be moved
So we'll *boycott* Batsheva 'til there's justice
We shall not be moved

Examine your alignment
We shall not be moved
Artwashing's your assignment
We shall not be moved
So we'll *boycott* Batsheva 'til there's justice
We shall not be moved

Your *movements* range from bound to free
We shall not be moved
As *someday* Palestine will be
We shall not be moved
(Meanwhile we'll) *boycott* Batsheva 'til
 there's justice
We shall not be moved

Silent *complicity's* your trade
We shall not be moved
Your stance is really retrograde
We shall not be moved
So we'll *boycott* Batsheva 'til there's justice
We shall not be moved

Nice mirroring and fine motif
We shall not be moved
You're ethnic cleansing's best fig leaf
We shall not be moved
So we'll *boycott* Batsheva 'til there's justice
We shall not be moved

CHORUS

6. Hey, Hey, Hey, Hey

(a call and response)

**Hey hey hey hey (2X)
From NYC to Palestine
Colonization is a crime**

**Hey hey hey hey (2X)
From the belly of the beast
No justice no peace**

**Hey hey hey hey (2X)
From the river to the sea
All people must be free**

**Hey, hey, hey, hey (2X)
From the bottom to the top
Racism's got to stop**

**Hey, hey, hey, hey (2X)
Don't stand back while people die
Black lives matter is our cry**

**Hey, hey, hey, hey (2X)
Defend the water, lend a hand
No pipelines on Native land**

**Hey, hey, hey, hey (2X)
From the sea to shining sea
Say no to white supremacy**

**Hey, hey, hey, hey (2X)
The bans and walls have got to go
From Palestine to Mexico**

**Hey, hey, hey, hey (2X)
Hard days are coming down the road
Agitate help lift the load**

**Hey, hey, hey, hey (2X)
Oppressing one's oppressing all
Liberation is our call**

**Hey hey hey hey (2X)
Nakba means catastrophe
Seventy years and still not free**

**Hey hey hey hey (2X)
Let them protest, hold up their keys
Right of return for refugees**

**Hey hey hey hey (2X)
Til all have freedom we'll persist
Defending *the* right to resist**

**Hey hey hey hey (2X)
In NYC we're gonna sing
'Til we hear that freedom ring**

**Hey hey hey hey (2X)
When you shop and when you dine
Stand up for Palestine**

**Hey hey hey hey (2X)
For liberation take a stand
Don't let Israel rebrand**

**Hey, hey, hey, hey (2X)
You can help Apartheid end
Just think before you spend**

**Hey, hey, hey, hey (2X)
Together we can turn the tide
No more whitewashing apartheid!**

**Hey hey hey hey (2X)
Bat-she-va is not benign
They help oppress in Palestine**

**Hey hey hey hey (2X)
Their pretty dances cannot hide
Israeli Apartheid**

**Hey, hey, hey, hey (2X)
Let's build a bridge, tear down a wall
'Til there's justice fo-or all**

**Hey hey hey hey (2X)
With BDS we're here to say
Free Palestine today**