It's What You Say

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If you wanta rock me, do it gently
Stroke me with style, don't beat me half to death
Just 'cause you got a big amplifier
That don't mean you always gotta crank it higher
It isn't how loud you play-it's what you say

It you wanta soul me don't get down too funky You get too low your message won't get through Tryin' to get the words is aggravatin' Especially when the singer ain't enunciatin' It isn't how loud you play-it's what you say

And if you wanta sing of love don't make it silly Tell it like you feel, but don't add nothin' else When the tour's over and you're home at last Squeeze your old lady, but make her last It isn't how loud you play-it's what you say