You Can't Always Get What You Want

The Rolling Stones

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And I went down to the demonstration To get my fair share of abuse Singing: We're gonna vent our frustration If we don't we're gonna blow a 50-amp fuse!

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I went down to the Chelsea drugstore
To get your prescription filled
I was standing in line with Mr. Jimmy
And man, did he look pretty ill
We decided that we would have a soda
My favorite flavor, cherry red
I sung my song to Mr. Jimmy
Yeah, and he said one word to me, and that was DEAD
I said to him

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But if you try sometimes you just might find
You get what you need
You get what you need, yeah, oh baby

I saw her today at the reception
In her glass was a bleeding man
She was practiced at the art of deception
Well I could tell by her blood stained hands

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