

the directors cut

she is hurt that they exclude her
she is lonely in her home
she is grieving for her family
she is worried she'll be gone
she is acting like she's labelled
she hates the thought that they have won

is she allowed to have these feelings?
is it okay to have these thoughts?

she knows she's really not that different
to the person who decides
she too wants a future and a hope
she too wants love and acceptance
she too wants to hold her head up high
she too wants to walk with purpose

they can't take away her thoughts
or stop her expressing her feelings

she sings

"I want to be me
will you let me be?"

"I don't need your approval
just to be me"

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