



Melvin Gradiz
"Every Little Thing"
single

Melvin Gradiz' opening entreaty to "Feel that breeze a-blowin', feel that sunlight on your skin" is also a survival tip these days, a reminder that (at least this time of year around here) the world hugs us with warmth to assure us everything's always alright in this harmonious solar system. The smoky-voiced, Miami-born, Portland R&B man knows you don't have to rent headspace to "all that noise and doubt," and "every little thing is paradise when you've got your peace." Amen!

- The Bollard