



I am who I am
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The first thing I did was make the dimensions of my work a perfect square (for Instagram purposes). After that, I copy/pasted my favorite line from the song and saw the word “we” multiple times. So I decided to make the word “we” huge, and everything else right next to it, so your eyes follow it and such. I used the typeface “A BIRTH OF A HERO” and “Aristotle Punk”, because I felt like those certain typefaces exploited the emotion I wanted the viewer to feel. As for the background, I went to patterns and accidentally made that, and but a black layer behind it, so it would look like it’s glowing. I used Alignment and centering to make it look nice, and added a black shadow-like object on the fore-ground.

So while I was listening to music, a heard my line. You know, the one line you ACTUALLY know in the song, so you scream it out, as if you own it. Yea. Pretty intense. Seeing as these are the only lyrics I actually knew, I decided to pick them. “We are who we are when we’re all going under”. To me, it means when we die, or in a near death experience we truly discover who we are and what we have to offer to the world. On the verge of death, is when we will be senlightened, and see all the things we want, could have gotten, and did get. And right there is when we are truly us. It’s when we see everything. We were born as one thing, and we die as that same thing, so deal with it~.