**Conflicted**

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Dedicated to my son Haroun, without you I wouldn't have slowed down. I’d still be out here Wreaking Havoc. Thanks for giving me a reason to pause before I react.

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**Demonstrating…**

**Open your eyes wide**

**See the heat outside**

**I stand on the block**

**Am I selling Rock?**

**You see the braids**

**And designer gear**

**Sooner or later**

**They’ll be having beers**

**You circle the block**

**While loading your Glock**

**Agitation starts to set in**

**Their all guilty as sin**

**Proof is what you need**

**Bodies is what prisons feed**

**What further proof do you need?**

**You jump out yelling Freeze**

**While the trigger gets squeezed**

**Feet beat the concrete**

**As we all retreat**

**Those whom you apprehend**

**20 hours they spend**

**You plead guilty to misdemeanors**

**After six their not misdemeanors**

**You become a convicted felon**

**In prison you’re now jailing**

**Misdemeanor charges of demonstrating**

**Legally their now procrastinating**

**When are you coming home?**

**What?**

**There ain’t no telling**

**Anonymous…**

**I’ll never forget that fateful day**

**When i heard his emotional tone**

**I was fresh out incarceration**

**Speaking to his kinfolk through phone**

**When i heard what transpired**

**Disbelief surged through my mortal shell**

**Terryl use to say “Folks Chill”**

**Though in truth, my fates Hell**

**I’ve never been connected to much**

**Though three of P.T’s showed love**

**For that I’m forever in debt**

**Until the grave my corpse is shoved**

**It won’t be long bitch nigga**

**I’ll be free from bondage soon**

**My ear stays to the streets**

**It’s me…**

**The Don’s hidden Goon**

**4th District…**

**Y’all some crooked ass hoes**

**Of this you already know**

**We were 3 urban blacks**

**Riding clean in a Lac**

**After pumping and paying for gas**

**Your unit we slowly rolled past**

**For a minute we were tailed**

**Until a right we clearly bailed**

**Parking on the lot becoming consumers**

**Racial profiling began**

**Fuck the rumors**

**Out of nowhere you jumped out**

**Opening the door snatching swoop out**

**His face met the hot hood**

**As i exited yelling what’s good**

**Get back in was the decree**

**Though i denied your silly decree**

**And instead i decided to flee**

**When caught i had no dope**

**In fetters the case became dope**

**I refused your bogus place case**

**Witnesses saw your racist filled face**

**That’s when you began your assault**

**Blaming me**

**It’s the niggers fault**

**You stopped knowing another was around**

**She coached me from the ground**

**I’ll never forget her angelic voice**

**Please don’t make the wrong choice**

**The struggle continues…**

**For hundreds of years**

**Our people were physically detained**

**Forced to endure inhumanly strains**

**To the everyday average individual**

**I’d wager such hardships would drive them insane**

**How would you feel**

**To be abducted**

**Then forced to claim an new name**

**It’s a shame the way this transpired**

**And all parties involved sidestepped any wrong doings**

**So who’s to blame**

**Families were torn apart**

**An the only thing to ease the pain**

**Was the hypnotizing soulful music**

**In unison they sang**

**Slavery ended thus was born segregation**

**Freedom was the word they used**

**In order to gain their confidence and cooperation**

**When slavery and segregation died**

**You were appalled to find they lied**

**You asked**

**Where’s my forty acres and a mule**

**Shit**

**You’d have a better chance of winning**

**A deadly Spanish duel**

**History repeats itself once more**

**Instead of southern plantations**

**We’re in jails and prisons**

**Nothing but modern day Indian reservations**

**When will we realize we’re no longer physically detained**

**It’s our mental capacity**

**That which they now have chained**

**Misconception…**

**When first glancing**

**Upon my mortal shell**

**People see evil**

**Or a lost soul**

**Someone who’s stuck**

**With no thoughts**

**Of attaining any goals**

**My hair, my golds**

**My skin complexion or tattoos**

**These are just a few reasons**

**Fathers list to their daughters**

**Explaining why I’m taboo**

**Look how he walks and talks**

**His mannerisms is much too untamed**

**Why does he act so proud**

**Shouldn’t he feel some level of shame**

**All the while**

**Whispering and casting evil looks**

**As if I’m to blame**

**Mainstream society**

**Has this same perception**

**Maybe this is why the vast majorities**

**Stuck with this ill-constructed**

**Misconception**

**Honesty…**

**How many people do you know**

**Whom speak and live the truth**

**This is something that’s**

**Supposedly installed when you’re**

**Still learning in the sensitive years**

**Better known as your youth**

**Most people i know**

**Would like to believe**

**They live along these guidelines**

**For those of you whom believe this**

**I’d consider morally blind**

**To me honesty is pure**

**At no time in it’s fluent motion**

**Should it procrastinate**

**Nor become unsure**

**After reading this can you honestly say**

**You fit the criteria**

**Sometimes leading a life such as this**

**Takes an unlimited amount of stamina**

**Don’t stress**

**I’m not making this out to be**

**Some sort of dilemma**

**I know you’re human**

**An not one of us are perfect**

**I just want you to realize**

**What you were unknowingly**

**Or sometimes knowingly**

**Starting to neglect**

**It’s the honesty**

**In your words or actions**

**That you’re needing to protect**

**Gray Skies…**

**While the thunder rolls**

**I feel an emptiness engulf my soul**

**Emotions cascade over my mind**

**Like the forgotten waterfalls**

**Deep within the jungle**

**Shadowy figures disappear and reappear**

**As i regretfully proceed**

**Through this emotional struggle**

**I move in constant circles**

**With no destination in mind**

**That’s how it seems**

**To the unsuspecting mind**

**When observing the hands of time**

**Some will say**

**I perceive life through tunnel vision**

**While others will agree**

**That its my greed**

**In which caused this division**

**Life’s plagued with despair and lies**

**This is where my essence resides**

**As i prepare to embrace**

**The unrelenting presents of**

**Gray Skies**

**P.O.W…**

**From the decaying city streets**

**To these decaying prison fleets**

**I remain trapped in chains**

**From chains of the mind**

**To chains of physical time**

**They continually inflict torturous pains**

**Ignorance continues to mislead brothers**

**Into delivering blows to each other**

**As the oppressor plots and plans**

**Working strenuous jobs for free**

**Under individuals without a degree**

**Segregations the price when denying demands**

**Cesspools of habitual homosexuality**

**Exchanged for noble mortality**

**It’s what’s being boldly incorporated**

**Visitation is monitored with scrutiny**

**Privileges expel thoughts of mutiny**

**As these jails become saturated**

**I’m the one who sees this**

**I’m the one who detest this**

**I’m the one who constantly stays true**

**I’m the one who seeks freedom**

**I’m the one who isn’t numb**

**I’m the one who’s imprisoned as you**

**I think you’re a lame…**

**Say playa**

**You don’t talk slick enough**

**I think you’re a lame**

**You don’t move grimy enough**

**I think you’re a lame**

**You don’t dress hip enough**

**I think you’re a lame**

**You don’t push enough product**

**I think you’re a lame**

**You don’t exert Ghetto Conduct**

**I think you’re a lame**

**You punch that time card**

**I think you’re a lame**

**You joined the National Guard**

**I think you’re a lame**

**You’re moving off the block**

**I think you’re a lame**

**You gave her a rock**

**I think you’re a lame**

**You decided to embrace mainstream**

**I think you’re a lame**

**You finally established your dream**

**I think you’re a lame**

**What’s your definition of a lame**

**Someone who’s in fact free from blame**

**These same lames feel your pain**

**They just ride a separate train**

**You habitually salt down their names**

**I believe you’re the true Lames**

**Stop snitching…**

**This goes out to my fellow criminals**

**Out there procreating havoc like seminoles**

**You receive thrills from seeing blood spill**

**Your habit fed through things you steal**

**Selling packs with dreams of being king**

**You mob not bowing down to anything**

**Life seems good when you’re on top**

**In time your ascent starts to drop**

**Your money begins to run dangerously low**

**That’s when you’re smitten with the blow**

**For months the state’s built its case**

**Due to your recent haste in pace**

**Boy, they stopped by here for you**

**Everybody’s seen your face on the news**

**About now you’re feeling that ghetto blues**

**Heard they caught you during a raid**

**Heard you’re saying that you got played**

**Heard the D.A. Came with a deal**

**Heard that’s when you started to squeal**

**Heard the Homie was found with birds**

**Player watch yourself, that’s my word**

**This life isn’t designed for us all**

**For those of you whom might fall**

**Don’t think prison’s like what’s on T.V.**

**You don’t have to believe in me**

**Keep your mouth shut and you’ll see**

**Characteristics of Ruben…**

**Instead of a dry well**

**They placed me in jail**

**You played the innocent role**

**While oppression took its toll**

**From one place unto another**

**They shipped this lone brother**

**You finally came back around**

**Though my soul wasn’t found**

**Conceived a well thought out plan**

**Telling lies about this man**

**Everyday i struggle to maintain**

**As the future becomes plain**

**Someday soon I’ll be free**

**That’s when all will see**

**What really happened to me**

**So try as you might**

**You won't win this fight**

**From that i take delight**

**It’s been two long years**

**I sense all your fears**

**How’s he going to react**

**Does he want some pay back**

**No**

**Not me I’m good**

**Though you know i should**

**I’ll handle it like Joseph**

**Forget trying to play tough**

**I don’t need any proof**

**I saw the hidden truth**

**You stole from my youth**

**Graduation Day…**

**They’re dressed wearing colorful robes**

**Walking the stage in droves**

**Hands except their earned Diploma**

**Success graces the airs aromas**

**Some receive accelerations in Academics**

**While others reached their limits**

**As students speak on aspirations**

**I suffer from mental lacerations**

**My growth was purposely stagnated**

**They claim my reasoning exaggerated**

**Well let’s examine the facts**

**I’ll expose their nonexistent tact**

**Thrust upon the advanced grade**

**Without knowledge of it’s trade**

**Rushing to expel this devil**

**I stayed behind a level**

**Aggravation caused my violent reaction**

**They devised a clever subtraction**

**Creating the known Behavior Disorder**

**Claiming it’s inception restored order**

**Classes purposely designed to impede**

**That’s why i didn’t succeed**

**Teachers wasn’t there to educate**

**They were there to suffocate**

**My stage was the court’s**

**My diploma was it’s reports**

**My higher education was prison**

**These are facts not suspicion**

**On how they executed division**

**Misplaced Hate…**

**You see me**

**And despise me**

**Yet you look**

**And feel just like me**

**States, city’s**

**Counties and blocks**

**We allow ignorance**

**To keep us on lock**

**Don’t come around here**

**Or relations**

**Bound to shed tears**

**They Come round here**

**And everyone**

**Runs hiding in fear**

**Catch you**

**Slap you**

**Molest you**

**Disrespect you**

**Nigga it’s fuck you**

**Though when angered**

**You lash out at those**

**Whom look just like you**

**Don’t you see**

**We’ve been groomed for years**

**This is what was planned**

**They created confusion**

**Causing us to lose focus**

**While unconsciously refusing to stand**

**What Cha Know About…**

**What cha know about**

**Frivolous conduct violations**

**What cha know about**

**Silly unwarranted sanctions**

**What cha know about**

**24-7 in solitary**

**What cha know about**

**Demoralization being voluntary**

**What cha know about**

**Chuck holes and food trays**

**What cha know about**

**Showers every five days**

**What cha know about**

**51 grams of fluoride**

**What cha know about**

**The weak committing suicide**

**What cha know about**

**Bias AD-SEG committees**

**What cha know about**

**Clowns for trustees**

**What cha know about**

**Rearranging a set mode**

**What cha know about**

**Riding a steal commode**

**What cha know about**

**Cell mates that explode**

**What cha know about**

**A declared medical emergency**

**What cha know about**

**Custody denying its urgency**

**Big Pimpin…**

**In this world everyone professes**

**To have the ultimate mouthpiece**

**But if you ask me**

**Everyone and everything**

**Is granted a limited time lease**

**You must read between the lines**

**If not**

**I guarantee you you’ll be the main trick**

**Reproducing for their breadlines**

**Your mind frame is of a lower caliber**

**Compared to that of a real pimp**

**Please don’t get offended**

**What you thought you were a pimp**

**Because every morning if you choose to**

**You’ll digest steak and shrimp**

**Trust me the game is weighed**

**On a much grander scale**

**Listen up**

**You best pay attention**

**Before the last boat sets sail**

**Truth be told**

**This game is tailor made**

**Not for you though**

**You’re just a flunky whom flaunts too much**

**Like a float in the parade**

**We’re nothing but a genetic experiment**

**Who’s the real pimps**

**Shit**

**Just ask your trusted Government**

**Blood in my eyes…**

**Since the conception of me**

**You walked around chest out proud**

**Not knowing the full ramifications**

**As time progressed**

**Your mental grew loud**

**Indifference and heartless**

**That’s what nourished this seed**

**As a youth caught the reflection**

**Of two eyes**

**From the present that continue to bleed**

**Covered in scars wounds and tats**

**Though people like me**

**Are never diagnosed with P.T.S.D.**

**Labeled borderline demented**

**Because i act in kind**

**Behind or outside closed doors**

**You embody the characteristics of Judas**

**Since a youngin**

**I sensed contempt oozing from your pores**

**It was coined**

**An apple doesn’t fall far from the tree**

**I guess I’m the one**

**That was lost in the tornados debris**

**Family…**

**To me family’s a sacred thing**

**Nothing nor anything**

**Should be able to penetrate**

**The love and nourishment**

**That it brings**

**It’s unity in an unblemished form**

**When disaster strikes**

**It quiets the offending object**

**Like the peaceful minutes**

**After a disturbing storm**

**It counsels you**

**When your thoughts become**

**Jumbled beyond recognition**

**It’s something that should be trusted**

**Without Any thoughts Of suspicion**

**And no one within**

**The confinement of this structure**

**Will speak nor act**

**The definition of the word fiction**

**When you physically become lost**

**It serves as the compass**

**To bring you back full circle**

**To your original location**

**All these things as listed above**

**Is my interpretation of family**

**And it’s unlimited dedication**

**Beauty…**

**To some beauty would be a substantial trait**

**Others would argue**

**And you’d believe it's because they were born to hate.**

**So you ask, what’s my opinion?**

**Close your eyes and open your ears**

**Because today I’m here to place the facts straight.**

**It’s not wrong to love something**

**Or want someone who puts your mind at ease**

**Or better yet**

**Raises your social level to one of prestige.**

**Let’s say you except something for face value**

**Now let's say you’ve gotten what it's worth**

**So why now are you screaming in vain**

**Claiming it's cursed?**

**And how could something so lovely yet so wicked**

**Be placed upon God's green earth?**

**Was it because you were entranced by its beauty?**

**Or was it because**

**You were simply trying to misuse thee?**

**Allow me to construct**

**The word beauty in a scientific sense**

**It doesn’t have to come from outer appearances**

**It could be glowing from within**

**That’s the type of characteristics**

**In which develops suspense.**

**You see**

**Things are not always what they seem**

**If you decide to investigate**

**You may realize an established dream**

**Love…**

**Could i perhaps have your attention**

**For just a brief moment**

**I would like to ask a few questions**

**On emotions and your involvement**

**How is it some spend a lifetime**

**Trying to meet then greet you**

**While at the same time others**

**Deceptively misuse and abuse you**

**To the unwise you seem**

**Like a double edged sword**

**To the timid you cause emotional bruises**

**Like the child**

**Whom gets abused with a phone cord**

**In mythology your placed in high regards**

**In the real world**

**You’re of low standing**

**So there’s quite a few**

**Their thoughts of you**

**They choose to disregard**

**Although to some**

**You’re as pure as twilights untouched snow**

**For this reason**

**The latter’s whom I’d love to know**

**DAWN…**

**As the air touches my shadowy existence**

**I brace myself for things unknown**

**My eyes register the beginning of virgin skies**

**Though my mind perceives its ugliness**

**That has yet to be shown**

**While the satin night slowly recedes**

**I hear numerous soul piercing cries**

**Causing the heart to bleed**

**They claim vampires are but a myth**

**Though i see what's left after they feed**

**My being inhales the morning dew**

**I wonder**

**Does anyone see as i do**

**Everyone around me goes**

**His or her own way**

**Collecting shattered pieces left in disarray**

**I feel what they feel**

**As my heart turns cold as steel**

**Back to looking at precious dawn skies**

**Is a lunatic really insane**

**Or are they just misunderstood**

**With no way of channeling**

**Their heartache and pain**

**Dawn**

**You’re supposed to be**

**The beginning of something renewed**

**So how is it**

**I see the remains of things**

**Depleted and misused**

**Relationship…**

**Excuse me**

**I don’t mean**

**To interrupt your daily routine**

**Nor do i wish**

**To cause a disruptive scene**

**Could I perhaps entice you**

**Into donating some of your precious time**

**I’d just like to share something**

**That’s been weighing heavily upon my mind**

**How is it people say they care**

**But when the road becomes rugged**

**They disappear and leave you**

**In a state of despair**

**This wasn’t what relationships**

**Was designed to become**

**That’s for distrustful people**

**Who’s emotions forever remain numb**

**In a real relationship**

**If temperature rise**

**To an unneeded degree**

**It would quickly be cooled**

**By the sun rises**

**Condensation filled breeze**

**Deeply rooted relationships**

**Are suppose to forever remain beautiful**

**Like the multi-colored sunset**

**As it starts to unfold**

**Or like the day god created woman**

**And to his angels**

**He spoke by first saying behold**

**The perfect stranger…**

**From the very first day**

**I watched your every move**

**There was something about you**

**And the way you grooved**

**I began taking mental notes**

**Just to learn your ways**

**Though I found this foolish**

**Years couldn’t explain the days**

**Once feeling watched wasn’t enough,**

**I respectfully asked your name**

**You responded then pressed on**

**Believing I was running game**

**Waiting for the next day**

**I approached you once more**

**You granted a small break**

**Realized within there’s something more**

**Days became filled with conversation**

**As we both exchanged minds**

**Daily the thought grows stronger**

**That you’re a rare find**

**Not wanting to lose you**

**I reach deep down inside**

**Searching for the true me**

**Who has nothing to hide**

**Forever Mine…**

**The world’s my royal domain**

**That’s God’s promise to me**

**I’ve named all his creatures**

**Of land and of sea**

**Faithfully I tend his design**

**Though my hearts become heavy**

**At night I sit alone**

**As tears overflow the levy**

**Knowledgeable in all I conceal**

**God granted me peaceful sleep**

**During that time I dreamed**

**Of compassion that runs deep**

**Feeling it’s warmth I stir**

**And awake to unfamiliar sound**

**Upon location my breath caught**

**At the beauty I’ve found**

**There laying by my side**

**Was something constructed of me**

**I gently touched it’s flesh**

**Wondering what it could be**

**That’s when you slowly arose**

**Telling me your blessed name**

**I knew from then on**

**Nothing would be the same**

**While praying to the creator**

**He assures that everything’s fine**

**So I pull you closer**

**Knowing forever you’ll be mine**

**Brighter days…**

**As Cupid’s wings**

**Disturb the clouds in the sky**

**In search of a couple**

**With a twinkle of love in their eyes**

**An unsuspecting pair**

**Continues the motions of days**

**Praying for a change**

**But only greeting impossible delays**

**Anymore all they see**

**Is heartache and pain**

**As they lay in cold beds**

**Listening to the emotional rains**

**Hugging their pillows embracing**

**The warmth of something near**

**They hear a faint voice whisper**

**Have no fear**

**For love is near**

**They both close their eyes**

**Until the night becomes morning skies**

**Only to wake up feeling**

**They’ve been told two terrible lies**

**An unsuspecting pair**

**Continues the motions of days**

**Praying for a change**

**But only greeting impossible delays**

**As noon touches the sky**

**Their both blinded by the suns rays**

**Their courses collide**

**Thus the beginning of brighter days**

**Happiness…**

**Your smile glows**

**Like the lighthouse**

**On the seas distant horizon**

**Your silky smooth words**

**Separates my carefully placed faceCade**

**Like the midnight sky**

**Upon the arrival**

**Of the morning sun**

**All at once**

**A thought crosses my mind**

**Is this the one**

**Your touch feels like that of a satin sheet**

**Sliding amongst naked skin**

**Unlocking all sexual sensations**

**My body traps within**

**Your eyes twinkle like the stars**

**On a summers crisp night**

**There’s something about**

**Your essences presence**

**That makes this union seem right**

**Your mind is refreshing**

**Like a walk**

**Through a flowered garden**

**On a misty spring day**

**I’ve got one thing to say**

**It’s the happiness you bring**

**Which makes me feel this way**

**Stan Hall…**

**Man homie i miss you**

**The Missouri department of corrections**

**Savagely condemned and killed you**

**You were young when convicted**

**Transferred to a level five**

**Where your demise was predicted**

**There is where you resided**

**Kept healthy until that day**

**When your soul was divided**

**They called you a murderer**

**While injecting the potent fluid**

**We know the real murders**

**Saying eye for an eye**

**And tooth for a tooth**

**Why constantly use this lie**

**Excuses from the Bible**

**Is this a sick joke**

**You’re pointing towards the Bible**

**Read the scriptures of Matthew**

**You can’t disguise the truth**

**Nor your crookedly applied virtues**

**The carnal shell isn’t perfection**

**Abolish the criminal lethal injection**

**Executed time over without hesitation**

**Or face retribution during resurrection**

**Misguided…**

**News trickled down the pipeline**

**You stare in disbelief**

**At the same time crushed with grief**

**No thoughts of peeping the bylines**

**Placing numerous calls**

**Within minutes souls ready to ride**

**Navigating bent on destruction**

**Minds chemically induced**

**All parties mirror the same function**

**Familiar sounds disrupt nature's tranquility**

**Acts perpetrated to the best of their abilities**

**Unknowingly shattered was ones stability**

**Yellow tape and reports of a fatality**

**Don’t smile yet**

**Because here’s the truth behind reality**

**While flesh scattered and hid**

**You struck the wrong soul**

**That casualty was an unsuspecting kid**

**My wife and I…**

**When I first laid eyes upon**

**Your beautifully constructed flesh**

**I knew then it was you**

**I had to eternally embrace**

**It’s your forms outline**

**In the wee hours of the morning**

**My fingers lovingly trace**

**Our beings unite as one**

**While taking a leisure stroll**

**Through the sunlit park**

**It’s you whom i undress**

**Through the midnight hours**

**Better known as dark**

**When troubled you sing to me**

**Your heartfelt notes always ring true**

**I've got to keep it real with you**

**Not too many individuals**

**Could come close**

**To touching my heart as you do**

**We never fuss nor fight**

**Your smile remains pleasingly bright**

**No matter morning or night**

**Because of this**

**While in your warm embrace**

**I will forever squeeze tight**

**We constantly defend each others honor**

**Rather right or wrong**

**Because of this i know our unity**

**Will perpetually stay strong**

**Treacherous Ties…**

**It be he**

**Who sees the potential in me**

**That would rather do me**

**Than assist me**

**Here’s what i see**

**Many people I’ve greeted in Time**

**Most when i didn’t have a dime**

**Many where willing to bathe in crime**

**So a bond was made**

**Though greed caused that bond to fade**

**I sensed the evil aura that surrounds you**

**In reality**

**I should of left you where i found you**

**Though i continued to walk that deadly road**

**Knowing in my mind**

**That at any second our bond could explode!**

**Mental note...**

**I’ve shown my ass**

**And hustled with the worst**

**I’ve laughed and joked**

**While others died from thirst**

**I’m still selfish now**

**As orphans watery eyes burst**

**Eyes overlook all blessings**

**Stomach hungers for much more**

**Forever focused on money**

**Like the scantily clad whore**

**What I’ve said**

**Probably made you wince**

**Like rubbing an open sore**

**I think it’s been past time**

**I stopped doing Satan's chore.**

**Ill logic part 1…**

**I re-emerged from the institute**

**With thoughts of doing good deeds**

**P.O’s constantly bird-dogging every step**

**Praying this tortured soul doesn’t succeed**

**Employment seems too far fetched**

**It’s the repercussions of this regression**

**My inter self’s fighting for control**

**To birth my demonic beings resurrection**

**Voices encourage me to indulge**

**In and with all street dreams**

**A hand caresses my soul**

**Whispering...**

**All isn’t what it seems!**

**Ill logic part 2…**

**I’m fatigued when night falls**

**Sleeps disrupted with waves of perspiration**

**I glance toward my folks**

**Shit**

**In rushes clouds of desperation**

**Money’s becoming scares around here**

**My prides pierced with hollow projectiles**

**Boiling veins become ice cold**

**Causing the rise of hell’s reptile**

**I feed on weak souls**

**Dragging them into lucifer's dark abyss**

**Leveling this steel laced frame**

**Sparks expose thoughts your mouth missed**

**Damn**

**Why did i surrender**

**Surveillance caught every sick twisted motion**

**It’s true what they say**

**Everybody succumbs to lust filled devotion!**

**Unforgiven…**

**You’ve crossed a fine line**

**That’s more transparent**

**Than that of the border**

**You as well as i know**

**It’ll take a lot more than an apology**

**To restore this chaos**

**Back to its original order**

**The foundation we have built**

**Has been purposely shifted**

**Like the sand of the beach**

**I feel like you have drained**

**Some of my life’s blood**

**As if you were closely related**

**to the sluggishly built leach**

**Nothing could uplift this stain**

**You’ve placed upon this relation**

**Not even Clorox’s bleach**

**If we were to be in office**

**Your actions would undoubtedly**

**Get us both impeached**

**How could you betray**

**My carefully placed trust**

**It’s as if you were always**

**Unstable and willing to break away**

**Like the corroded brown colored decay**

**We all call it rust!**

**Focus…**

**It doesn’t matter**

**If what i say**

**You choose to believe**

**I know in my minds eye**

**There’s a goal**

**I’m struggling to achieve**

**From time to time**

**I may stumble and fall**

**Though in the end**

**When my persistence wins**

**It’ll be me that stands tall!**

**Survival…**

**I use to think survival meant**

**Who struck or reacted first**

**Now with a mature mind**

**I see that thoughts such as these**

**Will no doubt**

**Leave a individual cursed**

**How many times**

**Have you continually turned down**

**The wrong path**

**How many times**

**Have you seen someone’s downfalls**

**And felt the impulse to laugh**

**Me**

**I can use the word numerous**

**Just to let you in**

**On something that isn’t so secret**

**The harsh realities of survival**

**Isn’t so humorous**

**It takes a strong backbone**

**And a determined**

**But judgmental mind**

**These are the only methods to use**

**In which to attain the award**

**At the end of the jungle**

**You will surely find!**

**True crime…**

**Everyday i feel like**

**A part of me is dying**

**Because ones silence hurts more**

**Than if they were lying**

**I feel like I’m left alone**

**To journey this dark and lonely path**

**A path that most soldiers take**

**Knowing their mortal shell**

**Is never to return**

**For this my heart and soul burns**

**Slowly withering away**

**As each day passes**

**I’m steady having visions**

**Of myself in its youth**

**A time when blood**

**Was honest with one another**

**And never strayed far from truth**

**Then i flip back**

**To life as it is now**

**That’s when i stop**

**Then think**

**And ask myself how!**

**Listen closely…**

**Within your eyes lyes**

**Ties of unquestionable desire**

**Misuse impedes the need**

**To feed its supplier**

**Long distance yet persistence**

**Melts resistance with fire**

**Minds walk with talk**

**As chalk details relations**

**Hearts blind though finds**

**The mind sparking hesitations**

**Past tears built fears**

**Of peers concerning foundations**

**Warm holds turned cold**

**After told of deception**

**I've explained the stain**

**Of pain and rejection**

**I hear your tears**

**With years of reception**

**My embrace is laced**

**With tastes of protection!**

**Pitch black…**

**I see nothing nor no one**

**As i feel nothing or no one**

**Though when spotted**

**Everyone wants this one**

**I now prefer isolation**

**So i retreat from others**

**I despise their embrace**

**Because I feel somewhat smothered!**

**Solitary…**

**While i sit in my single man cell**

**My mind takes a glimpse**

**At the gates of hell**

**Where I’m sure to go**

**If i don’t correct**

**My misguided ways**

**I hear the pain is**

**Unbearable and non-stop**

**With no signs of delays**

**As of right now**

**Depressions my best friend**

**It feeds my mind images**

**Of demented thoughts**

**That i feel will never end**

**Every night i pray**

**To the lord and his angels**

**For some way to escape**

**The troubles my actions created**

**Although when i open my eyes**

**This room laced**

**With steel and cement walls**

**Grasps my joy and hope**

**And all at once**

**They both become deflated!**

**Pain…**

**I can feel it there’s no need to explain**

**Just tell me what’s needed**

**To uplift this unwanted strain**

**I’m here no matter how hard pressed**

**The situation may seem**

**Together we can mend what’s been ripped**

**Just expose the offending seam**

**Please don’t withdraw**

**These words expressed are sincerely genuine**

**Grant me the chance and I’ll gladly be**

**What’s currently missing**

**To strengthen your spine**

**Don’t draw off former relations**

**It’s not the past but the present**

**Situations we’re both facing**

**Pain is what’s felt**

**When it’s time for individuals to excel**

**So step forward with me to a place**

**Where the elements are no longer**

**Polluted nor stale**

**Rest easy i will always be near**

**Like the box of quilted tissue**

**Used to delete**

**All visible signs of escaped tears!**

**Life…**

**Where to begin**

**There’s so many twist and turns**

**I’m just the average intellectual being**

**The astounding mysteries of this topic**

**Scientific scholars are still trying to learn**

**To me the birth of a soul**

**Into its body**

**Known as its host**

**Delivered from the higher being**

**Is an unrepeatable gift**

**That should be**

**Respected with the utmost**

**I can’t honestly say**

**I believe in reincarnation**

**Although i do believe in fate**

**So be careful in everything you do**

**Because life isn’t insured a rebate**

**There’s so many things**

**We as a people tend to overlook**

**Until someone deeply cherished**

**Near to our souls**

**Has been unexpectedly took**

**Before you go**

**Make sure all humanly quarrels**

**Get expelled and deceased**

**Who wants to be in the spirit world**

**Being plagued by humanly troubles**

**When you’re supposed to be at peace!**

**ALONE…**

**I hear the echoes**

**Of my fallen footsteps**

**As if i was in**

**An empty corridor**

**I then stopped**

**In order to execute a 360 degree turn**

**It was emotional numbness**

**That took over**

**Once my mind registered**

**The surrounding of that turn**

**I saw unknown faces**

**Exposing practiced smiles**

**Upon seeing those smiles**

**I realized it was the repercussions**

**Of my emotions lost trials**

**My lips formulated the words**

**Whom among these individuals**

**Shall I trust?**

**My mind responded**

**Not a one**

**Their devotions are unreliable**

**Like the winds scattered dust**

**Will i forever be alone**

**Like the decaying remains**

**Within a coffin**

**That has been reduced to bone**

**My heart likes to rationalize**

**So it believes otherwise**

**That’s why my mind works overtime**

**Trying to separate the real**

**From the ones**

**Dressed in disguise**

**Until I’m set free**

**From this emotional built prison**

**I’m left alone**

**This is fact**

**Not my decision!**

**‘1945’**

**1945 was suppose to be**

**The inception of world peace**

**Many countries formed a bond**

**Claiming the wars would cease**

**A deliberate united front**

**That’s all it was**

**Let me tell you**

**What the U.N. Does**

**Murder, maim, and rape**

**Land, people and souls**

**You think they care**

**They’ve sold their souls**

**There’s no true justice**

**In the U.N.’s politics**

**Greedy beady eyed tyrants**

**With characteristics of tricks**

**From the year 1945**

**To what's before your eyes**

**A monstrosity still survives**

**Will they ever divide**

**I wonder how long**

**They’ll continue to thrive**

**My Past…**

**I’m striving to live right**

**But as the days progress**

**Life doesn’t seem too bright**

**Everyone says bro calm down**

**But your life isn’t mine**

**Where everyday something goes down**

**My past always comes back**

**Like roaches after you spray**

**My past stabs my back**

**Like relatives gone off crack**

**Damn…**

**Woke up this morning**

**Feeling like the walls were closing in**

**That’s when i got a call from a friend**

**He told me**

**Damn homie**

**We lost another friend**

**I stood frozen**

**While the world continues to spin**

**Wondering why we live in sin**

**Makes me wonder**

**When someone will bring about my end**

**Hey you…**

**Can you see**

**What’s going on around thee**

**People aim to be**

**What God didn’t intend them to be**

**It’s plain to see**

**But you can’t see**

**You’re suffering from disease**

**Forever lost in this ghettos crimson sea**

**Promise…**

**Promise is a delicate word**

**When uttered**

**It isn’t supposed to be broken**

**Just watch how**

**Ones eyes light up**

**When the word promise**

**Has finally been spoken**

**Promise means your actions**

**Will follow through**

**With whatever you say**

**It’s meant to be everlasting**

**That’s why it should**

**Never be used in play**

**Promises meaning alone**

**Is held dear**

**To a cherished ones heart**

**So if you decide**

**To use this word**

**Be prepared to**

**Forever live the part**

**I’ve one last thing**

**To say in promises behalf**

**Make sure to add**

**A touch of love and tenderness**

**For the children**

**As well as your better half**

**As the dust settles…**

**On the city’s misty streets**

**I exhale the smoke**

**Without thoughts of being discreet**

**Hearing the impact of twisted metal**

**My mind registers the distant reports**

**I slide from driver to passenger**

**As my mind causes my face to contort**

**Caressing my counterpart**

**I carelessly return rage bottled within**

**Just as I thought**

**Silhouettes of cowards fade in the wind**

**A quarter century**

**That’s what was place along its side**

**Yet here this soul stands**

**Replenishing without thoughts to hide**

**I’m dipped in crimson**

**But not from well place accuracy**

**I know it’s a little unnerving**

**Maybe even a tad bit disturbing**

**That I’m embraced by your faculty**

**You retreated in panic**

**Knowing this demons heart beats**

**Wondering when it’s your turn**

**To become a casualty**

**Black on black crime…**

**I have no qualms**

**About being on the evening news**

**Just so you know**

**It won’t be my folks singing the blues**

**You say black on black crime**

**I’d say translation was lost in time**

**Choose the words you use to define**

**Genocides what rings in my mind**

**Stardust…**

**I was Born in a timeline**

**Defined by the mind's eye**

**There’s others fashioned like me**

**Though they’re silenced by medical highs**

**Life Is depicted by race and creed**

**While propaganda’s planted by news feeds**

**Cultivation is needed in order to rise**

**I’m built for exposing habitual lies**

**This is a message for those who know**

**It’s me**

**The one you fear**

**A Indigo**

**Fallen Star…**

**Through the ruins of the Ghetto**

**There rose a prolific shining star**

**Glowing bright through the cities smog**

**Showing everyone dreams aren't that far**

**When one undergoes duress look above**

**Truths what's revealed every time one gazes**

**Though most chose not to adhere**

**So their forced to navigate Mazes**

**Conflicted…**

**I never knew your age**

**Until I received the discovery**

**Around the same time**

**My old dude was faking recovery**

**Blood isn’t Blood anymore**

**They say it’s thicker than water**

**Though I’ve watched it**

**Utilized to erase after a slaughter**

**Y’all fingered me for remains**

**Because I kept steel in palms**

**I’ve lost years in fetters**

**Rolling Top menthol in Psalms**

**Yet arose from the ashes**

**Surrounded by murder and mayhem**

**y’all still criticize and critique**

**spouting rhetoric from Bethlehem**

**As the years progress**

**My son continues to grow**

**Y’all watch from a distance**

**My experiences he’ll never know**