What We Do (feat. JAY-Z & Beanie Sigel)

Freeway

Man, if I get rocked, this shit for my kids, nigga
It's that real shitEven though what we do is wrongWe still hustle 'til the sun come up
Crack a 40 when the sun go down

It's a cold winter, y'all niggaz better bundle up

An' I bet it be a hotter summer, grab a onionYes, the ROC gets down, you hot now, listen up

Don't you know cops' whole purpose is to lock us down?

An' throw away the key, but without this drug shit

Your kids ain't got no way to eatWe still try to keep Mom smilin'

'Cuz when the teeth stop showin'

An' the stomach start growlin', then the heat start flowin'

If you from the hood, I know you feel me, keep goin'

If a sneak start leanin' an' the heat stop workin'

Then my heat start workin', I'ma rob me a person

Catch a nigga sleepin' while he out in the open

An' I'ma get him, keep flowin'We gotta raise our kids while we livin'

Make a million off a record, bail my niggaz outta prison

Fuck a Bentley or a Lexus, just my boys in the squadder

Nigga talk reckless, then I hit 'em with the Smif an'But I'm never snitchin', I'm a rider If my kids hungry, snatch the dishes out ya kitchen

I'll be wylin' til they pick me outta line upWe keep the nines tucked, chopped dimes up, rap about it

Wyle out, fuck niggaz up, laugh about it

I'm not tryin' to visit the morgue

But Freeway move out 'til I sit with the Lord'Til I get my shit together, clean up my sins Freeway got it in like 10 in the mornin'

An' I can get it to ya like 10 while you yawnin', man

Still deliver the order, man

An' I ain't talkin' 'bout chicken an' gravy, man

I'm talkin' 'bout bricks 'o ye yo, halves an' quarters

4 an' a halves of hash, you do the mathSwing past us, scoop up your daughter

She wanna roll wit' a thug that rap, you do the math

He won't blast 'til my stacks in orderMan, lemme get 'em Free

Hove never slackin', man, zippin' in the black Range

Faster than the red ghost, gettin' ghost wit' Pac, man

One time, know a got a knack to get that change

Leader of the black gang, ROC, manBang like T-Mac, ski mask, air it out

Gotta kill witnesses 'cause Free's beard's stickin' out

Y'all don't want no witness shit, we squeeze hammers, man

Bullets breeze by you, like Louisiana, manBut I gotta feed Tianna, man

So I move keys, you can call me the Piano Man

Rain, sleet, hail, snow, man

Slang dough, E, hydro, manKnow B. Sige in the third lane

Gramps still prayin', workin' on my nerves, man
Like, "Son you gotta get your soul clean
Before they blow them horns like Coltrane"But still I cry tears of a hustler
Wipe tears from my mother, pull out beers for her brothers
That's above us, make beds for the babies
Tuck kids under covers, buy cribs for their mothersShit, I'll probably be wylin' with their fathers
Tell Ms. Robert, tell Enijah that I'm ridin' for her father
That's like my brother, like same mother, different father
Any problems? Dog, know I got 'emAn' still we grind from the bottom
Just to make it to the bottom, sold crack in the alleyways
Still gave back Marcy 'A Dollar Day'
Real gangstas make hood holidaysThey ain't thank us but we still paid homage, man
Soul Food Sunday, lookin' like Big Momma's, man
Tell the gang I never break my promise, man, manEven though what we do is wrong
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