

# Work Everyday

## Brother Ali

Damn, man. Im broker than an old VCR, man. I need a job. Are they hiring at your  
Job? I got a stack of red bills at my house. It looks like Valentines Day at the crib. My  
Kids are eating left-over leftovers, man. I cant fool them no more. Its job time  
Got to work every day  
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My God theres got to be more to life than this  
Theres got to be a bigger reason that I exist  
Work to eat to earn my keep  
To ensure somewhere to sleep and spend the weekend buying shit  
Dont need economists to know I need pot to piss  
Follow politics man I aint got time to think  
What I got to set aside for my retirement  
Cop a double shift pay somebody to watch the kids  
Sick of all this but cant take an off day  
Doctors office I cant swing the co pay  
Trapped in a network luck just to get work  
They celebrate every week nobody gets hurt  
Greed could never leave well enough alone  
They keep on squeezing till we bleed from every bone  
And well strive hard and stress about the rent  
Probably still die poor and in debt without a cent but  
I guess Ill carry my ass down to the county and see what theyre talking about. But  
You know they treat you like you shot somebody just because you need a little help  
Youre telling my you aint never been down on your luck  
Never tried to make them ends meet but just got stuck  
Never slaved at a gig like a bum with a cup  
Added all your pennies up and you still aint had enough  
And the jobs full up they aint hiring  
Im barely surviving not enough to get by with  
Hunger is a constant problem stomach steady growling  
People getting shot in my environment  
Study go to college is what them people hollering  
Too many road blocks in the way its not an option  
To say that its impossible I would be lying  
But you aint got a chance if youre not up in that top ten  
A couple got a scholarship but I am not them  
Aint got the skills to pay the bills so my pockets are thin  
So until I cop a gig and my hardship ends  
Fixing to line my self up at your welfare office again

And I expect to be accepted as the man that I am  
Respectfully and appreciatively Maam  
God damn you must be out of your mind  
Do you see this Tea Party stuff, man? Them people look broke their damn self. Are  
People stressing heres the question  
How they get people drinking tea in a recession  
Its deception how absurd is this  
How are so many poor people conservative  
A pro artist I put it in the good music  
A con artist jobs to make you look stupid  
Lookie here Ill teach you how to look trough it  
First thing you need to know every con got a hook to it  
They seduce you with a little wealth  
Say you could have some of these crumbs for yourself  
If the government doesnt make us help anyone else  
You stuck a red sign on your foreclosed house  
Make you think youre taking back your nation  
Then they turn it over to a major corporation  
Those companies took the jobs overseas  
And you handed them the wallet out your pocket for free  
Youre staring in the sky with dollar signs for eyes  
The blind right wing of a bird that cant fly  
Just a peacock with a poked out gut  
Whos too fat to fly so his ass just strut but  
Theyre so criminal minded weve been blinded  
Looking for an honest job and cant find it  
They got a job bill we got a light bill  
If we dont pay ours our life is quite real

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