

The Pj's

Wyclef Jean

PJ's

I was born in the PJ's

So I gotta rep for the PJ's

The elevators with the pissy hallways

Bangin' on the project walls all day Yo, if it wasn't for the PJ's, y'all probably never heard of me

Y'all be like, "Who the hell is Wyclef and what's a Fugee?"

I'd probably be standin' on a corner, watch you approach

Steal ya dope, sell ya coke, then snatch ya rope

Run for brokes with the cash and the jewels

Bows eye, I hold my breath when I shoot

The reason you should hold ya breath 'cuz most thugs

When they breathe and shoot tecs, they aim right but shoot left Now they flesh being swept off the surface

If you ain't B.I.G, you ain't Notorious

So why ya man reckless, side-ballin' like he holdin' heat

Someone bring him a bed for the permanent sleep

Weight beneath Jacob's Latter and the Aftermath

Don't matter if you use a desert eagle as your armor

Blood splatter, glass shatter through the project slums

Another one in the obituary column, son PJ's

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The PJ's, PJ's Before I was signed, I used to move on the block

All I wanted to do was rhyme, rhyme, rhyme

Line for line, I make the blind man walk in a straight line to prison

And take a message to Shyne

Peace, God from the PJ's to Ground Zero

It's a "Hard knock Life" but "The Sun'll Come Out Tomorrow"

Walk with a shadow through ghettos playin' in every borough

You would think rap was rock, the way I carry heavy metall It such a shame, cocaine in ya veins, screamin'

"Team Spirit"

Grippin' the shottie like Kurt Cobain

In the projects God, nuttin' come easy

Gotta deal with the grimy, greasy, the sleazy

Move like a professional, young thug funeral

Wattchu thought this was another Pepsi commercial?
 Nah, it's the art of war, when you least expected it
 Wyclef the president, the PJ's elected himPJ's
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 The PJ's, PJ'sYeah and to the teachers that said I wouldn't live
 My remains would be found under the Verizano Bridge
 Well I'm alive teacher, so put ya theory to rest
 I ain't Makaveli but I might fake my death
 Make no mistake, I'm a hip-hop artist
 Before the diamond in the Billboard, the hood charted it
 Suburbia bought it, we bootlegged it, we couldn't afford it
 'Cuz in the PJ's, we underground like black marketsThe 'P' stand for public housing
 The 'R's for respect that ya get when ya hold down ya set
 The 'O's for ounces that we flip into ki's
 The 'J's for the judgment handed by the jury
 The 'E' is for enter at your own risk
 You know the 'C', that's for the cats that's out to get rich
 And the 'T', trust no one
 And the 'S' for the snitchers you know the outcomePJ's
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 The PJ's, PJ'sEveryone wants to be a cowboy, [Incomprehensible] at gunpoint
 45 by my side do he live
 [Incomprehensible]

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