Intro

Lupe Fiasco

Food and liquor stores rest on every corner From 45th and State to the last standin hymn Nuhana

J&J's, pale chicken, good finger lickin

While they sin, gin, sin, sin at Rothschild and Lynnwood LiquorsThe winos crooked stagger meets the high stride of the youth

Searchin for the truth

They rebel and raise hell across alleyways

And in classroom settings They get high off that drum bass and 20/20 rims

They rock braids, Air Force Ones and Timbs

They drink Hennessy, Hypnotiq and 40's

They call they women hoes, bust downs and shawties They keep funeral homes in business

And gunshot wards of hospitals full

Prisons packed, bubblin over in brown sugar

They keep empty, Westside lots crowded, hype's powderedThe well is runnin dry, the days of Malcolm and

Martin have ended

Our hope has descended and us to the side

Waitin for the re-installment of the revolution

Because we are dyin at the cost of our own pollutionBut God has another solution that has evolved from the

hood

I present the one who turns, the Fiasco to goodA'uzu billahi min ash shaitani r rajimi

Bismi 'llahi 'r-rahmani 'r-rahim

Its dedicated to my grandmother

Peace and much love to youYeah, and it start

1st and 15 proudly present, you know what it is

See I got this philosophy right

I think the world and everything in it is made up of a mix of two things You got your good, you know and your

bad

You got your food and your liquor, that's right, chilly chill

You already know, it's a long time cominI give you my, I give you my heart, my soul

My mind, my thoughts, my feelings, my experience

Nothin more, and nothin less

Yes, FNF, uh huh, so with no further adieu

Lupe Fiasco's Food and Liquor

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