N Da Closet

Coolio

5:30 in the morning and I haven't been to sleep A pair of raggedly ass Pro Wings on my feet Ten dollars in my pocket and now I'm on the creep To the double up spot 'cos the shit is comin' cheap It's 1984 and the rocks is all fat Southern California L.A. is where it's at I'm smokin' like a motherfuckin' choo choo train Big cocaine inside my brain aah But nobody knows that I'm on the hype Use to be in cream well now I hit the pipe Face sucked in, yellow tooth grin No bitches, no friends, no ends to spend I'm stuck like a rat in a sticky ass trap And I sold everything but my motherfuckin' gat I got a habit like a rabbit and I wanna stop it But I can't 'cos I'm locked n da closet Oh make me wanna holler, right into my life Oh make me wanna holler, right into my life Oh make me wanna holler, right into my life Listen homey No rehabilitation, no wantin' to talk to Doin' crimes on every fuckin' place I can walk to I still get props in the hood when I stroll by 'Cos niggas don't know that I'm smokin' like Popeye Mama's in the kitchen cookin' rice Daddy's in the pen doin' life Sister gotta husband, she's a wife And I'm in the backyard hittin' the pipe It's been three or four months since I started usin' It's a uphill battle and now I know I'm losin' I go to the spots where my face ain't familiar And I cook here jack 'cos I don't know these niggas I'm livin' like a peasant and it ain't pleasant I think I need to change my direction I got the five dollar piece now I'm all in the carpet In the dark 'cos I'm locked n da closet Someone's knockin' at the door, somebody's ringin' a bell Somebody's locked n da closet, somebody's goin' to hell

Do me a favor, open the door and let 'em have it

Ooh, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah One year done passed and now I'm lookin' dusty Disgusted because my own mama don't trust me My sister's on the trip 'cos she knows I'm on the hit And I can't take this shit There's a rumor goin' round that I'm puffin heavily And my neighbors is lookin' at me crazy, G I guess they figured out that I broke in they house And stole all they shit while they was out My sister told my aunt and my aunt told Pam And Pam let it slip to that bitch Roxanne Roxanne told Bill and Bill told Duke Now the whole hood knows that I play the flute But before I lost my respect I didda lick your dumb ass on a jet, shit Now I'm back to life, yeah I'm back to reality Ain't no side effects or technicalities

There's one thing about it when your life is fucked
At the bottom the only way to go is up, aah
No more cocaine bitches

I kick the door off the motherfuckin' hinges, I'm out the closet Someone's knockin' at the door, somebody's ringin' a bell Somebody's locked n da closet, somebody's goin' to hell Do me a favor, open the door and let 'em have it

And let 'em have it

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