

Long Live the Chief

Jidenna

[Hook]

Niggas fighting over rings
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For a li' ol' thang lil' boys bang bang
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Now watch pretty mama while I slang my cane
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Uh[Verse] 1

Cockroaches and the rat shit

Hand me downs with the patches

Mama put a little money in the mattress

Taught me how to make a silver spoon out of plastic

You can either sink, swim or be the captain

Get the last word Ima get the last laugh in

Now they say "Jidenna why you dressing so classic?"

I don't want my best dressed day in a casket

You can either lead, follow or get out the way

Make a fuckin' move it would make my fuckin' day

Got a 100 year plan you jus' think about today

Always been about time more than been about pay
Can't rump with me

Usain couldn't run with me

Chief come to find you

You don't come for me

At best you can run a lil' company

Nigga at worst, I could run the whole country

Thats right - pimp game like a brothel

Thats why - I don't judge a niggas hustle

I AirBnB the crib like a hostel

Summer rate cheaper because the streets get hostile

Shaka boy, this fire from Mojave boy

So no I won't record for your homie boy

I turn the party out like a naughty toy

Then I go and hide in plain sight like a lobby boy

Yessuh, that's Jidenna on the banner

Ridin' for my niggas gettin' locked up in the slammer

Elders saying everything's a nail to a hammer
And niggas can't spell but we know our InstagrammarWell done's better than well said
I read niggas well, a nigga well read
Really I ain't met nobody smarter
Thats why I got admitted but I still rejected Harvard
I'm the fresh prince, in a school where they couldn't read
Mama put me in a school with the Kennedys
When I met Bill Clinton I was seventeen
But dead presidents is all my niggas need
Dining with the governor's daughter
And her father say I remind him of Obama
I'm the chief diplomat...every day
And I'm black and white...Janelle Monae

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