Blacker The Berry

Field Mob

It's ya boy Chevy P, babe

ListenI remember as a kid back, in the days

I got picked on, kicked at, shit on, spit at

Get gone, get back, gone smoke, get away

Havin' a dark pigmentation was hard then to make friendsFelt like God didn't take his time with me

He musta made me late night, tired and sleepy

'Cause life wasn't easy, they dogged me

Said that I was so dark the bet, I could sweat coffeeAnd peepee sweet tea and spit oil

Say when ashy I lotion down in Armor All

Made me feel like a loser really lame

Because of my complexion, nobody would include me in gamesNot even tag, never "It", nobody would touch

me

Nope no girlfriends 'cause shawties thought I was ugly

Through all the jokes and laughs pokes and stabs blows and jabs

Hopin' sad, mopin' mad before the scabs nobody told me that The blacker the berry, the sweeter the juice

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The blacker, the blacker, the blacker, the blackerI ain't have Marvin Gaye to sing to me

And make me feel like black was the thing to be

Until Big Daddy Kane, I was so glad he came

Made me feel good about bein' black again 'causeWe was at the bottom of the market

Al B. made sure it was a problem to be dark skinned

Until Wesley sniped him

In with the darkies, out with the light skinnedNow we got Tyrese Taye and Tyson

Mekhi Phife in every movie ya likin'

Blade he remind me of a modern day Panther

While Batman hides behind a mask like a KlansmanWe have to achieve, 'Caine's killin' us

Like it killed the second son of Adam and Eve

Ya palm is white and spreaded fist still black and tightly now

Slappin' five was cool but rather ya ball ya fist and give me pound 'causeThe blacker the berry, the sweeter the juice

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The blacker, the blacker, the blacker Tiger Woods say he ain't black, whatever
They say Michael Jackson ain't white, whatever
And Venus and Serena done beat mo' white girls
Than O.J. and Rick James put togetherNow Michael Vick's the new black hero
Bet John Madden ain't see it comin', saw a quarterback as a negro
Jordan he can't hide it he look like an African Tribal leader

If you can lighten him then you can brighten me upNow don't get me wrong and think I'm prejudiced
Listenin' to this song, I'm not racist

As a matter of fact, shout out to Jamie Lori and Chad My white friends from Lee County to BladecliffJust bein' dark is it what's like bein' white in the audience At a black comedy show I

Was guaranteed to get cracked on and joked out

Now this ugly duckling is a swan, I know nowThe blacker the berry, the sweeter the juice

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