

# Dirty Water

## Lecrae

Hold up, Hold up, Hold up  
Y'all gon' get me bowed up  
When that beat hit it's like three kicks  
In your knees up to your nose, huh  
You knows us  
Unashamed, Uno Uno Seis, whoa  
Tatted on my skin, all up in your face, whoa  
If I ain't bout that live, then I ain't really livin'  
But if you can't see my light then maybe I ain't in it  
Champagne, champagne, celebratin' my campaign  
I just dug a well in West Africa  
But how many of my friends is African, huh?  
No habla espaÑ±ol, just show me tu baÑ±o  
Ain't tryna get to know you, I'm too busy readin' Daniel  
Most segregated time of day is Sunday service  
Now what you think that say about the God you worship?  
First of all, I know it ain't a song that's gon' change the world  
There's no way  
It's not a guilt trip, it's a field trip that's gon' last more than one day  
What you thought, huh?  
Faith ain't bout no soft stuff  
I heard you just went overseas, now come back home and boss up  
Buy a bottle for a fee, dirty water  
Bodies floatin' in the sea, dirty water  
Blood flowin' from the ground, dirty water, dirty water  
Buy a bottle for a fee, dirty water  
Bodies floatin' in the sea, dirty water  
Blood flowin' from the ground, dirty water  
Ain't no filters in this town, dirty water  
Worthless, worthless, 400 years we done heard that  
My family came here on slave ships  
Some herd cattle, some herd blacks  
Know some of y'all done heard that  
My kin was treated less than men  
That's why we raised to hate each other, cause we hate our skin  
Lies you told about yourself that you don't realize  
I must be a thief, she locked the doors when I was walking by  
They must be whores 'cause the master rapes them and leaves  
The child  
So dead beat daddy was taught to me way before my time  
Now we extreme, buying fancy things like gold chains

Just pretty shackles, we still enslaved  
Put 'em round your neck, 'cause we still hangin'  
Hood preacher told 'em they should live as kings  
You call him devil, he fightin' for self esteem  
It's hard to dream when your water ain't clean  
Now look at Lucifer's scheme as how to be in a team  
Blood in the ocean to these African streams  
This dirty water ain't nothin' we haven't seen  
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