## Liberation

## **Outkast**

And there's a, and there's a

And there's a, and there's a, fine line

Too late to pray that I'm on it

Ya, yeah, yeah, y'all, uh-huh, y'allAnd there's a fine line between love and hate you see

Came way too late, but baby I'm on it

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Came way too late, but baby I'm on itCan't worry 'bout, what a nigga think now see

That's Liberation and baby I want it

Can't worry 'bout, what another nigga think

Now that's Liberation and baby I want it(Let me hear it, let me hear it, let me hear those)

How many times I, sit back and contemplate

I'm fresh off the dank, but I'm tellin' my story

My relationship, with my folks is give and take

And I done took so much, not givin' my gloryNow have a choice to be who you wants to be

It's left uppa to me, and my momma 'em told me

(Yes she did)

I said I have a choice to be who you wants to be

It's left uppa to me, and my momma 'em told meNo, no, no, I'm so tired, it's been so long

Struggling, hopelessly, seven and forty days, hey

Oh, I sacrifice every breath I breathe

To make you believe, I'd give my life awayOh Lord, I'm so tired, I'm so tired

My feet feel like I walked most of the road on my own

All on my own, we

We alive or we ain't livin', that's why I'm givin' until it's gone

'Cause I don't wanna be alone

(I don't wanna be alone)

I don't wanna be alone yeahIf there's anything I can say, to help you find your way

Touch your soul, make it whole, the same for you and I

There's not a minute that goes by that I don't believe

That you die but I can feel it in the wind

The beginning or the end but people keep your head to the skyShake that load off, shake that load off

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Shake that load off, shake that load offFolk in your face, you're a superstar

Niggaz hang around 'cause of who you are

You get a lot of love 'cause of what you got

Say they happy for you but they really notSell a lot of records and you roll a Benz

Swoll up in the spot, now you losin' friends

All you wanna do is give the world your heart

Record label tried to make you compromise your artYou make a million dollars, make a million mo'

First class broad treat you like a nigga po'

You wanna say, "Wait" but you're scared to ask

As your world starts spinning and it's moving fastTryin' to stay sane is the price of fame

Spending your life trying to numb the pain

You shake that load off and sing your song

Liberate the minds, then you go on homeI must admit, they planted a lot of things

In the brains and the veins of my strain

Makes it hard to refrain, from the host of cocaine

From them whores, from the flameFrom a post in the game makes it hard to maintain focus

They're from the glock rounds, and lock downs, and berries

The seeds that sow, get devoured by the same locusts

'Cause it's a hard row to hoelf your ass don't move, and the rain don't fall

And the ground just dry

But the roots are strong, so some survive

So you're surprised, now I'm bustin' cries You got more juice than Zeus

Slangin' lightnin' tryin' to frighten

Plains dwellers, of the Serengeti

But get beheaded when you falsely dreadedMelanin silicon and collagen injected

Dissectin' my pride, fool I don't wanna get it started

We be the lionhearted, without a fantasy

It's like that red sprite, you can't imagine itUnless you lookin' at the canvas of life

And not through the peephole of mortality

Single minded mentality, gettin' over on loopholes

Gettin' paid two-fold on technicalitiesClickin' your heels, scared to bust how you feel

Pack the steel

Pickin' cotton from the killing fields with no toe

I don't we in Kansas no mo' though Midwest or Dirty South clean dressed or dirty mouth

Whether robbin' preachers or killin' Poor Righteous Teachers

You a scared demon shouldn't be allowed to spread semen

And your cowardly lies never defyin' the jackals who babbleRunnin' with they pack, tail between your legs

Though the man on your head say the story

As you downplay your glory cacklin', helpin'

The shacklin' of your brethren happen just by rappin'

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