Tales of a Hustler

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Yeah Sparks in here, The Truth in here, yeah

Yeah, witness, tales of a hustler, I'm going to ride nigga

Ya know, this just the life we live, this just the life we lead

Yeah, yeah, gangsta, tales, tales, gangsta, yeah, sugarcoatOmillio Sparks, the young gun

My life as an adolescent said I'll go through something

Other guys try to stand in my way like brick walls

So I kept guns in my palm like Messiah scripts in PsalmsI should fear no man but God

So Lord knows we could get it on

Guns baptized guys testing my pride

Clearing my conscience in the liquor storeWith a fifth of Thunderbird but I be guzzling hard

Playing the corners with a washed up old-head

Chant tunes by the Whispers

Same corner where I banged at with niggazCops drive by and grin on us, if they grabbed then

One of them nosy neighbors done snitched on us

(Again?)

Hey this game juicy, got me puffing looseys

Every two days interrogated by the policeSee, this life I live cost more than your Roley's money

It cost my homie Nook his whole life, ya heard me?

When he was here it was easy to love him like a brother

Now that's he's gone I find it difficult to talk to his motherI mean, what do you say to a woman that's just lost her only son

To the game and the gun except "Mami, I'ma ride for him"

The look that she gave me like, "Sparks you got some nerve"

'Cause most of these niggas don't keep their wordsNow I'm under pressure and I cant even break that type of

promise

And y'all niggas paint that picture risking your freedom

On the strength of memories of him, the time he made you laugh

The time he bust his gat when them other niggas ran

How real is that? Omillio Sparks, niggas holla backTales of a hustlerIn this life you not promised tomorrow, so

take the bitter

With the sweet and maintain in these vicious streets

Carry your heat and keep your mind on your money

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Life's a gamble everybody got a number homie, tales of a hustlerI'm back to the block with it, wait let me clear

that up

I'm back to the blocks that you get when your block get it

Get hard with that hot water when the pot hit it

Get large with a little water when you pop wip itI send hope to late scramblers

Sling coke to you late you scramblers

Go broke sling soap to you late night scramblers

No joke, I'm a crook, catch hooks broke, late night gamblersLook, you loose limbs when fuck with him that be I strapped and high, FBI all on back want to trap the guy

Got niggas in all black want to snatch my pies

Never that too many gats, too many gunsToo many vest, tough guys not to many left

Where they at? Dead or locked behind bars in jail

I know I ain't too far from hell

I'll spit the devil these bars in hellDog I been through it son, look at my scars and tell

Catch Mac in a Chevy truck slightly tented

No excuses on who might be in it

You know passenger twisting backwoods, slightly spinningCrack the window, the indo slightly scented

Splash of haze and hash lightly blented

Put the pressure on niggas who might be timid

Like, you got like a minuteTo put the cash in this bag or ya ass

Just might be in it in small piece

I'll snatch your family up, start from tall nephews

To your small nieces, bitchesIn this life you not promised tomorrow, so take the bitter

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