

# Ghetto Gospel

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Hit 'em with a little Ghetto Gospel  
Those who wish to follow me  
(My Ghetto Gospel)  
I welcome with my hands  
And the red sun sinks at last into the hills of gold  
And peace to this young warrior without the sounds of guns  
If I could recollect before my hood days  
I'd sit and remanence thinkin' of bliss of the good days  
I stop and stare at the younger my heart goes to ?em  
Aids tested it was stress that they under  
And nowadays things change  
Everyone's ashamed of the youth  
'Cuz the truth look strange and for me it's reversed  
We left them a world that's cursed and it hurts  
'Cuz any day they'll push the button and all good men  
Like Malcolm X and Bobby Hutton died for nothin'  
Told 'em they could get teary the world looks dreary  
When you wipe your eyes see it clearly  
There's no need for you to fear me  
If you take your time to hear me  
Maybe you can learn to cheer me it ain't about black or white  
'Cuz we're human I hope we see the light before it's ruined  
My Ghetto Gospel  
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Tell me do you see that old lady, ain't it sad?  
Livin' outta bags but she's glad for the little things she has  
And over there there's a lady crack got her crazy  
Yet she's givin' birth to a baby  
I don't trip and let it fade me from outta the frying pan  
We jump into another form of slavery  
Even now I get discouraged wonder if they take it all back  
Will I still keep the courage?  
I refuse to be a role model I set goals, stay in control  
Drink out my own bottles I made mistakes

But learned from every one and when it's said and done  
I bet this brother be a better one  
If I upset you don't stress never forget  
That God isn't finished with me yet  
I feel His hand on my brain when I write rhymes  
I go blind and let the Lord do His thing ain't it  
But am I less holy 'cuz I chose to puff a blunt  
And drink a beer with my homies  
Before we find world peace we gotta find peace  
And end the war in the streets my Ghetto Gospel  
Those who wish to follow me  
(Yeah, Ghetto Gospel)  
I welcome with my hands  
And the red sun sinks at last into the hills of gold  
And peace to this young warrior without the sounds of guns  
Lord can You hear me speak?  
Pay the price for being Hell bound

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