Say Hello

Jay-Z

It's that Roc-A-Fella music, soulfulSay hello to the bad guy, they say I'm a bad guy

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They say a lot about me, let me tell you what I ain't I ain't playin', life's short so I aim

I ain't waiting for life to start portrayin' em

It's twice as hard to get a job as payin' 'em

So I ain't payin' attention to what you're sayin'Raindrops keep fallin' on my brain

Constant in the drop, all flames

I'm so hot even if the weather change

I don't have no top, I'm insane'Member dark-skinned Jermaine

Who swayed in the rain, we sorta kinda the same

'Cept, I'm no lame and you gonna know my name

Before I go the world gon' feel my painThey sayin', I'm a bad guy, why's that?

'Cause when my back's against the wall, nigga I react

Secretly though, I know you admire that

You wish you had the balls to fire back

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They say a lot about me, let me tell you what I ain't I ain't no ordinary nigga

Look around, this ain't what ordinary gets ya

Extraordinary figures, I'm an extraordinary niggaBefore my name became Jigga

Before I sang I had that thang on slippers

Can't complain 'bout what they ain't gon' give ya

That ain't gon' get ya shit, might as well give upOr get up, get out and get somethin' nigga

Get a job my nigga or get to dumpin'

Only God can judge him, only he without sin

Tell me if my means justified my ends'Til then, I'm just gon' fly in the Benz

Wire my friends through Western Union

Shh, suprisin', my system knockin'

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Let me tell you what I ain'tWe ain't thugs for the sake of just bein' thugs

Nobody do that where we grew at, nigga duh

The poverty line we not above

So I come to mask and gloves 'cause we ain't feelin' the loveWe ain't doin' crime for the sake of doin' crimes

We movin' dimes 'cause we ain't doin' fine

One out of three of us is locked up doin' time

You know what this type of shit can do to a nigga momsMy mind on my money, money on my mind

If you owe me ten dollars you ain't givin' me nine

Y'all ain't give me 40 acres and a mule

So I got my glock 40 now I'm coolAnd if Al Sharpton is speakin' for me

Somebody give him the word and tell him I don't approve

Tell him I remove the curses

If you tell me our schools gon' be perfect

When Jena Six don't exist

Tell him that's when I'll stop sayin' bitch, bitchSay hello to the bad guy, they say I'm a bad guy

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