

Diamonds from Sierra Leone (Remix) (feat. Jay-Z)

Kanye West

Diamonds are forever
They won't leave in the night
I've no fear that they might
Desert meDiamonds are forever (forever, forever)
Throw your diamonds in the sky if you feel the vibe
Diamonds are forever (forever, forever, forever)
The Roc is still alive every time I rhyme
Forever ever? Forever ever? Ever, ever? Ever, ever?
Ever, ever? Ever, ever? Ever, ever?Close your eyes and imagine, feel the magic
Vegas on acid, seen through Yves St. Laurent glasses
And I've realized that I've arrived
Cause it take more than a magazine to kill my Vibe
Does he write his own rhymes, well sort of, I think 'em
That mean I forgot better shit than you ever thought of
Damn, is he really that caught up?
I ask if you talked about classics, do my name get brought up?
I remember I couldn't afford a Ford Escort
Or even a four-track recorder
So it's only right that I let the top drop on a drop-top Porsche
It's for yourself, that's important
If your stripper name "Porscha" and you get tips from many men
Then your fat friend, her nickname is "Minivan"
Excuse me, that's just the Henny, man
I smoke, I drink, I'm supposed to stop, I can't becauseDiamonds are forever (forever, forever)
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Only playa that got robbed but kept all his jewelry
Alicia Keys tried to talk some sense in him
30 minutes later sein' there's no convincin' him
What more could you ask for? The international asshole
Who complain about what he is owed?
And throw a tantrum like he is 3 years old
You gotta love it though somebody still speaks from his soul
And wouldn't change by the change, or the game, or the fame
When he came in the game, he made his own lane
Now all I need is y'all to pronounce my name

It's Kanye, but some of my plaques, they still say Kanye
 Got family in the D, Kin-folk from Motown
 Back in the Chi, them Folks ain't from Moe Town
 Life movin' too fast I need to slow down
 Girl ain't give me no ass, ya need to go down
 My father been said I need Jesus
 So he took me to church and let the water wash over my caesar
 The preacher said we need leaders
 Right then my body got still like a paraplegic
 You know who you call, you got a message, then leave it
 The Roc stand tall and you would never believe it
 Take your diamonds and throw 'em up like you bulimic
 Yeah, the beat cold but the flow is anemic
 After debris settles and the dust get swept off
 Big K pick up where young Hov left off
 Right when magazines wrote Kanye West off
 I dropped my new shit, it sound like the best of
 A&R's lookin' like, "Pssh, we messed up"
 Grammy night, damn right, we got dressed up
 Bottle after bottle till we got messed up
 In the studio, with Really Doe, yeah, he next up
 People askin' me if I'm gon' give my chain back
 That'll be the same day I give the game back
 You know the next question dog: "Yo, where Dame at?"
 This track the Indian dance to bring our reign back
 "What's up with you and Jay, man, are y'all ok man?"
 They pray for the death of our dynasty like "Amen"
 R-r-r-right here stands a man
 With the power to make a diamond with his bare hands
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