

# Grippo

## Saul Williams

I gave hip hop to white boys when nobody was looking  
They found it locked in a basement when they gentrified Brooklyn  
Left a list of instructions, an MPC and a mic  
My sci-fi library and utensils to write  
Right or wrong, I think hip hop is where it belong  
Where it comes from one is but son we wrote them songs  
It was a ploy got fools tied up in mechanized toys  
We are beings [incomprehensible] of boys  
Now you can break all you wanna, scratch all you wanna  
Graff all you wanna, laugh all you wanna  
But I wanna show you what the stars are made of  
I wanna show you the stars  
So substitute the anger and oppression  
With guilt and depression and it's yours, it's yours  
Substitute the anger and oppression  
With guilt and depression and it's yours, it's yours  
White boys listen to white boys  
Black boys listen to black boys  
No one listens to no one  
No one listens to no one  
Alone on a mountain top, uprooted from the earth  
Drifting beyond normalcy a gold piece in God's purse  
Is worthless here, we're earthless here  
God versus fear, man versus fear  
Fear not, I purse my lips and kiss like a glock  
Violence is a metaphor for victory's plot  
Change is inevitable but our death is not  
Now you can break all you wanna, scratch all you wanna  
Graff all you wanna, laugh all you wanna  
But I wanna show you what the stars are made of  
I wanna show you the stars  
So substitute the anger and oppression  
With guilt and depression and it's yours, it's yours  
Substitute the anger and oppression  
With guilt and depression and it's yours  
[Incomprehensible] Hey, hey everybody  
Hey, hey I wanna show you what the stars are made of  
I wanna show you what the stars are made of  
I wanna show you what the stars are made of  
I wanna show you the stars  
So substitute the anger and oppression  
With guilt and depression and it's yours, it's yours  
Substitute the anger and oppression  
With guilt and depression and it's yours

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