

# Letter To My Kids

## Shaggy

Ya, I gotta get real personal on this ya know, for me  
[Incomprehensible] screamin' out two things  
When I was young my ambition in life  
Was to finish way ahead of the game  
Such a shame ya'll payin' the price  
In this race of fortune and fame  
I really feel apologetic inside  
Though you'd never think to give me the blame  
It's when I look into your lives  
I wonder if it was really worth all the pain  
Now I know what it take in the heights of mistakes  
Is it there in the mind of a child?  
Though it's all for our sakes, still my heart, how it breaks  
Every time that I see your smile, check it  
Conversation on the phone is fine  
But for me it could never replace  
Being there to spend quality time  
Tuck you in to see the smile on your face

So when you're old enough to read these lines  
I hope you never find yourself in my place  
I hope you never feel as lonely as I  
And miss the warmth of your child's embrace  
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