

It Ain't Personal

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Man, they go and tell me like
You never know who your true friends until you, ah umm
Both got a little bit of money

I mean, 'cause y'all both broke Then there's no strain on the relationship, y'all both broke
And if you got money and he ain't got no paper
He still needs you so you'll never know how he really feel about you

When y'all both get some paper, you'll see We used to get money together, phone honies together
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You claim it's all love, but nigga it's whatever
'Cause this is business, it ain't personal
Same dream, same team, same schemes
We even sold to the same damn fiends
(How real is dat?)
Ain't no rules in this war for this green

This is business, and it ain't personal Look, I'm a grown man dog
And I ain't got time to be runnin behind y'all
I know when I first started it was crazy to y'all
"He's gon' start his own label, he'll never be able" Well, nigga you've been wrong before
And you'll be wrong again if you bet against him
We move through the hood like identical twins

But it just so happen that a nigga made it rappin You showed your true colors, y'all niggaz stay yappin
That don't stop him, a nigga weigh platinum
Stop through the hood, to say what's happenin?
('Sup nigga)
Fake hugz
(Uh-huh)
Fake whassup
Fake love, fake fuck, fake thugs Gotta one myself for your fake shit, I raise up
Hop in my wheels and I peel, streets are blazed up
(Uh-huh)

About my bid'nness dog, y'all need to stay up one We used to get money together, phone honies together
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This is business, and it ain't personal I wish, I wish, that success, we could all
Get a piece of it
(Word)

But that ain't real dog
(No)'Cause in these streets it's war, the industry much more

But rich or poor, I'ma keep it real my nigga

Invest in chips and watch my money hill get bigger

And do things like, pull up to some clubsIn the skirts with Jigga, and yellin out hey

What the fuck, pop that Cris' my nigga

And then he wants to know how many chips I done sold

Well, it ain't y'all business what's behind my doorsBut y'all niggaz don't appreciate shit

Helped you out and you still actin like a little bitch

Then you wonder why I put yo' ass in the tenth row

When you asked me for some tickets to my TP-2 show

Lawd tell me, why we don't like to see us grow?We used to get money together, phone honies together

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This is business, and it ain't personalA-alike

(Uh-huh)

Be alike

(That's right)We don't vibe no more because we don't see alike

And your mom got it twisted, she think Hov' changed

Nope, Hov's still here like Rogaine

Ask your boy what he did to the Hov' gameHow he jeopardized the whole game

Now when we see each other it's so strange

I don't know whether to hug him or slug him

(Damn)I don't know whether to cap him or dap him

I don't know what to think of him, I don't know what's happenin

But what I do know, all the niggaz that you know

Locked up doin a few doe, but who knows?Maybe it wasn't you, maybe I'm buggin too

(Right)

But I'm scared dog, I don't know what the fuck to do

Do me a favor, place yourself in my shoes

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