

### No Time To Waste: Album Memoir





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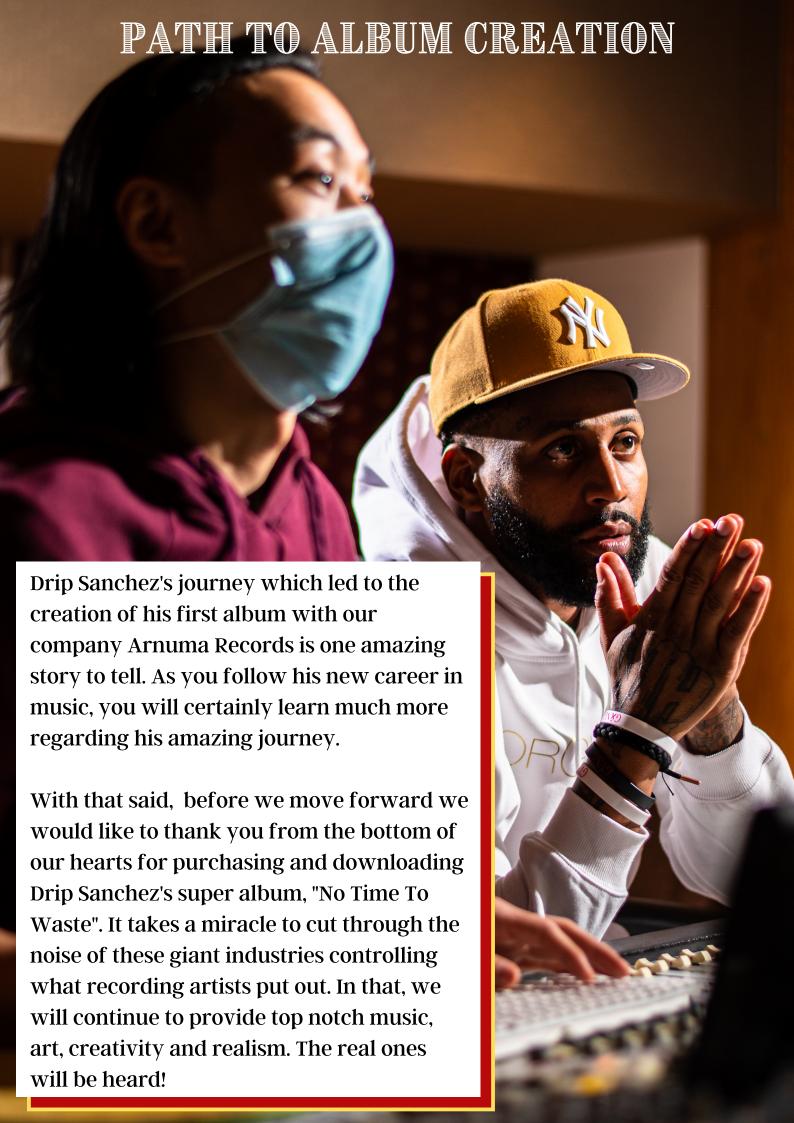
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If you are not aware, the vast majority of record companies have a first. We do not want to list companies and names in this ;however, if you follow music, the vast majority of you are aware of certain artists who pretty much built the companies you currently know today.

Regarding Arnuma Records we are proud to say that Drip Sanchez is that recording artist. His relentless work & dedication is setting the standard for this company and other artists to come. We even have a name for it. We call it, "drilling". Before you sign to Arnuma, you must drill first. Just as Drip Sanchez did for his first album. Hard work is an understatement. Drip literally prepared for this album as a Jazz band would have. Literally sitting in the office writing and rehearsing till the sun come up. Unlike most recording artists, Drip attended studio sessions ready to work. As he would say, "this is not a game, i'm not here to play around, this is my life".



Being that Drip Sanchez is such a unique and diverse artist, we created a unique strategy behind this album. We can easily water this down and explain in corporate terms ;however, that's not going to happen here. Therefore, Drip Sanchez's album is about gang life, niggas, bitches, hoes, drugs, fun and more fun. Consequently, Drip Sanchez's album is also about our brothers & sisters. Songs that will bring hope to our neighborhoods. Songs that will bring attention on issues such as fatherless boys and young women being abused. In addition to that, each style of song is diverse. From NY style hip hop, down south bangers and smooth ass music you can vibe with, Drip Sanchez's album is an absolute marvel.

Another very unique and interesting fact is the international sound and features of two very talented recording artists from London. Drip Sanchez plans on continuing being diverse and reaching out to hidden talent throughout the world on an international level.

Big industry is known for silencing and killing creativity. They are known for taking the safe route and doing what they think works over and over again. This is why you normally hear the same style and same content. It's literally pissing off music lovers worldwide.

Drip Sanchez will not allow such a thing to happen to his music and creativity. You can hear it for yourself in this marvel of an album.



As he always states, "I am not here to play around". It's not unusual to see Drip Sanchez in studio sessions solo or with only a few people. The only people who are normally in attendance are two of his nephews (one of which is an amazing musician and the other who is a beat maker), label executive/producer, the occasional videographer and photographer. Drip Sanchez often states that, "if you are not part of this, or don't have anything to add then you should not be here". Each song was carefully chosen, recorded & curated. This album was not created during party & drink sessions as the vast majority of recording artists. This strict process allowed Drip Sanchez and his team to create an absolute masterpiece!





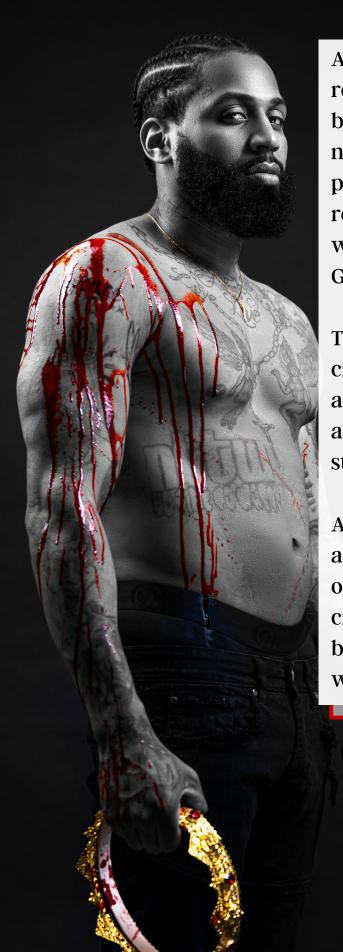
As the majority of you can see, there is immense pain in this photo. For those of you who listened to the album, you are aware that Drip Sanchez's mother was diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. When Drip decided to join the company and create this album, his mother was in the process of transitioning to hospice care. Being the oldest of his siblings, with the help of his amazing family he worked extremely hard to fulfill his mothers wishes by getting her home.

Once his mother was home, Drip Sanchez eventually stopped going to work. He wanted to take care of his mother the best he could while she was still here on this earth. You will read later how he actually recorded and completed the last song on the album on his mothers birthday. The day before she came home for hospice care.

With that said, Drip did not want to leave his mothers side. He wanted to be sure he was there by her side when she transitioned to her new life.

We had the photo shoot scheduled and ready to go. I said to drip, hey my brother we can reschedule no problem at all. He then stated, "man we gotta get this done, it won't take that long, let's just get it done." He left his mothers side for over two hours that night. It was one of the most amazing photo shoots I've ever seen. I received the proofs to all of the images. When I saw this one, I was in awe and very sad at the same time. It's very difficult for me to look at his face in this picture. I asked Drip about this photo. He was very excited but stated that he could barley look at it. It's so much pain & worry in this photo.

### Blood & Crown Photo Shoot: The Real Meaning



As we are aware, just about all of the record companies represent their artists by presenting them a charm or necklace. At Arnuma Records we present high caliber & fully initiated recording artists a crown. Unlike most, we do not say this just to say it; "We are Gods"

The meaning and story behind the crown of each artist is specific to that artist. In Drip Sanchez's case, the blood and the crown represents battle, struggle, aggression & creativity.

As a result of privacy, we will not be able to provide the full personal details of the deeper meanings behind the crown of Drip Sanchez. This will fully be explained on his own accord if he wishes to do so.





### YOURGOD

Words cannot describe the importance behind this song. Each and every word literally speaks for itself. The first verse is simply bringing attention to the effects of young children growing up without a father. When Drip stated, "Head down look at Lucifer workin", this is explicitly explaining the negative effects and changes this is having on young children. He is speaking to these children and attempting to help them understand that they are Gods and they are not like their father. He is attempting to drive home the fact that they can do amazing things if they work hard and be the complete opposite of this person who is not a man. He stated, "Barrack Obama did it, put your head up King cuz you a God!"

The second verse was very difficult for all of us to listen to. There is a very hidden issue that needs to be brought to light. Young women being abused and sexually assaulted at home, all while their own mothers are aware of what is going on. At the end Drip said something very powerful. "Now I'm a Doctor cuz i'm not her, I'm a Queen and i'm a God!".

"Alot of people kept asking me why did I say i'm a queen and i'm a God? My team and I felt it was necessary to speak from the little girls perspective. They do not have a voice. In this short verse, I am the voice of these little girls" Drip Sanchez.

Drip Sanchez and his team will be conducting a campaign to provide as much help and information as possible regarding this terrible issue. He has a section on his website with a vast amount of information dedicated to child and sex abuse. In addition to that, there is an email posted for those who are attempting to reach out for help. His team will attempt to help as many of these Angels as possible. This is not just a song.

We would like to give a million thanks to Courtney Bennett. She is an absolute Queen and little does she know, she has fans in the US for life. We want this song to not only be popular in the US but all over the world. Therefore, we made many attempts to place a featured singer with an accent from a different country on this song. After listening to dozens of wonderful singers from all over the world, Courtney Bennett blew us away. In addition to her raw talent and very cool style, she was very fast, responsive and professional. We were very lucky and honored to have her. She's wonderful.



If you heard this song, you will know that this is certainly a hit. We simply wanted a street song that people can chill, dance and vibe to on an international level. There is a large amount of detail going on in this song. In that, let's first talk about the style in Drip Sanchez's verse.

As you all are aware, the vast majority of rappers do not play around with their style very much. Most of this has to do with not wanting to lose their current fan base. The rule of thumb with big industry is if it's not broke, don't fix it. That is true in most cases ;consequently, not in music and creativity. Therefore, Drip Sanchez's cadence is very different in this song.

If you notice, the beat has an island or Caribbean vibe all while the other rapper featured on the track has a heavy European accent. Therefore, we are respectfully covering the United States, Caribbean and Europe.

Now, we do not want to completely give this away. But if you listen closely to the lyrics, there is a message embedded deep within this song. It's very simple but can easily be overlooked.

"I put an end to it, took my life put some paper and a pen to it, all the love and the pain I attend to it, for real though, I changed my life, but still I got my nine on me"

This life that we lived never goes away. It always seems to come back into our lives either directly or indirectly through our loved ones. In Drip Sanchez's case, 15 shots in a vehicle while him and his brother Jerome was inside. This was a few months before he decided to actually join the company and give music another shot. 15 shots and not a scratch on them. Hence: "But I still got my nine on me"

You will hear more about this crazy life changing incident in the next set of music we release. Until then, listen closely.



There was an interview by 2pac in which he made reference to speaking and rapping about other people who don't have a voice. There are countless songs 2pac completed that simply served as a mouthpiece for others.

We wholeheartedly believe that this should be a standard for music, especially rap and hiphop. As recording artists and songwriters, we naturally make songs about our own experiences and our own lives. However, telling the stories of others is also just as important. To be frank, I believe there's a vast amount of recording artists telling stories of others but just not showing enough integrity to talk about it.

Music is an art. To be more specific, hiphop is life and a gigantic part of our culture. There are many stories that need to be heard from people who may not have the platform, talent or voice to do so.

With that said, Drip Sanchez was aware of a very serious situation that occurred to me. The first verse was an exact story of this terrible situation that occurred when I was just fifteen years old.

In addition to that, there is a very deep meaning in his second verse. Even though Drip Sanchez is making reference to how we grew up and the terrible things we were involved in. He also stated, **"I'm a disgrace"**. This was a very sly way to deliver a message to our people caught up in this type of life. To young people thinking they are grown while making these decisions but in reality are really a disgrace.

"Psychologically we fucked up nigga, get a job put ya head up nigga, they puttin us in chains" Drip Sanchez

### SAY OUR NAMES

We can write a book on this issue alone. So let's keep this short and to the point. We must continue to shed light on police brutality and making sure law enforcement is accountable for their actions. Listen very closely. We must continue that fight.

Consequently, we unfortunately have a very serious problem right outside our front door. Right around the corner and down the street where our children play. We are loosing our children to gang violence at a massive rate. I'm going to say it again. At a massive rate. No one is marching for our dead children at a national level. No one is overseas in other countries painting murals of Kyree. An infant baby who was shot during a cookout while his grandmother was holding him. Even more disturbing is as we stand outside witnessing a dead 16 year old boy laying there shot, no one is there to help us. The only people we see are the Paramedics, Fire Department and Police Officers. As we are standing there crying our eyes out witnessing another one of our children being carried away, we don't see anyone else. And once the Paramedics drive away, we don't hear from anyone else.

The first verse of this song is about an infant baby Kyree. This shook our city to its core. This infant baby was shot in the head by a stray bullet during a cookout. The paramedics had to pry the baby out of the grandmothers arms. Half of the infant baby's head was literally shot off. They don't even allow directors to place scenes like this in scary movies. In addition to the nightmare the family was going through, imagine the life long negative effects this had on the Paramedics, Fire Fighters and Police Officers who had to witness this on scene.

The second verse is about a young man named Badraldeen Mohamad Elwaseem. As a result of a shoot out that occurred in the parking lot near his apartment, a stray bullet hit him while he was inside his own home. He was only twelve years old.

If you are reading this, conduct a small experiment. Ask any of your friends or family to say two or three names of a person under the age of 18 years old who was shot and killed as a result of gang violence. Ask them to say at least two to three names off the top of their heads without them looking it up. If they cannot say one of our names, go to any one of our social media pages and place a comment to bring attention to this. Out of all the noise we are hearing all over the world, people cannot say at least two of the names of our dead children. Dozens of us die every summer. Dozens. This is how much the world really care about our neighborhoods. This song is meant to bring attention to this pandemic of death and violence going on outside of our own homes almost every other week in the summer. We are living in a war zone and our children are suffering and dying as a result. Say Our Names!

# STORM

Where do we start with storm? There is a vast amount of information in this song ;therefore, we will certainly not give it all away here. The chorus of this song is about two people. Drip Sanchez and my self (Darren McDuffie). If you follow the journey of Drip Sanchez & Arnuma Records, you will begin to see that we both are very similar in the experiences we've had growing up in the inner city. Not just growing up but actually being involved in street life.

We both experienced a path of darkness and a path of light. In that, the chorus of this song is very dark but liberating at the same time. We almost gave up at many points in our lives. As a result of being involved, we both had to sacrifice and break apart from unspeakable things. One of us had to break apart from certain friends while the other had to break apart from certain family. Hence the part where it says, "why the fuck you had to go and kill your bro". Leaving a mother, a brother or the best friend you've ever had can be like death. Therefore, if you leave them while they are still alive, metaphorically it's as if you killed them.

"Crazy I made it though, screams in my dreams got me goin crazy though". Both of us made it out. However, we are both still heavily effected and haunted by our past. Either directly or indirectly, as we both have many friends and family who are still involved and active in street life. The pain never ends no matter how successful you become. The real ones understand wholeheartedly. It's a dream and a nightmare all at once. All we can do is push forward and live.

We will give you one more: When the singer says, "Yea aaa". That is representing a man screaming his pain.

"Fuck the rules, glorifying crews, living thug life tying up my own noose, Yea aaa!"

"We was young my bro, why the fuck you had to go and kill your bro, Yea aaa!"
"Grand Architect you know what I sacrificed, Yea aaa!"

This is a man screaming out his darkness after each one of those bars.

### DO WHRT YOU WANT & WANT YOU BAD

Previously we stated the sheer versatility of Drip Sanchez. He certainly would not be considered versatile if he didn't have something for the ladies. Writing Drip Sanchez's story about the ladies would fill an entire book. They say a photo speaks 1,000 words. Well here ya go:



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY MAMA

As we previously mentioned, Drip Sanchez's mother was unfortunately diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. During the recording of this album, Drip Sanchez and his wonderful family did an outstanding job in fulfilling his mothers wishes to get her home instead of being in the hospital for hospice care.

How did this song come about? Drip Sanchez had an eight hour studio session booked. He had several songs he was intending to record. I called Drip about an hour before the studio session. I then said, "I know Jerome, but what is the name of your sister again"? I then called back and asked another series of questions and quickly hung the phone up. Drip Sanchez was then in the office of Arnuma Records to get ready for his studio session.

I then stated, "I literally witnessed what you and your family have been going through. I was sitting here getting ready for the session and the universe kept putting this in my head. To make a long story short, this is what I came up with. I don't know if you are going to like the chorus and the beat, but please let me know."

I then sang the chorus. Before I could get through the chorus, we both sat in the office and cried as the beat was playing. I then said, "do you like the chorus"? Drip Sanchez said, "man hell yea". After quickly brainstorming, Drip then called his siblings and his children to record a quick voice memo saying happy birthday. In that, Drip Sanchez's brother Jerome sent over a video of his mother reading a letter thanking the people who supported her during her journey. That video was recorded over a year ago, when his mother was able to walk and speak. His mother was unable to speak and walk shortly after that ;therefore, the video was absolutely amazing!

This was all done and completed about 45 minutes before the studio session began. Once we arrived to the studio, I told the engineer that it was a change of plans. As the engineer Brad Lauchert and I was completing the chorus, Drip Sanchez was writing the lyrics to his verses. Drip stated that he wanted to be sure that everyone with a mother can relate to this song.

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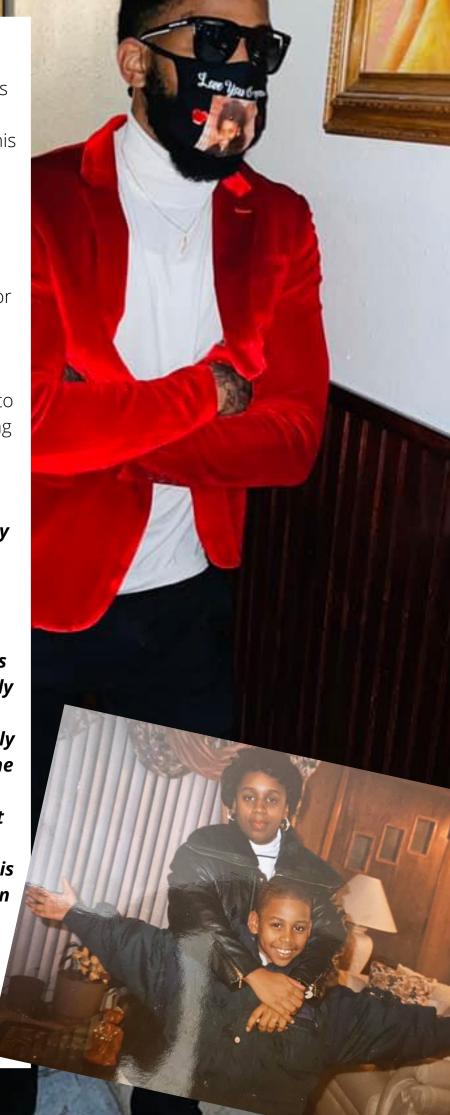
This song was completed that night. And Ironically enough, that night was his mothers birthday. The next day, his mother was out of the hospital and at home for hospice care. Even though his mother was unable to speak, she was able to hear that beautiful song over and over and again on her birthday.

It's also important to understand that this song is not just for mothers. It's for people who have unfortunately been diagnosed with cancer.

At the end of this song, you'll be able to hear his mother speaking and thanking the friends and family who supported her during her journey.

I want to thank Kenny and his family for allowing me to be a part of this journey. He is aware that my father died and I have not been on good terms with my mother for many years. Being able to feel and witness this kind of love and support actually helped me in many ways. The love I saw from her children was absolutely amazing. Her funeral service was one of the most loved and personal services i've ever seen. This is how it is when someone is truly loved. She was one lucky lady. As a result of this amazing song, his mother will live on forever. People from all over the world will hear this wonderful woman's voice forever. It was an honor to be a part of this. This is what music is all about. Darren

McDuffie



# Discography



Drip Sanchez & Elijah Hooks 1.Intro (K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI) Recorded at Arnuma Records

2. Storm

(K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI)

Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie

**Beat Produced by Othellobeats** 

Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez

Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert

Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks

Recorded by Brad Lauchert

Song Writers: Kenny Allen, Darren McDuffie

**Recorded at GCR Audio** 

3. You A God

(K. Allen, D. McDuffie, Courtney Bennett) (BMI)

Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie

Beat Produced by Marcin Gerek Bartosz Welka,

Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez

Featured Artist: Courtney Bennett

Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert

Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks

Recorded by Elijah Hooks,

**Courtney Bennett** 

Song Writers: Kenny Allen, Darren McDuffie

Recorded at GCR Audio

4. Want You Bad

(K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI)

Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie

**Beat Produced by Dylan Ochsner** 

Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez

Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert

Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks

Recorded by Elijah Hooks

Song Writers: Kenny Allen

**Recorded at GCR Audio** 

9. Lingo (K. Allen, D. McDuffie, Elijah Hooks) (BMI) Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie

Co Produced by Elijah Hooks

Beat Produced by PABLOMCR

Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez

Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert

Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks

Recorded by Elijah Hooks, Brad Lauchert

Song Writers: Kenny Allen Recorded at GCR Audio 5. Dangerous
(K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI)
Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie
Beat Produced by Beatzbydb
Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez
Featured Artist: Sean Jones
Additional Vocals: Darren the Writer
Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert
Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks
Recorded by Elijah Hooks, Brad Lauchert
Song Writers: Kenny Allen, Darren McDuffie
Recorded at GCR Audio

6. Run A Muck
(K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI)
Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie
Beat Produced by PABLOMCR
Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez
Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert
Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks
Recorded by Brad Lauchert
ng Writers: Kenny Allen, Darren McDuffie
Recorded at GCR Audio

7. Forever
(K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI)
Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie
Beat Produced by PABLOMCR
Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez
Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert
Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks
Recorded by Elijah Hooks
Song Writers: Kenny Allen

8. Lingo Interlude (K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI) Recorded at Arnuma Records

Recorded at GCR Audio

10. Do What You Want
(K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI)
Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie
Beat Produced by Produced by Dope Boi
Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez
Additional Vocals: Darren the Writer
Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert
Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks
Recorded by Brad Lauchert, Elijah Hooks
Song Writers: Kenny Allen, Darren McDuffie
Recorded at GCR Audio

11. Get On Top (K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI)

Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie Beat Produced by Donato Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks

Recorded by Elijah Hooks

Song Writers: Kenny Allen, Darren McDuffie

Recorded at GCR Audio

12. Rock Bottom
(K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI)
Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie
Beat Produced by Produced by Mo
Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez
Additional Vocals: Darren the Writer
Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert

Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks Recorded by Brad Lauchert

Song Writers: Kenny Allen, Darren McDuffie

Recorded at GCR Audio

13. Used To Be Me
(K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI)
Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie
Beat Produced by Marcin Gerek Bartosz Welka
Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez
Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert
Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks
Recorded by Elijah Hooks
Song Writers: Kenny Allen, Darren McDuffie
Recorded at GCR Audio

14. Say Our Names
(K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI)
Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie
Beat Produced by DopeBoyzMuzic
Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez
Additional Vocals: Amarie McDuffie
Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert
Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks
Recorded by Brad Lauchert
ong Writers: Kenny Allen, Darren McDuffie
Recorded at GCR Audio

15. Happy Birthday Mama
(K. Allen, D. McDuffie) (BMI)
Produced by Darren "the writer" McDuffie
Beat Produced by Tone Jonez
Rap Vocalist: Drip Sanchez
Additional Vocals: Darren the Writer
Mix Engineer: Brad Lauchert
Mastering Engineer: Elijah Hooks
Recorded by Brad Lauchert
Song Writers: Kenny Allen, Darren McDuffie
Recorded at GCR Audio

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### Honorable Mentions

As stated earlier, if you don't have something to add then why are you here. In that, we would like to thank Rayshawn & Izayah for adding outstanding and important input during the vast majority of our sessions. Izayah is a talented beatmaker & Rayshawn is an excellent musician. Also a special thanks to Ms. K Williams. If it were not for your input, we would've only completed a few songs to test the market. We fortunately took your advice and completed a full album. We now have a masterpiece as a result. Thanks to all of you. This is only the beginning.



### LYRICS



Juliani mula on me ladder rouger on me

I just fu\*\*ed a lil shorty got ma d\*\*k On woddie I might pop a perky 30 then I sip some codeine

Never trust these bi\*\*es never cuz dat Bi\*\*h ain't worthy

I don't like dem ni\*\*as round me cuz they make me nervous

Bunch a goons when I'm surrounded think I feel like birdie

I think I'm stayin independent cuz these labels jerkin

F\*\*k you if you got opinions boy you just a worker Imma untamed villain a mothafu\*\*in savage

Pop that pu\*\*y like you really wanna marry me

Travel safely always keep a shooter wit me just the thought of mommy cryin at my casket shit be

All da sh\*t dat I done did and all da places I done been and all da people wanna do is keep comparin me

With all da hard pains all da scars came and when it all changed I don't think they ain't hearin me

I ain't never gon lose

Came from nothin, ni\*\*as duckin when I shoot

F\*\*k the rules

Glorifying crews

Livin thug life tying up my own noose, Crazy how I made it though

Screams in my dreams got me goin crazy yo

We was young my bro

Why the fuck you had to go and kill yo bro

Still walkin with my weapon Keep a small circle breakin bread wit my bredren

16 bars i'm expressin

Genius in my mind ni\*\*a i'm a living legend

Used to walk around hopeless, put my head up, now i'm in focus

Got my ass up, workin every night

Grand architect, you know what I sacrificed

Yea aahh

These ni\*\*as be playin they really ain't gettin this money I know what it take

I'm feelin like Durk cuz all of my ni\*\*as be shootin around wit a drake

Don't f\*\*k wit da fake

I'm tryna turn this steak um to a steak

They want me to break

You catch a body for me I up yo rank

My life too fast i'm tryna slow it down I need that drank I'm rollin pass ni\*\*a I'm on yo ass like some paint

Y'all tried to gas them ni\*\*as we filled em up just like a tank

I'm too important to some people to care bout what you say

They put yo back against the wall now you gotta spray it

You gotta problem ni\*\*a don't stall now you gotta say it

I told K I'm gon go hard I gotta dominate it
Got some childhood demons on me now I'm tryna shake em

Been trendin lately birthing babies like I'm ovulatin

I'm losing patience smoking vapors to keep my concentration

Traumatizing statements wonder why my mind be racin Been aimin like I'm David to get Goliath out my way

Want You Bad

Gucci 20/20s to cover up my eyes

Pupils all red like blood up in my eyes

I cannot shake yo hand cuz I am not to kind You just do this for show you can't hang around my guys

I can pull up round 10 but at 12 I gotta slide

Bae I really wanna stay but this money on my mind

I gotta catch a flight

Gotta hit New York at nine

Couple shows out in Cali

It ain't much but I'm tryn

Went to church the other day

Preacher hit it on da dime

Say if they ain't really with you Then leave them folks behind

Ni\*\*as talkin out they mouth like I ain't taught em nothin

Coaching plays I'm in da game you ain't callin nothin My swagg all on Drip Yo bi\*\*h all on d\*\*k

My name on her ti\*s

She post all my flicks

Cuz money what I get feel like I'm bleedin through my pen

Dedicated I put a period on every sentence

As long as money in it i'm in it let's get this chicken

When it come to friendship my ni\*\*a just stay consistent

Im different so don't tell me to listen cuz bi\*\*h I'm livin Cant fall out over money and bit\*\*es cuz we don't mix em

Pull up on my dawg and blow some leaf wit my dawg
I'm gon catch a case and blow some heat for my dawg
I had to leave some ni\*\*as cuz they was takin to long

Now I'm on a mission Duffie had to bring along

Self made no Beyoncé's to ring thee alarm

Loaded soda on me

Poured a Fo fa bro Cuz he on parole

Be 4 or 5 years for they let him go Lotta sh\*t we den did dey a never know Hit my ni\*\*a wit dat bid and he never told

Ima beast off da leash from da upper east

Frankly I don't give a f\*\*k what you think of me

Toronto thing textin me everything she think of me

You A God

His mother just gave him the best news

About time his father comin to pick him up, from school

Holding on to hope suppressing his greatest fear

God's favorites have a hard time

Your father not a man

You a king wit your own mind Get into them books

Barrack Obama did

No excuses get it poppin put your head up King Cuz you a God.

Head up my Queen

Head up Queen, cuz you gon make it

Life is hard, but you'll be fine Cuz you a God

Don't want diamonds and pearls no material things

The biggest smile in the room all she want is hugs

Innocent smart young child all she need is love

Because

Another stranger in my house mommy creepin again,

At night time mommy moanin and screamin again

Blanket over my head cuz I hate all over her friends,

I heard a door open up but I ain't worry though

I know it's just my mother checkin on me

I felt a hand up my leg as he threatenin me,

I was screaming as he on top sweatin on me

She was sittin in the other room

Promised I'll never be weak like her Now I'm a Doctor, cuz I'm not her I'm a Queen and I'm a God!

Dangerous

Give a damn who you wit

My brother and my God I trust Illuminated I am it

Embedded in my mind never quite

Used to hustle all night till the sun come up Justify my rage when a jealous ni\*\*a run up Yea I did it

Cuz my kids had to eat

The Sh\*t that I be hearin through the grape vine

I put an end to it

All the love and the pain I attend to it

But still I got my nine on me, my nine on me

Ni\*\*as hate and they gone

I aint a blood or a crip

But im bangin wit dem boys in my click All the way to Buffalo straight from London rollin wit drip

Homie we don't give a f\*\*k who you wit

Catie's rollin dem spliffs

Forty on me I stay fully equipped

"Travel Light", for I empty my clip

Model chicks in the studio sauced up feelin my shit Gettin pissed cuz they sharin my d\*\*k

Now listen fella

Homie that's that

I done changed my life cuz I love my brothas

Left that street s\*\*t alone cuz I love my motha All the dirt that i've done Imma never recover

But i'm strapped, cuz I still don't trust ya

International flow

Arnuma Records on ya whole map

Just a young boy 12 years old

Mind full of dreams

It's a big day today he turnin thirteen

Excited having a great day

Tellin his friends, he going out with his father for his birthday

Now he sittin on the steps waitin for his father The whole school empty still waitin on his father It's ok he just late holding back his tears

His head down turning to a new person god help him look at Lucifer workin now please listen

Go to college get your doctorates

Don't you worry You will shine Cuz you a God

Life is hard but You'll be fine Cuz you a God Beautiful Just as you are Cuz you a God No excuses work real hard and you gon make it

Head up my King

Head up King, cuz you gon make it

Head up my King Head up King, cuz you gon make it

Beautiful Queen

Mommy single again

Telling myself it will be over soon

Can't understand why my mommy did nothin

Dangerous

Trip, my ni\*\*as gon flip

Sacrificing every week

Now I'm wearin balenciaga on my feet let a God Speak

They say God's favorites have a hard time One of my best friends shortened up his life line Everyday I stay strapped tryna save mine

Took my life put some paper and a pen to it

For real though, I changed my life

I still got my nine on me, My nine on me Ni\*\*as hate and they gone

And Im on and im on, Ni\*\*as hate cuz im on

On the track wit Drip Sanchez gettin ten racks

Ni\*\*a we spittin big facts Takin the globe it's a hijack

Run Amuck
I was broke baggin nickels up 40 in the cut
Stay in ya place
Imma run amuck I aint give a f\*\*k
F\*\*k out my way
Ni\*\*a that was then still body ya friend
F\*\*k out my face
Ni\*\*a Im a God
Cuz I'm heaven sent

All dis dirty water I'm drinkin This sh\*t came straight from flint Every morning I wake up thinkin Why a ni\*\*a gotta get so bent I don't give a f\*\*k bout yo feelins Everything I said I meant And I did everything they said I can't Took a trip out west I pushed up 10 Ni\*\*a talkin bout he love her That don't mean that's yo bi\*\*h Right now can't afford no f\*\*k ups I work too hard fa dis I rock all white in dat booth I'm on some godly sh\*t And I be drippin everywhere I go that's why they call me drip Sip patron I like dat taste Turn this up I like dat bass Tell her come here I like her waist Only ask once I don't like to chase Got some people I'll never change on Back of her thigh put my name on Get my time ima put my GVNG on Nem nem nem you don't know my lingo

We in the lobby n she wanna bop me She hittin that ricky and Bobby aye

 $\acute{M}y$  bitches erotic I beat it like rocky they drinkin the drip like it's socky aye I'm not a cop so I can't cuff you

I don't got a heart so I can't love you Ever did me wrong then it's f\*\*k you f\*\*k you F\*\*k you, F\*\*k you

FISD gun shot flashes
Flesh to ashes
Ni\*\*as in caskets
Shit too drastic
Sleepin on a bare back mattress
Now I give my voice to da masses

Had to fight back like Cassius
Bout to hit the winnin shot like Paxson
Like ail don't need practice

Wasn't nobody askin when I was

Most of these bi\*\*\*es be slutty
I fu\*\*ed all on her and her buddy
They pu\*\*y was sticky like putty
Had to push the bi\*\*h out like a buggy
Cuz now a days bi\*\*\*es be buggin
I put my lil d\*\*k in her tummy
She told me she love me
I don't think we gon make it to summer
Maybe she was born like that
Maybe she ain't got no morals
She f\*\*k my boys
Ni\*\*a she a wh\*\*e like that
How you take pu\*\*y on tour like that
In the mirror pointin fingers but it point right back
What a ni\*\*a like me do with a joint like that
Sh\*t get addictive when it's moist like that
Why God had to hit her wit a poise like that

Gotta understand a real one when I'm talkin baby
Give you everything you want if you don't cross me baby
I don't know who really wit me so I be steady prayin
I don't wanna feel no pain that's why I'm steady faded
I gotta cold heart so I be feelin burr
Kyrie Irvin status imma finisher
Always come out clean but been through plenty dirt
Put my dreams in a pot I made it stir
Prophetic words but I'm not a minister
And I ain't trustin sh\*t until it get confirmed
And I don't believe a ni\*\*a that always switch his words
She wasn't never yo bi\*\*h anyway it was just yo turn

Forever Gettin this money forever Imma he hustlin forever Fu\*\*in these bit\*\*es forever Stackin these riches forever Staying on point forever Lighting up joint forever Smokin the loudest foever Don't f\*\*k wit no cowards no neva neva F\*\*k on these bit\*\*es forever Imma sip on this liquor forever Imma stack up this paper forever Free my ni\*\*as thats locked up forever Imma stay a real n\*\*a forever Once I get her I got her forever And i'm staying 100 forever The whole city gon love me forever ever

Got me pourin up henny I'm faded
Once I f\*\*k you den bitch you get traded
For dem bucs ima Tampa like Brady
When she ride it be smooth like Mercedes
Got a white bi\*\*h that boost out in Vegas
We don't kiss but she thick as potatoes
She got body like Meghan big f\*\*k wit montega I'm tryna ball wit da raiders
These bit\*\*es dey tell me they love me
While I'm in da booth with some stussy
And most of these ni\*\*as disgust me
You get hit in yo mouth you disgust me
When we come with them tools like we Russian
I might have my young ni\*\*as come rush em
And my ni\*\*a we do not discuss you
Cuz you do not fit our discussion
Yo bi\*\*h wanna f\*\*k on a boat

Aye
I gotta get me a boat
She want my d\*\*k in her throat
Aye
I gotta get in her throat
I put that bi\*\*h in a spot
And I broke that bi\*\*h lil heart
She gon forgive me or not
Cuz I gave that bitch what she got

Wasn't never bout me from the start I'm doin this sh\*t for da GVNG.
Ain't no new ni\*\*as it was f\*\*k em den and I still feel da same
Don't run up on me couple hunnit on me and I ain't fa da games
You ain't never got money dats why ya bi\*\*h all on me you should feel ashamed
Couple shots of da henny I butcher like Benny I f\*\*k and she won't get a penny
Got some bands in my skinny's they bulging my bi\*\*h wanna lick me I told her I'm busy
On my fifth blunt ooh I'm stuck
Yo pockets on flat like chucks
Buncha SRTS AND RTs everywhere ni\*\*as wonder why I'm buck
I'm da meat clever fu\*\*in on 3 skeezers
I'm battlin 3 demons no retreatin they tell me I need Jesus f\*\*k dat this eat season
Run it up trap gon keep bleedin
No stoppin I keep speedin like bass I keep beatin
Long as I keep breathin I'm gon keep reachin

Do What You Want
We can do what you want to
Prada, Gucci, Chanel to
Baby, we can do what you want to now
You can bring all your friends to
Come through
We can do what you want to,
All dat talkin now what you gon do,
Shorty, we can do what you want to now, Givenchy, Loui, Dior to
La La Laa Laa Laa La

She swingin like a monkey she lucky I let her su\*k me Body smooth as butter she yellow I call her mustard I'm buggin da bi\*\*h say she love me but I don't trust her Treat her like a hit I just slide and keep it bussin The way that I be going and going they think I'm on one I got yo bi\*\*h double dutchin on my d\*\*k She been lit since I hit her wit dat drip I don't slip foreign fabric when I trip I was fatherless but I done made it through some sh\*t They wanna see me down don't wanna see me win Got my head spinning like a disc spending money I insist Whatever you want baby just make a list

New Yeezys sippin on Fiji
Bad bi\*\*h wit me lookin like queen bee
Broke Ni\*\*as come around make me queezy I gotta go hard cuz dis sh\*t was never easy
Yellow diamonds on me lookin like pee pee
I aint even know the ni\*\*a I was screaming free Meek
Lifestyle crossed over CP3 good he\*d from a hood bi\*\*h got me weak kneed
Drippy Corleone I'm the Godfather
Pray before we hit the streets you know God us
I heard them ni\*\*as talkin sh\*t I am not bothered
They wonder why I'm always drinkin cuz I got problems
Spliff it up den hit da blunt
Sittin kickin it wit bitches all my ni\*\*as wit me runnin down like I just kicked a punt
They fear me when a ni\*\*a from
Alot of rappers coming out my city imma be the richest one

Get On Top In vo town I want it now You textin me come through You been talkin all that sh\*t now baby girl show me what you do Make it pop make it drop Bend it ova I don't stop Get yo friend we can swap Show me how you get on top

She wanna get to it let's get to it

She nasty that's why he trippin so hard

I leave out the booth bout to pick up this loot Straight to the bank then I'm comin to you My lil bi\*\*h more then just somethin to do Might send a text just to see if I ate Hit her back tellin her make me a plate I come in da crib I slide in her ribs I Fu\*\*ed her den dip now I'm back to da race Moves to make now it's paper to chase I was urgent I get to currency It was times I had to do burglary's And my momma keep sayin you worry me I don't wanna blow it So i'm smokin this dope cuz it help me stay focus I stay wit a shooter his pistol stay loaded I jumped in yo bi\*\*h like I jumped out the rover I'm never sober Lit like a bogey Just Leave me alone cuz you don't really know me Feel like a trophy when I get the Roley I'm drippin I walked in so clean like custodies Ni\*\*as can't see me I live in da dark I hit da swerve when I get in yo bro\*d He ballin her line while my dick in her jaw

This ain't a clinic but I got prescriptions I pop me a pizzy and fall back She wanna li\*k me but baby I'm busy I get to crib imma call back I ride wit dat rooney so ni\*\*a don't do it dem ni\*\*as you move wit is all rats Keep our sh\*t low but it's not a secret Her pu\*\*y taste sweeter den Reeses pieces I cut da bitch off cuz I didn't need her I'm Sanchez I need a Senorita These bit\*\*es be chips like the new tortilla and these ni\*\*as be butter soft So if homie don't like em den we gotta violate promise to God that we cut em off Fu\*\*k these h\*es we'll sl\*t em all Take his chain we'll run it all I'll hit up his block den I'm spinnin off Magic sticks like tadada Ni\*\*as like being broke that ain't fun at all I think imma get me another loft Imma f\*\*k up the whole fu\*\*in summer dawg

It took me a minute I got up to get it I'm back on my business that's all facts

Burna on my lap yeah that used to be me Huslin all night, yeah that used to be me Ounces on deck yeah that used to be me I'll blaze a ni\*\*a bi\*\*h, yeah that used to be me Breakin down pounds yeah that used to be me, I'll lay a ni\*\*a down, cuz that used to be me

They gon have to believe me dis summer yaw

Grew into a man, made a change cuz I see, but I gotta stay strapped cuz that used to be me

It's the same ol story,

Spillin out the pain with a pen we do it over and over again

Maybe it was a bad dream

Ni\*\*as chased me down when I was fifteen I wish I had a nine wit the read beam

But I ain't have sh\*t but my pen in my pocket

If they get close, Imma tear they eyes out they socket I aint gone lie I was scared as f\*\*k

Bunch of ni\*\*as in the cut at least two of em had to have a burner tucked

In the middle of the night so nobody would see, I ran into a fish shop, up on Jefferson Street Now they in my face couple ni\*\*as I don't recognize grabbin at the waist I said ni\*\*a i'm from this block you makin a mistake

I turned around the cashier had his gun out,

He said you stay here, yaw other ni\*\*as get out

Family picked me up windows down two guns in his lap

He said, show me where them ni\*\*as is at.

Thought I was a grown man then

Blood on my hands Fu\*\*ed around and got a mac 10

Don't stand a chance ni\*\*as lookin i'm like what now

Clutchin my waist, I done seen too much to back down

I'm a disgrace

But of course back then,

I wasn't man enough to see that sh\*t, the preacher talkin, I ain't hear that sh\*t

I was too busy in the trap house on Broadway

Baggin them rocks up

Smokin and drinkin gettin my di\*k sucked

Stuck in these childish ways had to shake it, my mind had to break it

All of the dirt that i've done, I never thought that I would make it

How the f\*\*k I say I love my ni\*\*as, when I turn around and hurt my ni\*\*as They plan is still the same

Psychologically we fucked up ni\*\*a

Get a job, put yo head up ni\*\*a

They puttin us in chains

I changed my life, for my kids and they motha

I'm still strapped damn I love my brothas, It's fu\*\*ed up ni\*\*a

Rock Bottom

They gotta sit behind a ni\*\*a like I'm Eddie Jones They say I talk that sh\*t like I'm already on

I tell em it's a blessing if I make it home No cough i'm sippin syrup like I got a cold

I know you prolly think I'm crazy but I'm not alone She extratin all this se\*\*n like It's out a straw

You better run up on some paper you better knock it off

Cuz all these monetary problems got em Choppin raw I swear I hate my baby mother and we don't talk at all Kiyan is a blessin but I regret the day we got involve

Around for all the drama but I'm too cool for it

And for you glitchin ass ni\*\*as I got new news for ya My yard man just bought a shed wit some new tools for ya

And have em watch yo every move like you Hulu boy

We don't wanna hear ya imagination just state facts Real ni\*\*a fitted for this new era no cap

You people made me ruthless I abjure Bellzebub tryna take me up

My intellect Confucius

"Travel Light" Amun-Ra come and wake me up

What am I supposed to know in a abyss Gabriel can you save me though

The ghetto is the introduction

Innocent child chock it back start bussin

I put GVNG. up on my back somebody had to push it

I ain't paranoid I'm conscious I'll blast a pu\*\*y
Taught shorty how to use a scale so she could bag it for me
Bi\*\*\*es wasn't even tryna speak and now they askin for me

Rooney when we got that news bout mommy sh\*t got tragic for us

Everyday I ask the Lord to go work that magic for us

Music is my love language took my heart and had to pour it

To prove my love to you and Poompsy promise I'll be glad to show it

They a call you fake before they call yo phone

Before you talk about me gotta problem make it known

I ain't tryna f\*\*k up sh\*t

Stack this money bunch a trips f\*\*k a bi\*\*h Puff a stick a Roley wrist double M that's 36

Cuban links doin tricks

Is it you and me or is it you and  $\ensuremath{\text{dem}}$ 

Ni\*\*a it ain't no I in team

But it's one in win

That mean it's loyalty over everything who wanna win

Ra look at how far i've come after all the things i've done Wake my eyes to the shining Sun the things i've done how far i've come

Sav our names I was just playing my game heard shots outside

Looked out the window bullet went through my brain

Say our names

Innocent babies they don't really know about much

After we die, we don't get a protest like Pac said they don't give a f\*\*k about us Say our names, Say our names

News won't show our pain

Lil infant baby

Shot, Killed, everybody went insane

Say our names

When the police kill they be marchin up and down my street

Lookin down from heaven

Paintin murals of George Floyed but, what about me

I was only three

F\*\*k a blood and a crip

I don't give a damn who you wit,

I was just a 17 month old baby, Layin in my grandma's arms in a bliss, good life i'll admit, Then everything flipped, I heard a loud bang in the street

Looked up at my grandmas face, red paint drippin all over her feet, then I couldn't see

I was crying so hard till I heard a voice say Kyree

Opened up my eyes, saw the most beautiful Angel standing at a tree, lookin at me

I could hear him in my head

He said my child don't cry, thou without sin, how about we pick out your wings and then I can teach you how to fly, Say my name

Vision of my past, gettin straight A's in my class

I would've been great, could've been a doctor, lawyer short life didn't really last

My mom and my dad

Came to the USA, gave me and brother a good life

I was only 12 year old, playing my game at the house in the middle of the night Then I heard a fight

People yellin and screamin In the Jefferson parking lot Then I heard a bang, Another loud bang, tried to call out my last breath that I got

Mommy I'm shot

Life is all but a dream, tell my big brother he a king

April 6 twenty nineteen, Say my name, Badar El waseem

Sav mv name

I could've been a Doctor, I was only 12 years old

I could've been a Lawyer, but I was only 8

I could've been a Police Officer, I was only 15 I could've been a teacher, but I was only 3

I could've been the President, but I was only 6 months old

#### Happy Birthday Mama

February 1st baby

You are my 1st lady Always taught me to work Ya worth is so amazing You help me learn to read You taught me how to spell Sprayed me wit little colognes you taught me how to smell You would just look at me at some times and tell me I was handsome Sheltered our lives from outside but now I understand it Try and protect us from demise cuz this a ruthless planet Even though the times got hard ma you never vanished To raise 3 kids on ya own I don't know how you managed But you did it well and you did it in style You showed us faith prevails and you did it wit smiles Girl you Sandras child can't nothin hold you down From payin bills to cookin meals kept a roof over our head You drove through the snow storm just to get us beds Ain't no man in this world that could take my momma place Big balloons and a cake we gon celebrate yo day

Each day I think of you
Thankful for what you do
You are so Beautiful mama
I know ya life was hard
All night you working hard
Oh i'm so proud of you mama
Jerome he working everyday
Karmella doin good
I just got a record deal mama
Oh we all love you so
We will never let you go
Have a happy birthday mama

The first hand that I ever grabbed was my mommas The first fan that I ever had was my momma Thanksgiving dinner had the best yams from my momma Independent she ain't need a man that's my momma Brought me in the world so I'm glad for my momma Keep me from them girls was a task for my momma Never gave up on life I'm glad for my momma No matter what we been through gotta celebrate our mommas Yo hurt days really hurt me Lookin forward to them Sundays for the church day And birthdays was the worst days Now we sippin Ace of Spade cuz we thirsty I could cry for years for all the tears that I brought you Never ever meant to cause the pain that I caused you Dedicate this song to all the moms that done fought through Could never pay you back but we can show you that we love you

Hey ma this Karmella happy birthday
Happy birthday granny it's
Hey ma it's Jerome just letting you know happy birthday I love you
Happy birthday granny from Xavion
Happy birthday granny from Xavior
Hi granny it's Kai happy birthday
Hey ma it's Kenny happy birthday I love you

Last year this time today, I was diagnosed with stage four pancreatic cancer. Today it's been a year since I been a cancer survivor.

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God bless you all.

And most importantly lets not forget Jesus Christ my Lord and my Savior. Thank you God.





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