

# 311, Misdirected Hostility

Now I'm not the type to just act like I know  
Puttin' on an angle, puttin' on a show  
Speaking on nothing makes you a stunt  
I'll tell you right here, yo I won't front  
I cross the T's and skip non-legitimacies  
Or else, please  
I cannot handle all the negative vibe merchants  
Is that all you have in you, perchance?  
So much angst and pain it's so wack  
You should take a tip from the one [[Frank Black]]  
Play some pachinko, play some parcheesi  
'Cuz all the angst shit is just cheesy

It's the 311 bliss, too smooth for pissed  
Lyrics talkin' loud again, yeah we are the party men  
Cosmetics that you fretted, we sport the high aesthetic  
Here go rap kickin' the dazzled crazy mathematic  
I am what I am, mix some old school jams  
Onto tape 'cuz the party's in the crates I scan  
Step into the realm, whatcha gonna do?  
Give the party people something funky to listen to

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Bodyrock, pop and lock, here's an example  
Boulevard chrome beats always ampin' your temple  
Punks get got in the age of hip hop  
It's just begun like stolen bikes on the blacktop  
Born to sing a lyric immaculately conceived  
No strain in your game if your game is respected  
Come as you are, radio star  
Drown out the hatred with a rhyme and a little guitar

Dispatched when rap shattered, the glass of radio access  
May we turn some soul on their rhythmless dances?  
You know the time and they'll know the scoop  
They'll say it was a rhyme and a beat of a rap group

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Your rhymes have been outmoded so just quit your bellyachin'  
You're saying that you're tortured, give me a fuckin' break and  
Maybe take out the source of your disparin'  
What do I mean? Kick the fuckin' heroin  
I speak from experience, because I didn't see clearly once  
Acting like a dunce  
In 1989 I was cocaine and Jim Beam  
But now it's '95 and I'm ginseng

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