## Avant, G.P.S.A.

I know some people might not understand me

I might not go number 1 or win a grammy

But uh

I done, done the lovin, I done, done the touchin

All the kissing and hugging baby you know its nothing

Everybody know that I can oh-oh

Ladies love it when I go oh-oh

[JD:]

You trying to stop all that?

[Avant:]

No

[JD:]

Well brother please can you make me understand what youre sayin

[Avant:]

Listen man

Troubles of the world today

Its got me heated

Every word Im about to say

I feel is needed

So let me talk about the things thats goin on (going on)

The war is over but the troops aint home

I see the bullies flying, see the people dying

See the babies crying

Whats the reason

[JD:]

So who you supposed to be Public Enemy #1

Now next thing I know youre gonna be trying to tell me to put my guns down [Avant:]

Im trying to have a conversation with you fore you let these streets get you,

Show you a bigger picture than standing on this block

[JD:]

You wanna talk well where the -- at

Cause homie I dont need that

Stuff you talking what Im doin aint never gonna stop

You must been watching too much CNN

Its about them dividends

The hood aint change I dont know where you been

-- everybody suffering, and its way more tougher than it was

And we dont never see nobody helping us

[Avant:]

Okay

That's so true

I can feel your pain

Im not here to argue

Just put vou up on game

But I guess you the type I cant tell a damn thing

Couple of dollars in your pocket and you start losing your brain

Its a trap

Got you hustling all through the night

Its a trap

They takin pictures in broad daylight

Dont let the system trick you into nothing else

Please

Be a man and stand for yourself

If you not rich by now you probably never get it

How can I get this -- to listen to what Im sayin to him

Dont be a fool with that I dont give a damn attitude

Cause I know you got someone at home that you in love with

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[Avant:] Please listen

Hear me when I say dont

Let this system knock you

Lock your ass away cause

You got things to live for, your family and your children

Dont want to lose the life that youve been living

Stuff you talking what Im doin aint never gonna stop

[Avant:]

Please listen (please listen)

Hear me when I say dont (I got some serious words for you my brothers)

Let this system knock you (90% of us on lockdown)

Lock your ass away cause (and we dont need another)

You got things to live for, your family and your children (oh, so many brothers doing life cant see their kids, Im so sincere)

Dont want to lose the life that you've been living (Im so sincere)

So sincere

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