Ben Folds Five, Rockin The Suburbs

Let me tell y'all what it's like

Being male, middle class and white

It's a bitch, if you don't believe

Listen up to my new CD, sham on

I got shit running through my brain

So intense that I can't explain

All alone in my white boy pain

Shake your booty while the band complains

I'm rockin' the suburbs

Just like Michael Jackson did

I'm rockin' the suburbs

Except that he was talented

I'm rockin' the suburbs

I take the checks and face the facts

That some producer with computers

Mixes all my shitty tracks

I'm pissed off but I'm too polite

When people break in the McDonalds line

Mom and dad you made me so uptight

Gonna cuss on the mic tonight

I don't know how much I can take

Girl, give me somethin' I can break

I'm rockin' the suburbs

Just like Quiet Riot did

I'm rockin' the suburbs

Except that they were talented

I'm rockin' the suburbs

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That some producer with computers

Mixes all my shitty tracks

In a haze these days

I pull up to the stoplight

I can feel that something's not right

I can feel that someone's blasting me

With hate and bass

Sending dirty vibes my way

'Cause my great great great great granddad

Made someone's great great great great granddaddy slaves

It wasn't my idea, it wasn't my idea, it never was my idea

I just drove to the store for some Preparation H

Y'all don't know what it's like

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It gets me real pissed off and it makes me wanna say

It gets me real pissed off and it makes me wanna say

It gets me real pissed off and it makes me wanna say

It gets me real pissed off and it makes me wanna say, fuck!

Just like Jon Bon Jovi did

I'm rockin' the suburbs

Except that he was talented

I'm rockin' the suburbs

I take the checks and face the facts

That some producer with computers

Mixes all my shitty tracks these days

Yeah, yeah, I'm rockin' the suburbs

Yeah, yeah, I'm rockin' the suburbs, yeah, yeah

You'd better look out because I'm gonna say fuck!

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