## Brand Nubian, Always Mine

" You'll be always mine... all through your life think you'll find, you'll be always mine... all through your life, think you'll find you'll be always mine"

[Sadat X]

You gon' always be mine, no matter who else in line And deep down, you know that in your heart We occasionally live life dreams Time stood still, and split up the seams Years can be brutal but it served you well You mighta gained a pound but I can't tell Who me? I'm in the same vein, healthy Not as wealthy as I wanna be, but I'm aight But to you that never mattered anyway I couldn't stand in yo' way when you choose to grow Said you had to follow yo' lifelong dreams to the lands of the stars, cameras, lights Bright sunny days and we parted our ways Then the hourglass with the sand slipped fast Now we are where we are today, in oh-four And maybe it'll happen once more But if don't, know our time together was golden Memories I'ma keep holdin, and know I'm here And one more thing my dear (" All through your life, think you'll find ") (" You'll be always mine... all through your life think you'll find, you'll be always mine...")

[Lord Jamar]

Yo, we first met in junior high I was so shy, you was so fly At first I done knew you would be mine Clocked in, started doin my time Walkin you home, hours, we talked on the phone Eventually, we started to bone In a whirlwind, you became my girlfriend We used to both rock the matchin Sherlings With the sweatshirts, with our names on it On the back it had our love proclaimed on it Then we broke up, and got back together Then we broke up, and got back together It was like that, for what seemed forever Then it got to the point that we had to sever The years had passed And wouldn't you know it, met and her yo we crossed paths And I have to laugh Cause it didn't take nuttin for a nigga to smash, cause ("All through your life, think you'll find") ("You'll be always mine... all through your life think you'll find, you'll be always mine...")

## [Grand Puba]

I couldn't wait to walk to school each day
And wait for you to pass my way (uh-huh)
I never really had nuttin to say, but
how ya doin, and have a nice day
Until one day, one Monday
I put the mack down, recess playground
Ever since then homegirl been down
Feelin my style cause I wasn't no clown
From, element through the college days
Did shows after school, used to bring you backstage
We reminisce on how we used to play
When I got sick, you got sick the same days

Okay? (okay) you know how that go (yeah)
Mom at work, so we got the fo'
Half hour for the cleanup then you out the do'
Walked down one flight to be safe fo' sho'
After, all that shorty love still with it
How I put my thang down and the way I hit it, so
("All through your life, think you'll find")
("You'll be always mine... all through your life think you'll find, you'll be always mine...")