

## The Bends

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Bend, we don't break, we not the bank  
We all we got  
Switch whips, relocate way out of state  
Bada bing, bada bam  
It's the puppet master, all of the strings in my hand  
Peace to my mans, gotta go be with your fam more (For real)  
For real, I feel like the landlord  
My niggas came a long way from the Dickies and dirty JanSports  
Jack of all trades, was dealing niggas a handful  
Bend, we don't break, we not the bank  
Got memories of your face  
The photo still on the mantle  
It's real when you seal up letters with wax  
Shit changed, now the checks that we seein' is handsome, real  
Mike WiLLy shit, we went gorilla, they really gave us the ranso  
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You silly, we taxed 'em, bad blood  
Doing 'em dashes and and pulling fast ones  
Seen your heart soar, got torn up in the past once  
Before a jawn, young god get the cash run  
Hard hung heads might starve in the end  
Young god get the cash 'fore a jawn thump  
Pause wit' your man, call Mos if you can, by God (By God)  
Bend, we don't break, we not the bank  
Switch whips, relocate all the way out of state  
Tell my queens, "Keep mace"  
Keep faith, brother man  
They stable full of sheep, we stayin' on the lam  
Game isn't cheap