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Ayy, came a long way from that porch where shit was wicked Remember jumping spot to spot 'cause T-Jones tried to dodge that sentence, huh But shit, I understand 'cause as a man I'm tryna get it I got dropped from school and grabbed the tool 'cause Pops said life was vic ious Shit, I was lost but found a plan, picked it up and then I ran Never knew this route I took would turn me up to feed my fam I thank God like everyday 'cause, shit, he helped me find my purpose I was hurtin', shit, I went from hearin' shots to hearin' fans behind them c urtains So I know that it's workin', I just stick to the plan and keep the snakes up out my circle 'Cause the ones that say they love you be the first to try and hurt you Dry you out and desert you, I really came from the bottom, the top don't com e with no curfews

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I probably would say, "Thank you"
'Cause she taught me a lot
It's alright, it's okay, you know how it feels
But overall, man, I just, I hope she happy