The Reckoning

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Well the fiery 5 points came from queen of Babylon Rotten rapture and lines of lives that came undone And how cool wind blew their dreams away like paper cups Now they're bound and bearing the shadows of the gun Let's sing

And the stranded senioritas fall and take a knee For the anthem [?] dark and rising drum While the cholos in their Chevrolets and mercy streets And the shiny wall for the bankers at the Bronx

Then they line the halls of the prison, it becomes

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So the choir boys hide their voices bruised and out of tune While the priest is in the harbor rides a wave And the bar girls drown their choices in their silver spoons With a junkman's nightmare crashing in their veins

And the rich ride silver horses to their waiting ships While the poor cry out for justice and cocaine And they all bow to the new clown of the apocalypse And he stamps the truth and slides out onto the stage

Then as the footlocks melt the grease paint from his face It's very hard to tell the master from his slaves

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