

# I've Always Known

Busdriver

Is this on?  
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No shit!

I've been waiting for you to reduce the black experience to a Super Series of fly-by-night catch phrasing  
And for every hiccup that I might sight for me to be labeled wide-eyed and trite  
As a forest nymph in stretch plating  
'Exclamation point apostrophe slash' is what you get when your Modus operandi comes off like a comedy gag  
Its like being spoon fed from a colostomy bag of an old crotchety hag  
That got all of us hard-numb-palmed and deep fried

You know that!

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Sorry, underground hip-hop happened ten years ago  
Imagine having to say this at the Pan-African theater group bake sale  
Its been painted over like a glazed crayon pedicure  
And the mantra's been scrambled into this crazed non-sequitur  
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These words stay parenthesized between two reticent moon halves  
So go tell them douche bags their white tees look like night gowns  
While I loaf under the awning of my moral high ground

Yeah!

No shit!

Y'all got salt water colonics  
While my alma mater's polish was hallmark worthy

No shit!

And though my small squad is modest  
I'm a cross-journal lobbyist  
Here to install thoughts with moral conflicts

Oh!

Still girls do not sing mucho gusto papi  
Nor do I get kudos for being a pseudo-commie  
Cause I let niggas down like Boutros Boutros-Ghali  
Being overboard like a cruise boat volley  
Fool, suck my glucose lollie

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