dem jus' a-whole heap a liar a-heapin' downpression 'gainst iyah betraying the earth rightful ruler what a mistake, what a mistake now babylon

with a cross and a dagger dem run come rape mother africa and turn we garden a empire what a disgrace, what a disgrace now babylon

oh you can't keep I down babylon I am a rastaman no you can't keep I down babylon I am a rastaman, oh yeah I am a rastaman

so sing we praise to the higher and lick a draw, natty inspire and meditation come forward satta binghi, satta binghi burn babylon

raise the black starliner cos marcus words dem a transpire and jah lion fe conquer one of these days, one of these days now babylon

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