

## Drama

Dave

Like man was sayin', bruv  
Many nights man prayed, bruv  
Send man someone who's gonna help me  
Through this, man  
Someone's gonna help bring me out of this shit, you know  
Time, just took a while for man to recognize, boy  
Who He was gonna send  
And, you know what, mans, I'm very proud  
Very happy to say it's one of my own, innit, you know  
And, boy, but oh, none of this is easy, you know  
Just proud to be, to be witnessing what's goin' on, man, you know

Ptshh, look, I don't know where to start  
But I just done my first psychodrama  
And I hope the world hears my craft  
I'm excited, man, I pray you get to hear my craft  
For my childhood on, mother didn't hear me laugh  
I'm presentin' you the future, I don't fear my past  
I ain't got a tattoo anywhere near my arms  
But best believe on my sleeve is where I wear my heart

Do you know how easy it is to be a sinner?  
How many losses you need before you can be a winner?  
Reason with a criminal that needs to eat a dinner  
Is it survival of the fittest or is he a killer?  
Losing Dad was big, losing you was even bigger  
Never had a father and I needed you to be the figure  
We're foregettin' we had a brother that was even bigger  
We were figures just tryna figure out who could be a figure

My brothers never spoke to each other when I was growin' up  
I remember tryna build a bridge, I wasn't old enough  
I pray I'll hold the game for as long you man can hold a grudge  
Years went by  
I know it's fucked how I had to hold it up for Mummy on my own  
I know it's tough, I got the coldest blood  
I remember when you got sentenced and I was throwin' up  
It's like they took a piece of my freedom when I had opened up

I'd just lost the only fuckin' person that I idolized for my entire life  
I copied you down to the finest line  
Bro, I got a flame in my mind that I'm tryna fire-fight  
The pill I had to swallow wasn't bitter, it was cyanide  
I learned over time, separation issues I describe  
Are probably the reason that I struggle feelin' anything  
I ain't got a vision of a marriage or a wedding ring  
It's world domination in music or it ain't anything  
I'm obsessed, focused on the objective 'til it done, yes  
Disagree, I object  
Used to treat my women like an object  
Girls want a monster? Come and see  
I'm the Lough-Ness  
Settle for a lot less  
I just hope you're proud of me, brother  
It's been a long stretch

You're my hero

Prior to this, I was livin' on the edge like a house on a cliff  
But now I'm livin' in the present like my house was a gift  
I'm goin' psycho  
This scene's mine, bro  
Rappers wanna dis' me  
It's only online, though  
They put the mic and soft in the Microsoft  
Not I, bro  
Swimmin' only time I can lie, though  
And let me be genuine  
Anybody richer my age is American  
Kickin' ball or inherited  
It only makes sense I'm independent  
Knowing everything it happened how I'm tellin' it  
You niggas aren't gettin' it  
I'm comin' from the struggle, I survived and I'm still here  
Used to bump train, that's two ways, I don't feel fair  
I don't know trust, I know a tight bond will tear  
Like a good wig, I can't tell you if it's real hair  
I'm from South London, brother, people gettin' killed here  
You can make a mill', but you can lose it if you're still here  
I lost over thirty grand to family, I'm still here  
The word don't appeal to me, you steal from me, I'm still here

Bro, I wasn't made for this  
I don't get a break, but I'm aware of what breakin' is  
I wish you could take a hint as well as you can take the piss  
I don't even speak to our brother, man, I just pray for him  
It's never too late for him  
Life is at its craziest  
Rules started cavin' in  
All the things I've seen would turn a atheist atheist  
I didn't get ninety-nine marks in English, I was fakin' it  
I got ninety-eight, 'cause I don't know what a "vacation" is  
If you saw God, what would you say to Him?  
If given a chance , would you have taken it?  
If you could rewind time, what would you change in it?  
Do you believe in what an angel is?  
Furthermore, do you believe in what the Devil is?  
Do you believe that I could illustrate what Streatham is  
Then break the fourth wall and base Leslie on my relatives?  
I'm grateful for my life, because I aimed for this  
Every bad moment, every single fuckin' day of this  
People lookin' at me, that's what fame can bring  
But to understand the stairs, you take steps, then retrace the shit  
I told my circle the future's ours, we're shapin' it  
The past is just the reason that I came to this  
I thank God for the pain, because it made me this

Dunno if you remember them days, bruv  
I see them days, one night in particular, bruv  
I think, um, for some reason man put on a beat  
It was us in the front room  
Freestylin', bar for bar  
I don't even know how old you was these times, bruv  
Probably about, mmm, ten, ten, nine  
Yeah, man, when I think about it now  
I think about the transition  
Them days there, you had no bars  
But let's be real, did anyone, bruv?  
You know what I mean, it's called context, bruv  
But, it was mad fun, bruv  
But the stuff nowadays today, it's proper, man

You know what I mean, man  
I think man's definitely blessed  
See how the whole thing's come together  
Sometimes when I think it was Jekyll and Hyde, man  
You played man, that one there  
I was thinkin, "Yo, this one her's a banger, bruv  
And I remember when I heard that one  
Live on the, on the airwaves for the first time, bruv  
Man was pumpin' it  
Man come to my door, he said, "Bro, man!  
Let's have it large, you know"  
I was like, "Fam, that's my brother"  
He was like, "Yeah?"  
And you know, on your birthday, man sent you a little card  
And it begins: 'Jesse made seven of his sons pass before Samuel  
But Samuel said to him, "The Lord has not chosen these"  
So he asked Jesse, "Are these all the sons you have?"  
"There is still the youngest," Jesse answered  
"But he is tending the sheep"  
Samuel said, "Send for him  
We will not sit down until he arrives"  
So he sent for him and had him brought in  
He was ruddy and of fine appearance and handsome features  
Then the Lord said, "Rise and anoint him  
He is the one"  
Bro, you know what that means  
Say no more, man