

# Real Recognize Real

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The whole truth, nothing but it  
Ben Franklin my witness, boy I keep it one hundred  
So if I say I ain't playing, ain't no flodging or frontin'  
I got the ball, I cut my legs off before I punt it  
Bruh said that we fake, I don't know where he heard that  
Probably met some pulpit pimp with a permanent Cadillac  
No I ain't like him at all, I am not perfect dawg  
But even when I fall, I know Christ paid it all  
And I preach that, only hope so I teach that  
Co-signed by that boy Lecrae, so I guess you say that I Reached that  
I'm a try to live what I talk about until they pit my coffin out  
And if I'm wrong I call it out so you can see what my God about  
I don't want you to think that I'm perfect, I just want you to see the Lord  
is worth it  
All I got is his grace and mercy  
And guess what, boy? I don't deserve it

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Aye y'all so unfamiliar, I ain't never seen you bro  
And where you say I know you from? And who you say you know I know?  
It's one thing I can't take, a flodge and a fake when it come to faith  
And I ain't flawless, ain't the standard, but I'm a sure enough be a living  
example  
Ol' Saints came in and laid the tracks, blood, sweat and tears, skin off the  
y backs  
These new cats here tryna ride the train, and folks hopping on telling lies  
and things  
Trying to derail with false details, everybody looking like we fail  
I seen your kind for a long time, you fake Gucci, no retail  
Y'all don't fool me with empty rhymes, cliché words, preachy lines  
Everybody here been made homie, can't nobody vouch for your life in grind  
Who disciplined you? Where you serving, mayne? What ya reading, bruh? What ya  
learning, mayne?  
Listen we ain't even in no gang, but this thing realer then the set you clai  
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Look, this ain't some Faith I made, faith made me, you could tell I'm change  
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You probably wondering why the folk look at you strange, you a stranger, the  
y never heard your name

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Real recognize real, pushers recognize deal  
Predators recognize prey, killers recognize kill  
You thought you was a real gangster in a jeep then they rolled up on you with a .45  
Shot that boy in the club, now you in the parking lot and it's 'bout to get live  
Homeboy is 'bout the west side, yo kinfolk get riders' lives  
Fist to the face, gun go out, take that air, ridin' high  
Now you come back to your Father raising your hands high  
I won't return to my vomit, stand up with the men of Christ  
Jesus Christ, the Way, the Truth, the Life, that's the Author and Father  
Greater is he that's in me than choppers poppin' and stop ya  
Don't die in these streets, you are purposed for something  
If they tear down your hood and change your block, then the game was all for nothing  
Bangers, thugs, killers, drugs, dealers too happy to bleed  
The aftermath of willingness, we refusin' to read  
Is there eternal life, turnin' from Christ and you still  
Live like hell and see heaven? Nope, THAT AIN'T REAL

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