

# Dear Mama

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Tell me how you did it tell me how u did it  
You knew from birth that your child was destined to be the richest  
Auntie jackie told stories bout u and the struggle  
I heard I ate first and then you ate after  
But there's nothing left  
Whole plate was empty never knew we was broke It never really hit me  
But now I understand  
Adults eyes and what kids see  
You protected me throwing them shades on so I couldn't see it  
Man I was fly  
But lil did I notice you was crying  
You could barely put on your shoes but my shirt was ironed  
You so tired I wish I knew that  
Why you do that  
But now that I know I'm working so hard to get your life back

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You kept my head my shoulders  
Waking up 5 in the morning  
Just to drop me at the neighbors house  
These are things that I can't forgot  
You took me to disney world  
Know you couldn't afford it but we still boarded them planes every summer ye  
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Winter had northfaces and timbs I was stuntin yea  
Sent me to college with all them loans mean something  
Cause not for nothing I really owe you my life and that's why u got it comin  
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Paint you the perfect picture when I get that paint just gotta wait  
For years I wanted to get you a place  
And look ma now we here  
Every morning I wake and now I'm feeling great  
God gave me the greatest mother man I call it fate

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