

# How Long

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How long will the people struggle, how long?  
How long will the people have to fight, how long?  
While the leaders carry on

Promises don't feed hungry belly  
Set your traps, you kill ghetto pickney  
Then you lie, then you steal, from the poor you mistreat  
But soon will come, your day

How long will the children have to cry, how long?  
Will they be forgiven, what did they do wrong?  
How long will they have to fight, destroying their lives?  
While the leaders carry on

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Oooo...eh eh ehhh

Your children children children  
How long? How long?  
Oooo...Ooooo How loooo-ooong...Eh  
You will surely get a beating, for all your wrongs  
Hey you, tell me how long  
How long? How long? Eh  
Can't you hear...Oh  
Mi woulda like fi know how long it ago tek  
Fi Babylong tek a simple check  
Inna dis reality  
Tell me how long  
Woahhh, how long? Tell me how long  
People unda pressure  
Tell me how long, mi she tell mi how long  
How long? Oooo, how long  
People dem, people under pressure  
Mmmmmmm...yea yea yea yea...yea  
Yea...Mi woulda like fi know how long it ago tek  
Fi Babylon mek a simple check  
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