

# Growth

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Trynna grow, trynna be a better person  
Letting go of everything that isn't serving me and no  
I don't know, where this path is finna take me but I'm certain  
That for growth, I gotta ghost past versions of my own, yo  
See I used to be a lazy motherfucker with no motivation  
Smoking, drinking crazy with no other structure, just complacent  
On the train home from Philly cause I thought I'd skip class  
I guess it's fair to say that I was on the wrong track  
It appears though I was hanging wit a bunch of weirdos  
Kids with wealthy families trynna hustle, it was weird bro  
Trynna be like Gucci, they been in and outta county, it's pathetic  
Just to turn into nobody, anorexic  
It's perplexing, but luckily, I took a different path  
If I knew then what I knew now then I'd be stacked  
But it's okay, it don't matter I suppose though  
Cause I'm where I'm at now and all that we can really do is grow so

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Yo, we just trynna grow  
Three, two, one, let's go bro, geronimo  
They had potential but it's mental and it's time to show  
Ain't nothing promised but I promise you I gotta know  
I came from nothing, now it's nothing but a lot of dough  
Now when I'm pissing in a pot, it's a pot of gold  
Always did what I wanted which was not as told  
You could do what I did but you not as bold  
Been chasing dreams since I was 18  
Life a gamble, you don't get to wipe the slate clean  
But the struggle mixed with hustle is what make kings  
More than streams cause I plan to do some great things  
Make dreams and create scenes  
Break seams, ya'll just make memes

Still hungry so I might just lick the plate clean  
It was destine, from a peasant to a great king

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