

## Doves

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Yeah, yeah  
Every turn of page, just another issue  
Good days is a double-edged blade, Ginsu  
I can't count a frame where I didn't miss you  
I been outer space, knocking tryna get through  
High as fuck as close to consistent, my mental  
I been drinkin' under the table, I thought you quit, fool?  
I don't think you know 'bout reverence and ridicule  
I don't think you know 'bout theft as founding principle  
I don't think we'll ever have enough to get us full  
I don't think I'll ever fall in love again, I'm cool  
I didn't think we'd ever have this budget or this pull  
Conversation with the youngins, pulled up after school  
Told 'em, got this VVS chain, we breaking the rules  
Still got these A's, made my prayers after a jugg  
Hella anxious, made space for thinkin' I could  
When the city get no cushion I ain't feign I understood  
It's a storm, I locked eyes with the eye for some hours  
Broke my pride at the height of my power  
Confidence ain't common sense, so niggas sour  
Don't hate me in secret, give me all my flowers  
I hate me in public, 'cause I got a spine  
I struggle with trusting, 'cause I got a mind  
I mutter my luggage tonnage over time  
I been rubbing off my luster with the grind

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