I'm only 9 on the block
Bailin' to the liquor store with 2 dollars in my socks
Say, 'cuz when I talk, pants sag when I walk
Bumpin' Kday, just discovered hip-hop

I play Pop Warner and I love Transformers But you see the big homey standin' out on the corner He got real guns, not the ones from G.I. Joe He feared and respected like everywhere we go

Can't wait 'til I'm 10 and I get jumped in You should see the tattoo, he gave himself with the pain He did it in the pain like 3 years ago And he just got home, now he bigger than before

Liftin' weights in the yard he, way too hard Been shot 5 times, even let me touch the scars I can ride in his car when I get from the hood A fresh Iroc with a dope Kenwood

Two 15's and his curl on sheen
A big booty freak with some airbrushed jeans
Don't dis put the hood in your childhood dreams
Growin' up these days ain't as easy as it seems

We live life like death ain't a thing Fear and respect we collect like kings Relive stress with every breath I sing And we all chase money 'cause we scared to chase dreams

19, almost 20 years old Cut the baby curl, now I got an afro Cornrows, some say French braids Weed and robberies the only way I get paid

Couldn't slang crack, O.G.'s do that So money hungry wouldn't front me a sack That's why the old timers keep gettin' jacked I'm full time bangin' ain't no turnin' back

Dropped out of school, no G.E.D But in these streets I'm a G O D Enemies tell they B.G. stories 'bout me A nightmare when I'm off that P

That's why they always run when they see me in the street Known to beat 'em down, straight take they heat What about the police, man even they scared When I see ya hit the block I put 2 in the air

Got my momma scared of me And she's the only woman that would ever dare to love me Respect from my peers on the set 10 years Bona fide so I hide my regrets and my fears

On the front porch buzzin'
High that's probably why I didn't even see 'em comin'

5 rounds to the chest, now, I'm fightin' for my life 'Cause some fool from the other side, wanted stripes

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