

## Mama Words

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I had to learn, I ain't listen  
Mama told me, I can't be bored, I was gifted  
Watched my surroundings, I had to learn from a distance  
They always told me I was gon end up in prison  
Mama told me I was gon make it, keep going  
[?] but in the morning I'm on it  
I was in the game making plays, I was scoring  
I be seeing snakes in the grass when I'm mowing  
I told her step aside on my way to the top  
Imma be there for a long long time  
Who really on your side?  
Who really down to ride?  
They be faking and I don't know why

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In the kitchen, I'm with the purp  
Used to wake up and just serve  
Blew his brains out on the curb  
Did him dirty, I know you heard  
[?] over some words  
Respect is something that's earned  
Over love will get him burned  
And if I ever fucked her, I had my turn  
Had to slither through dirt and mud like a worm  
Saw my first body up close as hell was lost for words  
Niggas break easy, like candy canes and popsicles  
Too much of these streets'll break you down like rocks and stones

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