It's such a cold world, ain't it? When every dream you have is starting to look tainted Moms ain't around, she struggles to keep the light on Them second hand clothes to try on Toes sticking out the front of your shoes And all your friends keep laughing all the time but not you It seems like a thousand years Must have cried like a thousand tears, but now I'm here And God knew where to put me Shit was not sweet, no milk and no cookies Schools said he ain't worth the trouble So I made a few plans and sold a couple grams Lost a lot of close people on the way Memories were celebrated the same day That's how it goes I'm in the mud trying to find a rose So I'm gonna keep

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I won't let go, I keep jumping over hurdles
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I never thought I'd see this
Had them cuff prints embedded in both of my damn wrists
Came from the bottom like I never stood a chance
Went from hugging the block to hearing the crowds chant
And now they talking about the old me and miss him
How we could have made it together but they would never listen
I kept swimming upstream
With a pocket full of nickels and a fist full of dreams
See the clouds go away, my days get sunny
They might have took a shot but they ain't take shit from me
Standing on my own two, roaming with the wrong crew
Showed how to move when that paper turned funny
But it's all love, I know I'm right where I need to be
And dedicate this to those who never believed

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Ups and downs
I'm gonna keep on jumping until I can't touch the ground
I know it's hard but I made it so far, I've made it so far
And I don't know, no
Where I'm gonna go, I keep