

# Retribution

## Behind Enemy Lines

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Each day claims a life and a half dozen limbs  
Violent backlash  
The postwar fallout has turned into a bloodbath  
Occupation not liberation  
Nation building has been paved over by desperation  
Trapped in this quagmire  
American brutality throwing fuel on the fire  
A sea of blood floods the occupied land  
While the village idiot plays war in the sand  
In the presidential sandbox he's out of harm's way  
Protected by the privilege that allows him to play  
That's shielded him from danger and still hides his desertion  
And demands that those less privileged shoulder his burden  
He'll sacrifice your life to provide his with privilege  
Using his little toy soldiers as political leverage  
He's got his bombs in the air and his pawns in a row  
And thousands of broken toys buried six feet below  
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He's sown the seeds for more hate and distrust  
He's justified their contempt for us  
"The Christian crusader" taking on the gutter religion  
In the name of god he's murdered their children  
He's a warmongering coward who's got blood on his hands  
He sent his toys thousands of miles to draw a line in the sand  
Now there's thousands of lines all illustrated in chalk  
Slaughtered and maimed in what they were told would be a cakewalk  
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He claims to be fighting the war against terror and winning  
But we haven't seen anything yet this is just the beginning  
He invaded their land for alleged terrorist involvement  
Now that land's become a breeding ground for actual  
Recruitment  
Where they're kidnapping foreigners and cutting off heads  
This is the extremism that our brutality's bred  
This is Bush's idea of making us safer  
Escalating the violence and inviting more danger  
Our presence in the middle east will always be resented and hated  
Those occupied aren't so easily placated  
They see first hand the brutality and abuse  
They don't have the situation spoon-fed to them by corporate news  
They hear the cries of their children after we've severed their limbs  
They see American soldiers torturing and killing civilians  
How do we apologize to these children that we mutilated in error?  
If we had to look in their eyes would we be able to look in the mirror?  
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