

## Tremble

Brother Ali

I'm a man, not a brand  
Heart knows no bar code that can be scanned  
Revealing what can't be held up in the hand  
Bearer of the standard that you cram to understand  
Uncharted land telescopes can't discover  
Can't throw it at strippers to make 'em pretend they love you  
I sew the seed like fabric at the seams  
You can't sip it to lean, but you can give it to fiends  
The most taken for granted on the planet  
You can't Snapchat it or Instagram it  
It's from the unseen realm where the camera can't film  
But the coal gets scorched into diamonds in the kiln  
Created and evolved, the khaliq and the rabb  
The sun, moon and the stars, Alhamdulillah  
The biggest secret but you can't Wikileak it  
Cause an unbroken chain transmit it to the seekers  
Little mysteries bring the biggest victories  
I'ma click the dhikr beads 'til I'm rid of this disease  
We the breath of God that was left in charge  
They dread the second we remember what we are

I tremble in the presence of it  
I tremble at the mention of it

The infinite love that animates the finite  
The necessary where the possible derive light  
Uncreated majesty and mercy  
Irrestible end of every journey  
Allah