

# Dog Eat Dog

De La Soul

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Extra extra  
What's that all about?  
I'm wishin the position  
Of my loving's sorted out

I shed a tear cause i'm hearin'  
Nothing new or particular  
Status once parallel  
Now it's perpendicular

And everything is just as clear as day  
Realistically explicit  
In the things you say  
I guess a "bitch" in the batter's

Gonna make the flavor fatter  
But you gotta keep it for real  
Forget about your jewels and gems  
You won't be needin

None of them  
The tool'll fix the era  
My mellow used to wear a  
Namebuckle, now he chuckle

'Cause he earn a dime Quicker  
Talkin bout a burnin'  
Sippin on some malt liQuor  
And all these kiddies

Wishin they were supa emcees  
But to earn my "s"  
I had to learn some less  
About a crime'll make million

A dime'll make a call  
I'd rather hop on the line  
And drop a rhyme to prince paul  
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Hey kid  
What's the word?  
Man, it's all about mind

Keeping focused  
On them self-mechanisms of rhyme  
So no longer stand erect  
'Cause your thoughts are drained

Walkin' round  
Manifesting attributes of shame  
Used to squabble for the mic  
But now accordingly

We act  
Unless a club can't afford the fee  
We act  
So name that any best man

To put us under  
Created from the ground  
Yet know nothin  
'Bout the under

Take a glimpse  
At them pimps  
Playin record exec  
Addin up all your zeros

So's to cut you a check  
Saying why the blunder wonder  
Could've g'd today  
So you can put up some swings

For your seed to play  
But a swing ain't that important  
When the park's around the corner  
Filled with life causing death

Greeting victims for the morning  
It was the moment i feared  
Nah, the moment i steered  
Upon the right path

To know the right math  
To over stand  
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