

# No Way As The Way

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Yea, I used to go to church  
But the church didn't quench my thirst  
Mama taught me to put gold first  
But she never tried to block my search  
I was curious, young but serious  
Wise religion, so mysterious  
Why is black life so hard?  
They say you're not supposed to question God  
Well is it okay to question the pastor?  
Was it passed down from the slave-master?  
It was only the truth I was after  
But I never could get a straight answer  
So I couldn't be late to the sermon  
Put down the bible, then I start learning  
About life, didn't know where the path would lead  
But I had to get off my knees

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build with the fire that's in us  
Only God within us, it's no limits  
Study the med 2 netter from chemic  
Also I remembered  
Smoke herb with the Rastafarians  
Who my locks became a vegetarian  
Following the dial, filling what the bible lacks  
Jewels being handed to a innocent child  
My mind is a Buddhist temple, the truth is simple  
I try to be principle  
Walking with a warrior spirit  
It ain't nothing like learning from first hand life experience  
I'm a realist, that's all I deal with  
Respect the truth, that's all I build with  
A child of the universe  
My religion is life and it's just as valid  
I strive for balance

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I gotta admit, I don't know

End to end which way it's gonna go  
Why we sit by the project window?  
And started living off the land with my kin folk  
Is there even a master plan?  
An unseen hand? Is God a man?  
Some say that's sacrilegious  
Same folks selling us lies about Christmas  
Santa Claus and the Easter Bunny  
Just so the capitalists can make money  
They say God will take care of it  
But you a terrorist if you say the same thing in Arabic  
It's so hypocritical  
It's a miracle, listen to the Mexican spirituals  
Weighed in the water, I'm following Mr. Minute  
That turn I'm paying for my freedom  
I'm heading for the border(...border ...border ...border ...border ...borde  
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