

# Cry

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She was 14 and he was 24  
Shorty claimed she never had sex before  
He's driving Benz and got a lot of dough  
He takes her to the movies and buys her Nike's yo  
And makes sure she think that she got it all  
Ain't even recognizing the signs of a booty call  
Better listen to what I'm telling y'all got to show her what she's worth

It makes me wanna cry  
'Cause the shorty's being treated just like a woman  
It makes me wanna cry  
'Cause her parents ain't even trying to confront him  
It makes me wanna cry  
Black people we need to show our children a little loving  
It makes me wanna cry  
Get back in the church read your Bibles get out the struggle  
It makes me wanna cry (ooh ooh)

Momma's trickin' to feed the baby yo  
'Cause daddy took the money and put it up his nose  
He hits the hustler up for some credit yo  
But never took the time to go buy some baby clothes  
She's so adorable but she's on her own  
Three months old and they left her home alone  
Fire brakes out the little baby burns  
Tell me when will we learn?

It makes me wanna cry  
'Cause the baby didn't ask for all this trouble  
It makes me wanna cry  
'Cause the parents didn't see this baby suffer  
It makes me wanna cry  
Black people we need to show our children a little loving  
Makes me wanna cry  
Get back in the church and read your Bibles get out the struggle  
It makes me wanna cry

Yo listen up  
'Cause I done been all around the world every city has a ghetto  
It makes me wanna cry (cry)  
Nothin' but abandoned buildings look at the way my people living  
It makes me wanna cry (cry)  
Done been to so many places don't see no smile up on they faces  
It makes me wanna cry (cry)  
You got to get it together so your life can be much better (Oh Cry)

(Cry) this is going out to all the little 'round the world  
Don't it make you wanna cry?  
'Cause black people we need to, got to show our children some lovin'  
(Cry) you got to get back in church and study the word cause you know it wil  
l stay  
(Cry) you don't have to cry  
You don't have to cry no more, don't cry  
You don't have to cry no more, don't cry  
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