

# Betrayal

Gang Starr

Yo what up son?  
Yo what up kid?  
Yo, you holdin your head up?  
I'm tryin to man, but the system is shady  
Word man they always man, they always tryin  
to keep a good brother down, but I'm sayin  
We still, you know we got love for you son  
and we prayin for you and we, you know  
we tryin to hold it down wh  
you know while you in there man  
No question  
Hopefully they won't keep you in there for too long  
Yeah, for real, I sure love be out in a minute, you know?  
But you know what I want you to kid?  
You know what wouldbe the bomb man?  
What's that?  
You need to do some shit with Face man  
Bomb on niggaz, be shady man  
Scarface?  
Yeah man  
Yo that's my nigga, yaknowwhaI mean  
Scarface is tight son  
Yo that's a good idea word is bond  
I'm gonna talk the play in tomorrow(yeah) and  
see about if we could hook up wit him  
That's proper

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Check the horror scene  
The kid was like twelve or thirteen  
Never had the chance like other kids to follow dreams  
Watched his father catch two in the dome and to the spleen  
Nothin" but blood everywhere, these streets are mean  
They spared his life, but killed his moms and his sister Jean  
Of course over some drug shit  
Hi pops was on some ill-out, spill your guts, on some thug shit  
Didn't know his boys was on some shady ass no love shit  
His pops got played out though, with silencers they laid him out yo  
Took his stash and all the cash and left 'em, tied up on the couch yo  
With tape over his mouth, so he couldn't cry out  
cause his dad was the nigga with clout  
Survival of the fittest so they split his wig no doubt  
Despite the stocking caps he noticed the same cat, who used to give him doe  
and taught him, to use the same gat  
Supposed to be an Uncle, fam and all that  
He could tell it was him 'cause he wore the same slacks, he wore when  
he took him to Meadowlands racetrack  
Why did he flip and go out like that?  
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A Betrayal  
Punk ass niggas  
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He on a mission to become a ball player  
Flip big Benz's, flossin all gators  
Had it all mapped out, 6-8, 12th grader  
Fresh outta school, he fin' to go lay paper  
He had abrother who was hustlin collectin his change  
Never let his baby brother stick his neck in the game  
Told him all he had to do is just enjoy the ride  
And he ain't have to worry about money cause that's in time  
So now he's pacin as the time moves slowly  
Can't wait to face Shaquille in the paint and school Kobe  
Kept his grades and stayed up under neighborhood functions  
And then a group of knuckleheads came through dumpin  
So now he's sittin on the sidewalk bleedin  
Fell into a puddle of his own blood and stopped breathin  
And everybody in the neighborhood still grievin  
But destiny caught up with his ass and he got even  
And all the cryin in the world ain't goin to bring him back  
his brother, sittin at the wake wipin tears from his mother's eyes  
Why'd the game have to go and take the young boys life  
Only the wicked live shife, payin the price  
while he's starin at the shell  
his brothers soul wants hell the trigger man made bail  
and you, wouldn't pay the boys mail, and sacrificed the fuckin family  
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