I don't mind, rushing through traffic just to get dinner ready in time And I, don't mind, calling when I'm late just to give you peace of mind And I, don't mind, you staying out all night long hanging with the guys But I do mind, when you look me right dead in the eye and you tell me lies You see it pays to tell the truth Look at what you had to loose Should think before you do, did you not know the rules? You see it pays to tell the truth, feel so sorry for you You could've had it all, too bad you gotta fall Now you leave, now you leave with zero (nothing) Now you leave with zero (nada) Now you leave with zero You see it pays to tell the truth but you didn't do it Now you live with zero (nothing) Now you leave with zero (oh nada) Now you leave with zero You see it pays to tell the truth Oh why I tried, giving you chances just to get your act right And I, I tried, everything from praying to breaking things For getting out of line Those tears I've cried, they hurts so deep inside That almost drained me dry But now, it's time, for you to man up cause I'm taking back what's mine You see it pays to tell the truth look at what you had to loose Should think before you do, did you not know the rules? You see it pays to tell the truth, feel so sorry for you You could have had it all, too bad you gotta fall Now you leave, now you leave with zero (nothing) Now you leave with zero (nada) Now you leave with zero You see it pays to tell the truth but you didn't do it Now you leave with zero (nothing) Now you leave with zero (oh nada) Now you leave with zero You see it pays to tell the truth I lie just to protect you, never to disrespect you Cause what we have was so 38 special And it was times that I heard niggas test you But I ain't even ask, I was just waiting to catch you But you caught me and everything was on me It was time to face the music, everything was on key And them lies sounded good, didn't it Now you sick of me, now I'm supposed to leave with zero, is you kidding me? One minus one equals none And if you gonna live then you might live with some But you gonn think about me every time you see my son And I'ma think about you every time I see the sun, in the morning It's gonna be times we get caught up in the moment But don't turn your back on your man you belong with

Now you leave, now you leave with zero (with nothing)

Cause if you loose then I loose too But if you cool then I'm cool too

Now you leave with zero, (oh nada)

Now you leave with zero

You see it pays to tell the truth but you didn't do it

Now you leave with zero, (oh nothing)

Now you leave with zero (oh nada)

Now you leave with zero

You see it pays to tell the truth.