

## Lost Ones

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It's funny how money change a situation  
Miscommunication leads to complication  
My emancipation don't fit your equation  
I was on the humble, you - on every station  
Some wan' play young Lauryn like she dumb  
But remember not a game new under the sun  
Everything you did has already been done  
I know all the tricks from Bricks to Kingston  
My ting done made your kingdom wan' run  
Now understand L. Boogie's non violent  
But if a thing test me, run for mi gun  
Can't take a threat to mi newborn son  
L's been this way since creation  
A groupie call, you fall from temptation  
Now you wanna ball over separation  
Tarnish my image in your conversation  
Who you gon' scrimmage, like you the champion  
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Now, now how come your talk turn cold  
Gained the whole world for the price of your soul  
Tryin' to grab hold of what you can't control  
Now you're all floss, what a sight to behold  
Wisdom is better than silver and gold  
I was hopeless now I'm on Hope road  
Every man want to act like he's exempt  
When him need to get down on his knees and repent  
Can't slick talk on the day of judgement  
Your movement's similar to a serpent  
Tried to play straight, how your whole style bent?  
Consequence is no coincidence  
Hypocrites always want to play innocent  
Always want to take it to the full out extent  
Always want to make it seem like good intent  
Never want to face it when it's time for punishment  
I know that you don't wanna hear my opinion  
But there come many paths and you must choose one  
And if you don't change then the rain soon come  
See you might win some but you just lost one

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When it's all done did you really gain from  
What you done done, it's so silly how come  
You just lost one

Now don't you understand man universal law

What you throw out comes back to you, star  
Never underestimate those who you scar  
Cause karma, karma, karma comes back to you hard  
You can't hold God's people back that long  
The chain of Shatan wasn't made that strong  
Trying to pretend like your word is your bond  
But until you do right, all you do will go wrong  
Now some might mistake this for just a simple song  
And some don't know what they have 'til it's gone  
Now even when you're gone you can still be reborn  
And, from the night can arrive the sweet dawn  
Now, some might listen and some might shun  
And some may think that they've reached perfection  
If you look closely you'll see what you've become  
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