

## Chase That (Ambition)

Lecrae

Started with hanging posters on my bedroom walls  
to battle rapping for status up in the school halls  
just call me double sushi thought I was too raw  
and hip hop was my home, I had my shoes off  
6'3 in high school I skipped the hoop dream  
if I don't blowup then maybe I'll try the school thing  
I went to college to do my family a favor  
but I couldn't pick a major cause I wanted to be ma-jor  
I tried selling work, but it didn't work.  
so I worked - shoppers seen a clerk, fi'n go berserk  
lunch break seen me writing 16's over micky dee's  
skipping class making beats over 60 keys  
and I love it even though I'm just chasing  
selfish ambition couldn't tell your boy naything  
watch out all you rappers cause they filling Lecrae in  
but I was sleeping on the sun like the 'days inn'

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but me I want the glory, I'm living for the name  
see life is just a picture, I see outside the frame  
I'm living for the kingdom, and I ain't of the same  
yeah, and I'ma chase that. I'ma I'ma chase that  
found the key to life and best believe that I'ma plate that  
glory I'ma chase that, I'ma I'ma chase that  
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Ugh, I remember chasing the green feeling blue  
only check I'm counting is the mic check (1, 2)  
all I wanted was the money and the fame and the new  
somebody on my arm when I walk inside the room  
all I wanted was doomed, the same kind Alexander the great felt  
when the earth ran out of room  
he conquered all he could but yet he still was consumed  
by this never-ending quest for glory he couldn't fuel  
like a typical fool I would go hard - shooting for the moon  
but there's only one Son, no co-star.  
chasing glory I shouldn't own,  
stead of living to make His name known I'm running after His throne.  
I thought being on TV where everybody could see me  
was nothing short of the easiest way I could see to please me  
I'll never be who I used to desperately want to be,  
I'm too worried bout the Lord getting credit instead of me

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I used to wanna do it big.  
when you're only focused on yourself - that's small  
and they, they used to tell me as a kid  
that I could do anything that I wanted cept fall  
and now that I recall, I was chasing my goals

and every time I caught em they multiplied into more  
I never even thought about whether the Lord approved  
call it selfish ambition I call it "I'm making moves"  
but history repeats itself, evil's what it is  
cause lucifer was cast away for doing what I did  
created by the God that spoke the earth into existence  
instead of chasing the Father's glory he was chasing his  
he lies to us all, told Adam he could ball  
"why you following God when you can go get it all?"  
I tell you what's better, or better yet worse.  
chasing your own glory while doing the Lord's work,  
so holla if it hurts, but we were made for greater  
our greatest satisfaction is making His name famous  
so if we're never named among the greatest,  
they don't critically acclaim us,  
ain't nothing to be ashamed of we gave it up for the savior!

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