## **Thorn Or A Rose**

## **Stephen Marley**

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No matter the circumstances, though this road can be demanding
I'll always be the same, always be the same
Never lose sight of who you are, temptation comes from near and far
Wounds heal but leave a scar
Make sure from the start it's from your heart

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Yo, we're all products of the same stem, same blood, and same skin Same ghetto flower growing from the same pavement Rising to the challenge of this world and trying to stay in it Paying tears and sweat, paying dues, paying rent Never shall I stumble, I stay on the same wavelength Yeah, the game is savage, yo, it's primitive, it's cavemen Only way to save men and free them from enslavement Start to over stand each other like a native language God ain't want another down this road full of changes Though it's full of dangers we got to be courageous Let the vibes spread and make your bravery contagious Know you're going through the same book but different pages People can be so vain, hustling can be so painful And make you feel like all you do is work for no gain But before it bottles up the flames like propane Inhale and exhale, no stress and no strain

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