Styles, styles, styles, styles... Beyond... Tribal-style ritual We dance around the totem In a golden ring of fire Bangin' on a war drum Anthem of a shaman dominatin' Peyote trance Hopscotch the planet Barefoot on the hot sand I'm knee-deep in history Mystery builds Tryin' to find a Style of Beyond secret to steal But when the doors of perception are cleansed Only then Will the truth be revealed Through an infrared lens It's the same then as it is now As it will be I still be The touch-tone number three Letters on your flip-phone D-E-F to my death In the flesh Vocal vacuum Takin' your breath Rest assured When I get busy There'll be nothin' left Like a paycheck after taxes Relay my message Decay modems and faxes Internet death Go to battle swingin' my axes Cut you in step Escapin' through secret hatches Tunnel rats rummage through the ashes Of what rap was Before you trapped it Locked in a box 'bout as big as this room But you can't keep hip-hop captive Uh-uh Styles, styles, styles, styles... Beyond... Hey, yo-ring of fire ritual Bellydance swing Cyberspace visual Galactic Apache Salman evaded While you groovin' at the disco See what's really crackin' like Nabisco Powwow Festival of flows By the S.o.B. assassins Rain-tribe

Thunderclouds crashin' Cosmic Tomahawks dawn For my tribal renaissance And ceremony that's catered to the art The origin of underground sounds Bein' brought up to the surface Auditory preachers of a serpent Cathedral Draws from Milan Around a golden-arc steeple For days Givin' praise To the people Caught up in a circle for the trance We detour Where the is And now they go and dose Insomniac sleeper Injectin' my syringe Directly through the speaker

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It's like a rhymin' time machine
Move through melodies
Lightfoot
Rhythmic MCs
So let it be
Crossbow
Triggered the lost low
A Cherokee on a quest

Against archrival

Nemesis

Ceremonial headdress
Got you wide open like the dentist
Say "Aaahhh"
My sentence got you punks
Jumpin' fences
Ha-without a weapon
You're defenseless
Comin' out the trenches
With hatchets and

Yeah

Yo, all we wanna do
Is make your neck snap
Takbir and Ryu
With Rhettmatic on the track
Energetic act
To keep the club packed
Just havin' fun
When we rappin'

Musical monkey wrenches

Flow another optic explosion
Amplified junkie of a
Breakbeat chosen
Monkey pumpin' style
Out for justice
Competition frozen

Lash out in a

Motion sickness
Ocean of a school of
Vicious fishes
Half-staff flag for your caviar
Wishes on a
Straight from the starship
2000 prophets
Drop it
Hot topic flow for discussion

Man, you all ain't knowin'
How we bustin'
Reignin' on the average everday chump
Crushin'
Year 2000
2000

Say what?

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