

# Family

Ying Yang Twins

I had a partner named Courtney  
Dead, pulled by a van, blood gone from his head  
I had another partner named Terry  
Dead, he tried to flee the scene before they hit 'em wit the left

My grandma always said  
When it rains it pours  
So they're dying like flies  
Got me kinda scared to go outdoors

I had a cousin named Ant  
Dead, they say the young man only died by the head  
The streets all we got it  
Boys gon' be boys, me in ya hype  
Teach your son to like guns with toys

Now what we supposed to do  
When you know you gotta get ya kid enrolled in school?  
So you start hanging 'round with the local crew

Have a smoke or two  
Start kicking 'em a joke or two  
Tell me what the parent's supposed to do?

Go tell momma  
(Go tell momma)  
To go ask daddy  
(To go ask daddy)

That since when was the last time  
We were a family  
Like we supposed to be

Brothas and sistas  
(Brothas and sistas)  
Achi cousins I love you  
(Achi cousins I love you)

And sometimes we as family  
We don't do what we supposed to  
So I say

Family, yeah, family  
Family, yeah

1979 that's when my momma had me  
2006, her oldest son is a daddy  
Check it, I got two daughters of my own  
They say I degrade women  
But they degrade they self

They didn't have help, growing up  
She had a dead beat momma  
And a dead beat dad

She go and shake, shakes quick in the club  
Drop it like it's hot

I tell my kids what to do  
And what to do not

I'm a grown and  
I gotta feed my kids  
So I teach them the right  
And wrong way to live

If you feel bad  
You need to stop shaking, shaking  
And your parents won't be so mad  
Might smile at you

If you keep shaking your \*\*\* in the club  
Ying Yang gon' show you love  
Listen, I keep stressing to my daughters stay in school  
Learn all you can, yes, I'm a real family man

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Check this out  
I wanna break the music down for a minute  
I wanna say something to us  
You know I say us 'cause we are a people

We all are equal  
If you love your sister, your brother  
Your father, your mother

Clap yo' hands  
Clap yo' hands  
Clap yo' hands  
Clap yo' hands

Family, family  
Family, family, family

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