Stay Positive

The Streets

[Verse 1]

'Cause this world swallows souls

And when the blues unfold, it gets cold, solids burns holes
You're going mad, perhaps you always were
But when things was good, you just didn't care
This is called irony

When you most need to get up, you got no energy
Time and time shit'll happen, the dark shit's unwrapping
But no-one's listening, your mates are laughing
Your brethren's fucking and then you start hating
Your stomach starts churning and you mind starts turning
So smoke another draw

It won't matter no more, but the next day still feels sore
Rain taps on your window, always did though
But you didn't hear it when things were so-so
You're on your own now, your little zone
You were born alone and believe me, you'll die alone
Weed becomes a chore
You want the buzz back so you follow the others onto smack

[Chorus]

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[Verse 2]

Feels nice and still, good thing about brown is it always will
It's easy, no-one blames you
It's that world out there that's fucked you
You're no less of a person and if God exists, He still loves you
Just remember that, the more you sink
The further back from that brink
Maybe you have lifetime scars
And you think tattoos might be more fitting, but who's picking?
Searching for yourself, you find demons
Try and be a free man and grasp that talisman
'Cause you're the same as I am
We all need our fellow man, we all need our Samaritan
Maybe I'm better looking than you, though

Maybe I've got more dough, but am I happier? No
Get the love of a good girl
And your world will be much richer than my world
And your happiness will uncurl

[Chorus]

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[Verse 3]

"Stop dreaming", people who say that are blaspheming They're doing nine-to-five and moaning And they don't want you succeeding when they've blown it And your idols – who are they? They too dreamt about their day Positive steps will see your goals Whether it's dollars or control, feel the gold I ain't helping you climb the ladder, I'm busy climbing mine That's how it's been since the dawn of time If you reach a cul-de-sac, the world turns it's back This is your zone, it's like blackjack He might get the ace or the top one So organise your two's and three's into a run And then you'll have fucked him, son And for that you'll be the better one One last thing before you go, though When you feel better tomorrow, you'll be a hero But never forget today, you could be back here, things can stray But what if you see me in that window? You won't help me, I know That's cool, just keep walking where you go Carry on through the estate Stare at the geezers so they know you ain't lightweight And go see your mates And when they don't look happy, play 'em this tape

[Chorus]

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[Verse 4]

I hope you understand me
I ain't no preaching fucker and I ain't no do-goody-goody either
This is about when shit goes pear-shaped

And if you aren't, or never have been at rock bottom
Then good luck to you in the big wide world
But remember that one day, shit might just start crumbling
Your bird might fuck off or you might lose your job
It's when that happens that what I'm talking about
Will feel much more important to you
So if you ain't feeling it
Just be thankful that things are cool in your world
Respect to BC
Positivity
Positivity

[Chorus]

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