

# I Gotcha Back

GZA

I gotcha back, but you best to watch your front  
Cause it's the niggas that front, they be pulling stunts  
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Cause it's the niggas who front (they be pulling stunts)  
I was always taught my do's and don'ts  
For do's I did, and for don'ts, I said I won't  
I'm from Brooklyn, a place where stars are born  
Streets are shot up, apartment buildings are torn  
And ripped up, stripped up, shackled up and backed up  
From fiends, cause the bosses on the scene, they got it cracked up  
Kids are slinging in my lobby  
Little Steve and Bobby  
Getting paid but it's a life-threatening hobby  
Yeah, they still play hide-and-peek  
The fiends seek for the crack, and they hide and let the cops peep  
Grown folks say they should be out on their own  
Before the gangs come and blow up their mom's home  
Because they lifestyle is hectic, so fucking hectic  
Blaow! Blaow! Blaow! Bullets are ejected  
My lifestyle was so far from well  
Could've wrote a book with a title "Age 12 and Going Through Hell"  
Then I realized the plan  
I'm trapped in a deadly video game, with just one man  
So I don't only watch my back, I watch my front  
Cause it's the niggas who front, they be pulling stunts  
Back on the Ave of Lavonia and Bristol with a pistol  
Sticking up Pamela and Crystal  
You know your town is dangerous when you see the strangest  
Kid come home from doing the bid and nothing changes  
What is the meaning of CRIME (what?)  
Is it Criminals Robbing Innocent Motherfuckers Everytime?  
Little shorties take walks to the schoolyard  
Trying to solve the puzzles to why is life so hard  
Then as soon as they reached the playground, blaow!  
Shots ring off and now one of them lay down  
It's so hard to escape the gunfire  
I wish I could rule it out like an umpire  
But it's an everlasting game, and it never cease to exist  
Only the players change, so  
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