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My mom carried bundles in my diapers
I watched my friends turn into snipers
It was hard choosing a route to take
I was lucky not to be found in a lake
Guardian angels watching over me
Now with clear eyes I can see

"I'm not working for the man!"
Said the dope man without a plan
Little did this brother know
The man was runnin' his whole show
I remember when that was me
Now with clear eyes I can see

I used to think that it was cool
To beat up people after school
Don't you see that's what they want
They use the media to flaunt
Just how violent "WE" can be
Now with clear eyes I can see

I don't want to seem as if I'm preaching
These are the words they should be teaching
Reality can cause a scene
I use it instead of using Visine
Once trapped in mental slavery
Now with clear eyes I am free

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