

SALUTE THE BRAVE

So many reasons to smile
so many reasons to frown
i see the state of economy
bringin all of us down
its like the pressure never ends
the pressure dont cease
time to be what you were born to be
ya see
independence be like the sign of the times
for the soldiers warriors they gave their lives
them ah pay for our sins but we continue to score
its like evolution is going out the door
its like the path we are treading
be the path that we dont see
the future ahead is in the path behind me
the messages the stories all of the truths
haille selasi gandhi mandela tutu
kenneth kaunda dr. martin luther king
saying forward together, together we sing
they lay the way and then saved the day
and all we wanna do is just walk away?

it aint easy, my guardian angel would say
after every dark night comes a bright day
it aint easy if u ready to ball
so keep your chest out head up and handle it all
its like tick – tock,
the time don't stop
to make way for the new
its like tick – tock,
its gettin kinda hot
the ozones turnin blue

cause the pain the shame the blame they tame the game
they made a name and they froze the rain
they gave their hearts their lives their souls and more
and u still wondering oh what is it for?

Dont need to be an intellectual to see and understand
to be a man worth his salt with freedom in his hand

dont need to be a revolutionist me not saddam
but everybody everyman has his own plan
we see the burqua clad women followin their faith

and me wanna ask you why u wanna playa hate
we see the terrorist strike all strata of society
and then you wanna segragate peace
so many dreams are near
so many dreams afar
me listen to philosophies comin straight from mi heart
me take a stand that we always gonna help one another
and me take care of mi brother

is it justified – me ah think
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so why not, oh why not
we make ammends
so why not oh why not
cant we be friends

why oh why
me ah say why oh why ah
r we livin this way

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