

# Anthology of Nexuscjt



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## Dedication

*To my unborn son who if for any unfortunate reason I am not around as he grows into a man.*

*To my mother who has worked twice as hard to help her children succeed in life & be happy, faithful in God and  
remained a respectful, strong loving woman.*

*To the great man I'll become ( in a few of years ), slow & steady won the race. Don't stop now. Onto the next chapter.*

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## About the author

Unique, energetic perspective.

My background, environment and people have influenced me and my mind. Sometimes for the better, sometimes, for the worst. But my will & energetic personality has helped me develop a creative passion that is endless but remains sincere & honest.

There may be a dark element to my writings at times but there is always that sense of responsibility, a sense of problem solving & a sense of spirituality. Minus those elements, I seem to fall into the sense of irresponsibility, sense of laziness & a sense of materialism. So in short, writing helps me reflect on my character and improving my frame of mind and never forgetting how it was achieved.

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## TRUST

How honest am I?  
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If I say it, is it true?  
Or do I say it hoping it becomes true?  
Do I say it to give false hope?  
Do I say it because I know you won't cope?  
Will they fear me, loathe me and keep their distance?

Why should I be honest when I'm lied to?  
Why should I be honest when I get deceived?  
If I entirely trust you I'll open up to you.  
But trust is always two ways; there ain't no one way about it.

To tell me you entirely trust me, it's a lie!  
You lie to give me a false comfort.  
You don't trust because you know you can't be trusted.  
With your tainted personality you know in an instant you'll break the trust & slip up.  
Taking advantage of my trust and betray me.

## TRUST cont

Be alert, be very aware.  
Use your head, it's like clockwork.  
Don't just think, be.  
Don't just keep it as a dream.  
Make a plan, aspire,  
Don't waste the buzz

Be clear, be direct  
Be sure, you'll be sharp  
Have substance don't only fit in.  
With the right crowd, you can reach for the stars & be a star.  
With the wrong crowd, you will bathe in filth & feed on your filth.  
Don't stop trying.  
Don't give up the prayers.

Have dreams, have hopes, and have faith.  
Without these you just live for the day, the moment...



## DREAMS

I need a zoot to blaze, to help me out of the real world.  
When I blaze I relax, blowing my troubles away.  
Intake of the smoke, I never choke.  
Intake of the smoke, I loose all hope.  
But I cope knowing I got my zoot.  
I know it can't be good  
But it feels good with every toke.

I want to stop, thinking about the negative effects.  
But it feels so right; I like this feeling, this feeling of ecstasy.  
As a result I feel stress free  
I feel no pain, my emotional & physical pains blown away with every exhale.  
But I try to stay alert.  
Aware of how dependant I can be on it.  
How it clears my mind of negative karma and leaves me in a state of bliss.

Self denial I say.  
Face your problems head on, deal with them, come up with a solution and come out on top, stronger & wiser.  
That zoot is doing me no favours  
Don't forget, remember!  
Don't run from the problem, face the problem.  
Problems don't just go away because you choose to forget.  
It may not be top priority but in the long run it acts as the damaging factor.

The problem grows  
Before you know it, you're dealing with multiple issues.  
Deal with issues ASAP before the issues become too much and deals with you.  
While you have the control, maintain it.

## Never give up

**Never give up.**

**You are never completely beaten unless you are dead.**

**Never ever hang your head down in defeat.**

**You're still standing, you survived!**

Only you can break yourself, with your mind.

You can choose not to be your worst nightmare or worst fear.

Just like to a bully, stand up for yourself, and learn the tricks of the trade.

Gain the right tools you need for success.

Failure is not an option.

You fall but will always have the strength to stand up.

You are not built to stay lying down, to be on your back or knees.

You are built to stay upright, confident, passionate & fit for purpose.

Continue to aspire, continue to dream.

You have a creative personality; don't be bound to any one form.

Flow like the sea, expand, burst your banks, and break the flood barriers.

Nothing or no-one can hold you back.

Do not let another person's opinion or attitude influence you.

Have your own judgment, you know right from wrong.

You know what you have to do.

Worry about the best way to do it.

Don't loose track of your ultimate goal.

You will be derailed from time to time.

Don't let that destroy your dreams.

## NEVER give up - part 2

Learn from your mistakes & bad choices.  
Remember your bad choices & mistakes,  
If you don't remember, you slow down your minds growth; going round in circles.  
Learn daily, it's never too late to learn or to achieve.  
Every journey begins with a single step.  
With every step comes a new adventure.

Things happen for a reason.  
It may be your poor decisions but with life there is always an opportunity, whether small or great.  
Keep your eyes open, your mind sharp & you will benefit.

**Reap what you sow.**  
**There is only so much that can be done for you.**  
**It is up to you!**  
**You want something, go for it!**

**Who is to say you shouldn't or you can't?!**  
**What they really meant to say is that they couldn't or they can't.**  
**They are being held back by boundaries acting as a negative force in their lives.**  
**You don't have to be the same.**  
**Take what you need, use what you need.**  
**No-one will hand it on a plate for you.**

**Dictate your future, plan your future and aspire towards your goals.**  
**Make space for new ambitions.**  
**Follow your heart, follow your dream.**  
**It's never too late.**  
**Remember, only fools rush in.**  
**Don't be a fool.**

## MIND TOOL

My mind is a dangerous tool  
Believe me it is no mind of a fool  
I can be rich, I can be poor  
I can be who I want, when I choose to be.

I can be spontaneous, or be a bore.  
I can be blind or choose to see  
You for who you are, what you are  
Where you're coming from & where you're going.

I can choose to be entirely honest,  
You won't like that.  
I can think, fuck that, fuck you.  
If you could, you would  
Walk over me, shit all over me  
Manipulate me or make me beg.  
You'd make me squirm, make me second guess myself.  
Make me feel that I'm no good or not good enough.

Attempt to assassinate my character, belittling me so you can stand tall.  
Talk, keep talking. You see me looking right?  
I listen but also filter,  
Filter the bull you feed my ears, my mind is aware.  
It will not allow you to draw me into a sense of false comfort.

## PUT YOUR MIND TO IT

Don't be weak  
Don't give in  
Stand strong with your choice  
Don't give in to temptation.  
Be strong  
Be assertive  
You make a decision  
Stay decisive.  
You hate yourself  
You mislead yourself  
You let your bell end lead you  
Dictate your mood

I am weak minded  
I am lustful in thought & actions  
I fall prey to temptations  
I am not a saint, more a sinner

Why do you do it?  
You don't have to  
Why can't you make a choice & stand by it no matter what?  
You got the power to do it  
Put your mind to it & really want to be strong  
You can do it.

## FAST LOVING

I'm in thinking mode again  
Do I use my brain in vain?  
I can't make up my mind  
If I keep exploring I might find  
What I'm looking for or what I need  
Lies in places where the sun don't shine  
But at least I can say it's mine  
For how long, for the time being  
For how long, until it has no meaning.

So why do I stress myself?  
Why must I second guess myself?  
When I know it has no meaning  
Am I starting to get the feeling?  
Have I lost control of the situation?  
Have I let my feelings grow?  
Have I been brainwashed?

I only have myself to blame, filling my head & thoughts with dirty fantasies.  
Pleasures that make me go against my morals.  
That make my mind ache, but only after it's been done.  
When I do it I enjoy it, only if I let down my barriers.  
Should I let down my guard and let you in?  
But it's wrong, this feeling  
It's wrong this needing  
Is pleasure really the key?  
Fast loving, the way it should really be?

## RECKLESS LOVING

In need of something meaningful, something meaningful to call my own.  
Instead of feeling so pitiful that I make my blood pressure rise.  
You can see it in my eyes  
You can hear it in my tone  
It comes with no surprise if I sound depressed over the phone.  
Need to talk to someone, who understands my problems.  
Who will guide & assist my decisions  
But who can I talk to, open up to without fear of judgement.  
There is only one, God.  
He always helps me in my time of need and through my trials & tribulations.

Am I worrying for no reason, do I see a clear future?  
The problem is that I don't, if nothing changes & I continue the same.  
All I fear is misery & persecution, if I can't make a choice, the right choices.  
Ok, I know what I like but I feel bad for liking it.  
What I like isn't evil, it isn't dangerous.  
What I like can be seen as evil and dangerous if I'm reckless.

## DIMENSIONS

Stand back, relax and take your hands out your pockets

Stand tall, not tense and take your mind into the zone.

Use your eyes; you set your vision into focus.

Use your ears; you hear the sounds of the environment

Focus your thinking, block out any unimportant issues.

Your minds got to be free, of thoughts or ideas just being.

Simplicity of the ears, eyes, body & mind

Is the key to be free of any boundaries?

Think of nothing else except what is presently, physically & verbally presented in front of you.

Be free of constraints, be free of any obstacle

Whether physically, verbally or mentally

Your reactions will be sharp, precise, well timed & decisive.



## MAKE ME SMILE

Tryna keep my mind on the positives  
The things in life that make me smile  
Not worth dwelling on the negatives  
Those things that bring me down  
Close friend, good laughs, high hopes  
Not two-faced friends, forced smiles, no goals

## Growing Up

Careful with these feelings  
When love turns into affection  
I show *you* love, *not* sexual desire  
But when you love too much, it can get confused with sexual affection

I want to love for the sake of it  
Not love to get something in return.  
You treat me well, I treat you well  
But at the end of the day, I gotta draw a line.  
Don't mix business with pleasure.

Why does this bother me so much?  
Do I read way too much into things?  
Is understanding a gift or a curse  
When the more you know, the more things hurt

I thought I had it covered  
I thought I could be strong  
But when little things said sound like sexual affection.  
I realize I'm not that strong minded.

This aint ever gonna work  
We aint ever gonna work  
If these feelings are left to surface  
Gotta keep it real, gotta keep it mean to avoid these feelings

Why are feelings bad, why must I feel bad for feeling?  
I'm not good, I'm a bad influence  
I am tempting, but is that my fault?

Maybe things should happen  
Maybe I should let my guard down  
Maybe I should think outside the box  
Maybe I should just see in black and white.

I don't wanna see in black & white  
Don't wanna see in only tunnel vision  
I want to see in colour (HD)  
With bright, clear ambitions to grow up,  
Try new things and not creating barriers to hold me back.

Growing up is all about making decisions, as a man I'll make many  
Growing up is all about learning from my mistakes in time I'll find it funny.

**No man is an island, as the saying goes**  
**So running away from issues, a possible script,**  
**Fool you're running away from money.**

## JUST WORDS

I don't believe in the words "I can't do it"  
If I put my mind to it, I find I can achieve it  
I don't believe in the phrase "get used to it"  
If I focus hard enough, I can mentally defeat it.

Stop your mind getting held down  
Don't get left behind  
Stop believing its fact written in stone  
You've got what it takes inside  
Be free of what people think  
You'll find it'll set you free  
Don't let them bring you down to their level  
It's your mind; take it on a knowledge shopping spree.  
Being static is as bad as being disabled  
Always longing, but never moving  
Aspire to be independently able  
Learn now, achieve more, thought provoking

As I lay down on my bed, so fed up with my drive, my focus & my determination.  
So writing this opens my mind to say whats up with my mind, my passion & my ambitions.

I know what I need to do; what only I can do for me  
Learn more, create more, and be more resourceful  
I know what I want to be; only I can really decide  
A wise great man with poise, just successful.

## IT?S FUNNY

It's funny when I'm feeling good  
There's always someone waiting to bring me down.  
Is it that they are jealous, envious of the good energy they sense?  
That they talk dirty about the way I dress, the way that I feel or appear?  
I aint a little kid no more who'll take everything said to heart, undermine myself or feel like I'm in the wrong.  
I don't need your poor advice, your opinion or negative vibe.  
I'm on a clear route; I see the goal in the distant but near future.  
I'm in control of my desires & dreams  
You cannot, you will not derail me,  
I will keep on track, keep a steady pace, there's only one way, forward.  
I don't really mind, everyone's entitled to their opinion.  
But you aint important or wise so you can't speak into my life  
Like I said, it's my life so I'll live it up to the max  
I'll make you see red, I aint responding to your bull, you vexed?

## REMEDY

I need a remedy, I need a solution  
I need peace of mind and a resolution

Here I am again with a pen in hand & my scrapbook  
Wondering if the more you know  
The more you 2nd guess yourself, the more shook  
The older you get, the more you do look  
Understanding things more, a better outlook

They say look and you will find  
Ask and you will get  
But you won't like what you find  
You don't appreciate what you're given  
The more you look the ugly inside  
The more you get, the more you need forgiving

I'm sorry, sorry for the hurt I've caused for the shame you feel  
Sorry for the countless lies told, for not truly being me  
I'll do it my way, its all for you  
You'll be all that I need my life will revolve around you

I'll cherish every moment that we share  
Feel empty when you're not there  
I'll feel your hurt & pain  
Crazy in love, friends will think I'm insane

But it won't matter, as long as we're on the same page  
Like two peas in a pod, I'll stick by you forever, this I envisage  
It's just you & me against the world  
When those around us turn cold  
Just the two of us surviving the ups & downs  
Only you I want to hold

No-one else comes close to the way I feel for you, it's real  
I'll love you through thick & thin  
Grey hairs & wrinkles, I'm the real deal

I'll be everything you need, your healer, your provider  
Don't need a medicine degree  
I'll be your lover, your natural herb supplier

In need of a great woman to be my backbone  
Kick up the backside from time to time  
Intelligence, passionate, humble tone  
Able to be fierce & hot like fire  
Loving you won't feel like a crime because you're my true desire.

## SETTLE DOWN

I didn't want to settle down because of my lively personality  
But I now dream of settling down, is it because of lack of activity?  
Been too relaxed, expecting it all to be handed on a plate  
I'm not no Brad Pitt or Denzel  
I'll look like a Mali child at this rate.

Think you're something special?  
Toned up, sweet smile  
If you think that's all you need  
That it's enough, you're in denial.

I want something meaningful  
Something to call mine  
Mindless, senseless, lustful desires only feel more pathetic in time.

But you become addicted, I become addicted  
And it's all around us, temptations lurking around every corner  
You become experienced but innocence is fading  
Like a drug, it'll become a disaster

When you see it clearly, some people rarely  
You won't recognize your reflection  
But you won't see it in an instance  
This one's a creeper; it'll miss your detection.

## LIFE, OH LIFE

Life throws a lot at you  
It can bring joy or bring tears  
I take everyday as it comes  
Gotta live more & not on someone else's fears

Take every single day as a blessing  
You don't know what lies around the corner  
Need to fix up, look sharp & quit the messing

You got what it takes to work hard like a foreigner  
Don't end up a wasteman  
Such a waste of your character  
Strive to be great, you are great but you can be greater  
Greater than him, greater than her  
Greater you will be, just wait and see

It's all in your mind how far you can go  
Close your eyes, imagine, and visualize your goal  
There aint nothing that can stop you  
When your minds set in focus  
Clear the bull; use your mind as a tool  
See it; achieve it, alakazam, hocus-pocus  
It's not as simple as magic trick  
If your mind aint right  
All you want to be is a big prick  
If your mind aint bright.

## MACHINE VS MAN

So cold am I human  
Can block feelings out & not give a damn  
Am I machine or really human?  
Can end you in the blink of an eye  
I don't want to be machine only human  
So I can love, hate, cry & have feeling  
So I can laugh now & cry later

Think I'm really just only human  
I'm plagued with misery, defeat, I'm just a dreamer  
One mission, one motive, follow your programming  
You've been told, obey your instructions  
Don't question, accept even if it's confusing  
All you do is follow

Look for weaknesses, you find it lies in everything  
Look for a target, aim, get ready for delivery  
Before you foolishly play it safe, it'll end in your misery  
Being human do I need its weaknesses?  
Or are they the things which makes me a man?



## MEANING OR FIENING

What am I doing?  
Have I finally lost the plot?  
What do I see happening?  
If this is the path I wanna go down  
Am I really willing to throw everything away?  
Simply blinded with lust?

Lust is a dangerous feeling  
When you think you know what you want  
But does it have meaning?  
I can say fuck meaning, I'm happy simply fiening  
This feeling never lasts  
Just leaves you wanting more  
Whether it's meaning or a feeling  
You are always searching for  
My head hurts, it aches too much thinking  
I read too much into things  
Do I give it a meaning?

How can I casually talk to you?  
When I really want to do more  
Mind drifting to places  
I see you naked on all fours  
I think I'll leave it there & say no more regarding the matter  
Either take the risk or move on or end all this in disaster.

## DELAYED ANGER

Am I angry, or just a scared little boy?  
Why am I worried?  
What am I running from?

Scared of loving, scared of affection  
Scared of longing, scared of caring  
Fear of emotion  
Give my heart so she can abuse it?  
Show love & kindness so she can confuse it?

Where did it go wrong?  
Who made my heart so strong?  
Why must I question your feeling?  
Is there really a place for my heart to belong?

When I close my eyes, I visualize  
No fear, no anger, just bliss  
Relaxed judgement, I'm enlightened  
Then I open my eyes & then I realize  
Reality filled with fear, leads to anger  
I can't live like this!

So what needs to change?  
Who needs to change?  
What should I sort out or rearrange?  
Organize my mind  
Organize my life  
Prioritize my ambitions & dreams  
And then reap the fruits of my labour it seems.

## TESTS

What makes me different?  
What makes me special?  
What sets me apart from the rest?  
What life throws at me, my tests?

Test of courage, test of spirit  
Test to build up my character  
Test of faith, am I really in it  
Test to improve my next chapter  
So what's next, what path do I choose?

More training, more studying  
More learning, improve from yesterday  
Today wiser yearning

Can't say for sure where I'm going  
But I know where I came from  
Hope I find a clear route by myself  
No need for use of a tom-tom  
Technology should assist me not rule me  
An extension of what I'm capable of  
Not restrict me

Will I choose with my head?  
Or choose with my heart?

## ONLY FOOLS Not Horses

Is it only fools that can't listen to sense?  
They might be trying their best to listen to the wise  
Is it only fools that hate the wise?  
Can't deal with their issues, can't open their eyes.

They say you can take a horse to water  
But you cannot make it drink  
You can lead a fool to wisdom  
But you cannot make him think  
Are we all really fools who think we know it all?  
And everything is written in stone

I'm looking at this fool  
Who thinks that I'm a fool?  
Who tries to take the piss?  
But I reverse his bull onto him  
And let him know that I'm no-ones fool

I'll make him my fool  
And he won't even be aware of it  
Until he's left sweating, looking all confused  
Shut him up intellectually, a hint of ghetto in an instance  
Leave him looking bemused.

## MAINTAIN FOR THE GAME

Focus your time on one person  
Another ends up loosing out  
Make someone feel happy  
You end up leaving another sad  
Can't please everybody  
Just make sure you have some piece of mind

See people for who they are  
Actions speak louder than words  
But listen more than scream & shout  
See the words as actions to fully react

Do you see the same, do you hear the same?  
Do you feel the way that I do?  
I think you see a different picture  
Hearing a different sound  
My skin is tougher but smooth blame it on the cocoa butter

You & I are not the same  
Try step to my level, I'll put you to shame  
I try and do what I can to maintain  
My mind, my body, my goals for da game

## SELFISH LOVING

Am I selfish when it comes to loving?  
I love you but think of my needs 1st all of a sudden

Are you true to me?  
Or just playing along?  
With the aim to convince me  
That I'm the only one you're loving  
I want to feel for you  
Make this feeling last long  
With the aim of finding something real  
And feel like I'm belonging

What if I let you down?  
Let myself down  
How do I recover?  
All this time, cash & pleasure  
Was it all in vein?

We are all selfish in different ways?  
Some too hard headed to admit it  
Take a good look in the mirror  
And tell me you *can't* conceive it!  
In denial, delusional, emotionally unstable  
I say red, you say blue  
I say capable, you say incapable

Don't think we can ever put aside our differences  
And get along with one another  
Show me some love, learn to bite your tongue, love like a brother  
Learn to talk, learn to instruct  
Without being arrogant  
Learn to walk, learn to listen  
Without feeling under attack

People sometimes speak for the sake of speech  
Learn to appreciate more & practice what you preach  
Life is too short, loved ones are precious  
Don't wait until it's lost before you feel it like its infectious

## Apology

Apologies for being weak, not using my eyes to see,  
For making broken promises, which I could not keep.  
Sorry for the pushing you away when all you tried to do was care  
But I didnt want to hear, because of my cocunut head.

Stubborn to the core, that's the way I've always been.  
But when you came into my life, touched my heart, girl I let you in.  
Now I'm regretting every mistake I've made, damn its countless.  
But it isn't fair, it isn't right, the way I've been treating you.  
You deserve so much more, It's about time I realize you are the one true thing in my life.  
The one that makes all things well, turns my frown into a big smile  
Make issues go bye, bye.

It's time that I wake up, time I fixed up, get my mind sharp before I'm left singing don't know what you got till its gone.  
Well I don't wanna sing that song, forgive me i know i was wrong.  
I apologize for failing you, for hurting you.  
You deserve so much more and the least i can do is apologize, forgive me.

## EUREKA!

I am who I am; I've always been the same  
Things change, people don't  
They always seem to go back to what they know  
The only difference being the wisdom gained, the experience  
The barriers burnt, the confusion, the fears  
The pain, the heart-ache, losses, the tears  
The affections, pursuit of happiness & perfection  
Is it time I face the facts & come to terms with emotion  
Going round in circles, round & round  
It's time to find a resolution

The feelings within saying go  
But the sense, the upbringing saying no  
Don't fit into a label, you are who you want to be  
I you fit into a label  
You'll become who they want you to be you'll see

People lack understanding, so they give labels  
Don't let it determine your character  
So know what really matters

Am I simply a no good yellow-belly fool when it comes to feeling?  
Am I happy simply fining, hiding the real me  
It's time to let the show begin  
What will be the outcome, will I win?



## NBF (NATURAL BORN FIGHTER)

Take your chances; you'll get back on your feet  
You are a natural born fighter  
You'll always somehow make ends meet  
You are a soul survivor  
You are blessed; no cuss can ever hold you down  
You are always loved  
You'll make it through, never alone  
Don't wear that frown!

I want to be break free from the lies  
Face facts & deal with my issues  
Prioritize my dreams, my life, and my hopes  
Including making much better choices

## INSIDE & OUT ASSESSMENT

Inside & out assessment  
I find I'm above average!

So its time to *stop* underestimating myself, self doubt  
From appearance & on paper  
I'm well above average  
Time to wake up and stop disbelieving  
That I'm incapable because it's a lie

I'm more than capable to aspire and achieve  
Soar to great heights  
It may be genetic, it may stem from my DNA  
Or it may be because I'm energetic  
Back me in a corner, you find I don't play

Know the truth; you're doing well at whatever you're doing  
Keep positive always aspire  
With love, Patience & time you can finally get rid of that acquired frown

Look back & smile on your struggles  
Time will always heal the scars  
Smile at the misery, the pain, hurt, defeat & bad luck  
At times you could but faced obstacles, sometimes getting stuck

But you will remember, true happiness doesn't come without a price  
For every moment that lead you to your goal  
Made you stronger, it made you wise

So I will sing, sing about my struggles  
Because I only survived  
If I don't sing, sing with my heart & soul  
Means I've giving up striving

Life has thrown its blows; I'm knocked out, stopped fighting  
But as God as my witness, my shield, weapon, also my weakness  
Loose my way but never get lost  
Born resilient, I'll make it through at all costs

Need to stop tearing myself down  
Make a move, fly outta this town!

## THESE VOICES (MY THOUGHTS)

These voices, these voices  
I hear them  
& when they talk  
My head aches, my head aches, my head aches

Why can't I sit here in peace?  
Without noise, distortions or rage  
Can there be quiet, tranquillity, bliss  
While I earn this wage

It's gone be a long night  
If it starts off with anger  
Mellow down; shut your mouth before you put this opportunity in danger  
Like the saying goes, here today, gone tomorrow

Appreciate & maintain what I have or drown away in my sorrows  
Life is precious; cherish the love you've got  
Before your excuse is you forgot  
Simply to love, treat with respect, bring joy

Took you for granted, treated you like a new toy  
But got bored, and started acting like a lickle boy  
You lost your value  
Started treating you like a used toy

When will I learn to fully appreciate the fact I have something special  
Who needs more when I love everything you do

## THESE VOICES (MY THOUGHTS) CONT

But at the end of the day  
I'm a man, there's no doubt about it  
Never satisfied, ungrateful, greedy want to conquer it  
Always need accomplishments that proves you are really living it  
Been there, done that, ego profit  
Start with one thing, move to another  
Before finishing the first thing you move onto the next

Focus on one thing and do it exceptionally well  
Learn & build up so people can tell  
You know your stuff  
When push comes to shove, you show them hell

## SWITCH IT UP

Switch up the charm because you're full of it  
Charisma, natural sweet talker, the ladies man  
Don't let fools tell you any different  
Tell them to shut it  
Leave out their negativity, unconstructive criticism  
See through their bad minded plan

I have eyes but I don't always see  
Focusing on the negatives, see the light  
I have ears but I don't always hear  
An echo of my fears, hear the voices, fight

I have love, it's always gonna be right here  
Waiting to be shared  
So open your eyes listen, use all you senses  
Don't you want to be so much more?  
& feel good everyday?

It aint easy loving me  
But you can never want me as much as I want you  
Don't hold back, I know that I won't  
Don't need to think about it  
My senses tell me it's you

So tell me, that what I'm feeling, so strong  
Will end in time, not long  
But it's to you my heart belongs  
Fallen head over heels  
Loosing control of all my skills

It's gone, so gone  
You rendered me powerless  
This feeling is new, loving it I must confess

Got me feeling half my age  
You need to personally witness my fitness  
Let me in, I'll always be your weakness  
The one that holds you tight  
The one to caress  
Time apart, leave you feeling restless.

## TALK THE TALK, WALK THE WALK

In need of a distraction, to make me feel good  
It takes me nowhere, when I know I really should  
Find something meaningful  
That'll last, I hope it really could  
Be long term, we stay firm but differences slowly push us apart

Put myself in her shoes, use my mind  
I wanna talk it out, understand  
A little bit more I might find  
I loose you, don't appreciate you  
Or mend the areas I tore

If I can talk the talk  
Well I better walk the walk  
Be a backbone, be the stalk  
Or crumble under pressure like a stick of chalk  
I'll be the glue; I'll be stronger than prit-stick  
We'll do it like in a porn flick

I don't want to use you  
I don't want to abuse you  
Give you what you need  
But not what I want  
I just might loose you

If we always fight like this  
All you need is a sweet kiss  
A balance of pleasure and pain  
To make you feel bliss

Gotta answer the question  
What do I want from you?  
Do I love what you do?  
Or the sound of you being my boo?

It must be the things you do  
The way you make me feel  
Because I aint ready for commitment  
Especially when my affection is in fractions  
Thinking with my bell end  
Its small brain does all the thinking  
Well less words, more actions

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## FEEL GOOD part1

Need to appreciate from time to time  
Is fast loving the way out, is it a crime?  
I'm sweet like chocolate, can be bitter like lime  
Rub me the right way & watch me shine  
Solid as a rock, hot like fire  
If you really are my desire  
I'll take you higher  
Higher than you've ever been  
Higher, treat you mean, but keep you keen

Lower my guard, feelings manifest  
Lower my guard, you become a pest  
Scared to feel because I know eventually will  
Loose myself in this confusion  
Night & Day I tell myself it's an illusion

Your love has got me feigning  
Caught up in lust or love  
Loving every inch of what I'm seeing  
Can't lie, can't hold back the feeling  
Enough of the talking, seeing is believing

Got me thinking of all sorts  
But I won't settle for second best  
Fantasies plague my mind  
I see it as a test  
But I know that I'll fail  
I'm yours as soon as this ship sets sail.  
The ride has been set in motion  
Where it ends, how big is the ocean?

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## DIFFERENCES

Time apart helps me notice the differences between me and you  
Your goals & principals (tests) and the things you do  
Too much time around you makes me forget myself and I feel the way you do  
Loosing myself in the process, sometimes I act a fool  
I see you for who you are  
If I get attached, I won't get very far  
Because I think like you  
I end up on TV shows like Oprah

We have very similar goals, you aint a bad guy  
Came to a crossroad, its all about the route you chose

Where will your current actions take you?  
Future's round the corner  
Can you look back and feel guilt proof?  
Blow big on your j'z like the brothers Warner

Your head is in the clouds  
You think you're on top of the world  
Be realistic, be grounded  
As the saying goes  
Live by the sword, die by the sword

Make the most of what you have, simply appreciate  
Dream big if you have faith, strength, courage or wisdom  
Or prepare for a hopeless, helpless fate

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## Drowning Knowledge

Look, what do you see?  
Read, what does it mean?  
Understand, you learn gradually  
Open up; don't judge a book by its cover

I wanna flood my mind with knowledge  
So I can learn to know myself  
It's flowing with understanding  
It's like I'm opening all the books on the shelf  
I'm doing more than learning, I'm mastering myself

But is the drowning feeling knowledge  
Or have the rivers burst their banks?  
Am I simply an island?  
Surrounded with ocean & killer sharks (man eating sharks)?

I see myself at the top of the land  
On the mountain peak  
Surrounded with ocean  
Clinging on to a flag  
I wonder what will be the solution  
I cling with fear, I cling with despair  
When will the flooding cease?  
Where I can walk freely, breath nice & slow  
Just feel at ease  
I can't swim so I wouldn't get far  
I need assistance from a machine  
I lost the key to my car

Why can't my life roll smoothly?  
Tired of the speed bumps round every corner  
Hit a ditch, or fix the damn machine  
It's costing me like every hour  
Learnt that achieving brings forth a great feeling  
Feel great, high with no bud, I wanna get higher  
Love it when I learn, I achieve  
Getting closer to my desire  
I wanna learn, I wanna achieve  
My dream is getting clearer

No more procrastinating  
Time to make shit happen  
Devise a plan, no more deviating  
Achieve that plan  
Make millions of fans

## A Leopard never changes it's spots

People are loosing good use of their senses  
A thin line between reality and fantasy

Don't think I can really trust you  
Not everything I tell you or expose

If I could entirely trust you  
I'd say I suppose  
But you show me I can't  
Despite your fake smile, you just pose

You're a chameleon  
A leopard never changes its spots  
Get me in a false sense of trust  
But I know a leopard never changes its spots

## Change

Don't have nothing much to say  
Maybe I've said it all  
Its time for action, no more time to play  
Working my way through books, one by one  
Working my mind, I'm on a roll, ambition

Inspiration, achievements, give me more  
Where does it end? Endless  
It never ends  
Not while I'm still breathing  
How far can I go? Far  
No restrictions  
With faith & drive  
Unrestricted believing

Summers round the corner  
This means another years round the corner  
What will change, who will change?  
Will I sweat it out like my workout in the sauna?

## Better Paste

The company could be better  
Feelings of dÃ©jÃ  vu, change the record  
Wanna have freedom, feel like the selector  
First class, get ready for lift off  
On a private jet or even concord

Got me in thinking mode  
Just needed little minds to get back writing in code  
It aint for everyone  
I cannot make you think  
Can be the lighthouse  
Light your way so that you don't sink  
It's doing my head in, get me out of here  
Holding myself back  
Is the more you know the more you fear?

Why must I become an island, in order to see things righteously?  
I don't want to face it alone, I need you constantly  
This is how I need to feel in order to stop procrastinating  
Is this who I need to be in order to eat that frog & stop contemplating?

What is the hold up, why am I still waiting?  
Is my mind under a hold up, on freeze?  
I don't understand this creativity I'm wasting!

So close I can almost taste it  
Prioritize better before I end up wasted  
Not like a bin man not as long as I have a master plan  
Not in this lifetime, I can be greater than this job, feeling like a postman  
But I lack delivery which simply ends in misery.

Time to make an imprint, matter to professionals  
Time to follow instinct, expose my credentials.  
Time goes by, there's not a moment to waste  
Combination of all my talents, create a better paste.

Time to make my big move; it's my life on the line  
Figure out what I'm supposed to do  
Without getting caught up in the life of crime  
The life always appears attractive in this stressful life, believe me it does  
Always seeking for an easy way to escape  
With crime it never shows face, never takes shape

Is fear really a gift or a curse?  
Want an answer? You better reach into your purse  
It's true, the more you know

The more you're shook  
Juts swing with a left hook

As a child I was completely fearless  
Couldn't stay still for long, constantly restless  
As a child I was completely careless  
But I had enough sense & awareness

## My Angel

You are my angel; you catch me when I fall  
Making sure I don't hit the ground  
If I fall, you make me feel tall

You have been sent from above to guide & protect me  
Strengthening my feet my protector, my shield  
Sent with love to maintain & restore me  
Strengthening my mind, keep me on track  
Provide when I'm in need

## Give A Little Love

Give her a little love, she might abuse it  
I give so much, will I confuse it?  
Only fools rush in, don't assess the obstacles  
Broke her heart, wrath chilling like icicles

Am I paranoid or see where my future lies as a result of my actions.  
Don't want to be so para that I become cold, calculating & conniving, loving in fractions

Time to use what I already know  
What I can independently show  
To rise above this strife  
Within my fists holds creativity, solution, key to my life  
As I try to write in code  
Could be seen as crazy bullshit mode  
But I keep trying to piece the puzzle  
Is it too much to try & juggle?

Keep at it, slowly and patiently wins each race  
Live life, talk to God, and hear the answers  
Give thanks for a reply to your prayers  
We are only human, we fall prey to temptations & sin  
Confusion, hazy visions  
Low thought, crazy decisions  
We are all only humans, living for luxury  
Fantasies & in someone else's dream.  
- CJ Tones [14-04-11]



## Never absolute

Ego's growing, be careful by how much  
Stay grounded, keep growing or end up losing touch

Don't want to lose focus  
Don't want to be materialistic or vain  
We are all the same, juggling the good & the bad  
How much of me will remain?

Best way to maintain it is really with your mind?  
Educate, aspire & entertain, its one of a kind  
Need to keep on reading  
It's my mind I'm constantly feeding  
All it takes is a little believing  
Your life is what you make it  
Make it real so you're not awake but just dreaming

Say what you want, I can't read your mind  
Maybe I need to ask the questions right  
Look forward to what I find

The key is to regularly warm up the brain  
Work it out, do the maths; it's only a simple equation  
The key is you never completely stay the same  
Knowledge enlightens, come up with the right persuasion  
Being very positive with life, you get a salute  
May be born working class, but it's never absolute  
Life can take you far, be careful how you choose your route  
You go far if you learn to turn it up, but able to press mute  
- You go far if you learn to appreciate & aspire better  
Don't throw wisdom down the chute  
Don't judge a book by its cover  
Judge by how ugly inside  
Birds of a feather, flock together  
Trust & loyalty, feel at ease, unwind  
-CJ Tones 14 - 04 - 2010

## Flow

I'm loving the way that I'm flowing  
It shows that I'm intellectually growing  
Opening my mind to knowledge  
It's the right seeds that I'm sowing

With every chapter read  
It's my capability getting fed  
I'm going to be extremely successful  
Only because it's what I said

Years ago, it takes time to achieve  
I'm destined for greatness  
It aint so hard for me to conceive  
Mind under knowledge siege  
I'm going to win this battle  
This I truly believe

Finished the book by the ex-FBI agent  
Now know what their body's really saying  
Non-verbal's at the newsagent  
It's good to know, knowledge comes in handy  
It can be used at any time, sweet like candy

I'm on the right track for happiness, destination success  
A requirement, make sure you belong  
Like minds work greater together  
One common goal, success  
Run the scene like King Kong

Books are simply improving my character  
Form now & here after  
The more I read the more laughter  
See the boy I was before, a man after

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