

Elenium

"White America"

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[Intro]

America!! Hahaha! We love you!
How many people are proud to be citizens of this
beautiful country of ours?
The stripes and the stars for the rights that men have
died for to protect
The women and men who have broke their necks for
the freedom of speech
the United States government has sworn to uphold..
(Yo, I want everybody to listen to the words of this
song) .. or so we're told

[Eminem]

I never woulda dreamed in a million years I'd see
so many motherfuckin people, who feel like me
Who share the same views and the same exact beliefs
It's like a fuckin ARMY marchin in back of me
So many lives I touched, so much anger aimed
in no particular direction, just sprays and sprays
And straight through your radio waves, it plays and
plays
'til it stays stuck in your head, for days and days
Who woulda thought; standin in this mirror bleachin my
hair
with some peroxide, reachin for a t-shirt to wear
that I would catapult to the forefront of rap like this?
How could I predict my words would have an impact
like this?
I must've struck a chord with somebody up in the office
Cause Congress keep tellin me, I ain't causin nuthin but
problems
And now they're sayin I'm in trouble with the
government - I'm lovin it!
I shoveled shit all my life, and now I'm dumpin it on

[Chorus 2X: Eminem]

White America! I could be one of your kids
White America! Little Eric looks just like this
White America! Erica loves my shit
I go to TRL; look how many hugs I get!

[Eminem]

Look at these eyes, baby blue, baby just like yourself
If they were brown Shady lose, Shady sits on the shelf
But Shady's cute, Shady knew Shady's dimples would
help

Make ladies swoon baby (ooh baby!) Look at my sales
Let's do the math - if I was black, I woulda sold half
I ain't have to graduate from Lincoln High School to
know that

But I could rap, so fuck school, I'm too cool to go back
Gimme the mic, show me where the fuckin studio's at
When I was underground, no one gave a fuck I was
white

No labels wanted to sign me, almost gave up I was like
Fuck it - until I met Dre, the only one to look past
Gave me a chance aand I lit a FIRE up under his ass
Helped him get back to the top, every fan black that I
got

was probably his in exchange for every white fan that
he's got

Like damn; we just swapped - sittin back lookin at shit,
wow

I'm like my skin is it startin to work to my benefit now?
It's..

[Chorus]

[Eminem]

See the problem is, I speak to suburban kids
who otherwise woulda never knew these words exist
Whose moms probably woulda never gave two squirts
of piss

'til I created so much motherfuckin turbulence!

Straight out the tube, right into your living rooms I
came

And kids flipped, when they knew I was produced by
Dre

That's all it took, and they were instantly hooked right
in

And they connected with me too because I looked like
them

That's why they put my lyrics up under this microscope
Searchin with a fine tooth comb, it's like this rope
waitin to choke; tightenin around my throat
Watchin me while I write this, like I don't like this
(Nope!)

All I hear is: lyrics, lyrics, constant controversy,
sponsors working

round the clock to try to stop my concerts early, surely
Hip-Hop was never a problem in Harlem only in Boston
After it bothered the fathers of daughters startin to

blossom
So now I'm catchin the flack from these activists when
they raggin
Actin like I'm the first rapper to smack a bitch or say
faggot, shit!
Just look at me like I'm your closest pal
The posterchild, the motherfuckin spokesman now for..

[Chorus]

[Outro]
So to the parents of America
I am the derringer aimed at little Erica to attack her
character
The ringleader of this circus of worthless pawns
Sent to lead the march right up to the steps of
Congress
and piss on the lawns of the White House
To burn the {flag} and replace it with a Parental
Advisory sticker
To spit liquor in the faces of this democracy of
hypocrisy
Fuck you Ms. Cheney! Fuck you Tipper Gore!
Fuck you with the free-est of speech
this Divided States of Embarassment will allow me to
have
Fuck you!

{*Eminem harmonizes the beat*}

I'm just kiddin America, you know I love you

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