

Joe Budden

"Runaway"

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[Verse 1: Joe Budden]

I said all that I'll say, so I stand with no apologies
I've popped all that I popped, wasn't too recently that it
got to me
Those of yall that love Joe, gotta admit the shit was a
lot to see
Today I take all of the credit like I did away with
modesty
I lost weight, lost faith, I got caught up in that vacuum
My stomach turned and my eyes burned,
and I became best friends with the bathroom
Today it takes all the strength I have inside for me to
avoid the rush
Face poked over the toilet, all you hear is a royal
flush
Was under the control, though they warned me about
addiction
Mind manifested again in the form of a prescription
And it's funny what the effects of that little pill'll do
Funny shit that keeps you alive can also kill you
But it's my life, guess I'm stuck in it
Sometimes I wanna just be normal like them other kids
The demon I battle with every night is simply drugs and
shit
But I'll runaway from it all if God deems that I've had
enough of it

[Hook]

They say don't get lost, you are the leader
And don't do that, be a believer
When the sun goes down, you better hide
It's a dangerous world, better stay inside and
Run along, run along
It's a long long way, oh yeah
Run along, run along
It's a long long way, oh yeah yeah

[Verse 2: Joe Budden]

Uh, it go
How come they can roll? Yall tell me how come they
can smoke, they can drink?

They get to do whatever they want and it don't interrupt
the way they think
They all get to be regular, why is it only me this odd?
Me who can't even stand up straight, me who can't
even keep a job
Maybe I'm asking for too much, a tiny piece of
normalcy
Or answer to any one of my fucking prayers that's
asking
what's wrong with me
Maybe I'm tired of being unique, tired of being that
outcast
I'm tired of me being the only one,
so tired of you all not knowing about that
I'm tired of it all, want me to fall a spectacle, for the
crowd to see
Or being the only one with faith, I'm tired of everybody
doubting me
I'm tired of responding to grown ass folks that think
so motha fuckin childishly
Aches, wish I could take my parents genes the fuck up
out of me
Tired of wanting to run somewhere, tired of having to
bare it all
Tired of you fucks constantly taking from me and
unwilling to share it all
Tired of being objective, I'm tired of having to hear it
all
But being alone is the only way I know to never be near
it all

[Hook]

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