

## Scissor Sisters

### "Test Of A Man"

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#### Chorus

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Rep your health and rep your clan  
If the test of a man  
Is to throw up his hands  
Then we gonna do that fighting  
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#### Verse 1

I put my heart in this  
I'm a part of the art of this  
My cartilage is seeping out my nose  
like smoke from Parliaments  
If God is just,  
Then why do I continue to sweat it  
I'm ready to set it  
Don't anybody down who ain't jetted  
I'm headed for a brawl  
I like to get locked up and then bailed out  
Can't wait to get a taste  
And meet my mates at the alehouse  
These soldiers in the war for sport  
Report on the double  
Forever blowing bubbles

#### Verse 2

I can't resist, it takes one dis  
I get pissed and here come my beer balls  
I flip my shit, get ballistic  
When one of my peers falls  
We got a man down,  
See how this fam bound?

Step up and face them, adjacent  
That's how we stand ground  
I feel serenity when I'm facing my enemies  
Knowing any friend will be  
Sending me plenty of energy  
Lending no thought to penalties  
Never get what the end will be  
It's time to knuckle up  
And yo, you ready? Well, you better be

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I'm like most boys taught at a young age  
To stifle our emotions  
Except oneâ€™s rage  
That was acceptable  
Not sadness  
I'm susceptible to madness  
I wanna stab shit  
Might wanna have kids  
My greed take over me  
My yin and my yang  
I struggle on a daily basis  
With my kin or my gang  
I sit but I hanging  
Making to retain bliss  
I'm sick 'n tired of hearing myself  
Spit the same shit  
Like I'm painless  
Though I bang fists  
Though I bang heads  
My fist connects with the blind faces  
That's nameless  
It's heinous  
What we do to soften eachother  
While people turn a blind eye  
I swear we killin eachother  
Cuz while you bump this rambunctious

Tongue twists us lungs get punctured  
And mums need comfort  
But some get  
Nothing but a cold as casket  
Hate he's closed that dashkick  
He bleeds it if you knows that bastard

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From both coasts of the Atlantic  
From the seas to seashores  
Once the fires undo our alliance  
In these wars  
We see the probable cause  
In most of our killing  
But what about the ones not willing  
And the ones who was children?  
We supposed to be building  
A better day for tomorrow  
I feel like we climbing a mountain  
Big as Kilimanjaro  
If you feeling the sorrow  
You know that your heart isn't hollow  
I'm ready to lead a new mission  
Are you ready to follow?  
Not swallow government interests  
Or their excuses devour  
While corporations killing millions  
With the abuses of power  
I refuse it to sour  
To just step by and be quiet  
But I'm curbing my urges  
Serve these motherfuckers a riot  
We gotta question the weapon  
Used for reppin' up in our habitat  
The pen is mightier, why do you  
Wanna go and grab a gat?  
The goal is evolution  
But it has to be passive

Start with the health of self  
To pass the mental wealth to the massive

Rep yourself, rep your fam  
Rep your health and rep your clan  
The real test of a man  
Is to put down his hands  
And we can be united  
'Cause if we divided, we damned

See there's ways of handling things  
And there's ways of handling things  
Some ways are just better for your health  
You know what I mean?  
When you take care of yourself  
You taking care of your loved ones  
Don't ever back down on something you believe in  
Cuz if you don't stand for something  
You'll fall for anything, alright?  
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