

Nas And Damian Marley "Patience"

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[Nas Talking - Intro]

Here we are

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Yeah

This one right here is for the people

[Hook] (Sample -MAMADOU & MARIAM, "SABALI")

Sabali, Sabali, Sabali, yonkontã

Sabali, Sabali, Sabali, kiye

Ni kãra mã'gã'

Sabali, Sabali, Sabali, yonkontã

Sabali, Sabali, Sabali, kagni

Ni kãra mã'gã'

[Nas Talking]

Ay yo D. Lets go all the way on this one.

[Damian Marley - Verse 1]

Some of the smartest dummies

Can't read the language of Egyptian mummies

An' a fly go a moon

And can't find food for the starving tummies

Pay no mind to the youths

Cause it's not like the future depends on it

But save the animals in the zoo

Cause the chimpanzee dem a make big money

This is how the media pillages

On the TV the picture is

Savages in villages

And the scientist still can't explain the pyramids, huh

Evangelists making a living on the videos of ribs of the
little kids

Stereotyping the image of the images

And this is what the image is

You buy a khaki pants

And all of a sudden you say a Indiana Jones

An' a thief out gold and thief out the scrolls and even
the buried bones

Some of the worst paparazzis I've ever seen and I ever
known

Put the worst on display so the world can see

And that's all they will ever show
So the ones in the west
Will never move east
And feel like they could be at home
Dem get tricked by the beast
But a where dem ago flee when the monster is fully
grown?
Solomonic lineage whe dem still can't defeat and them
coulda never clone
My spiritual DNA that print in my soul and I will forever
Own Lord

[Hook]

[Nas talking]

Yeah, Sabali. Thats patience. That's what the old folks
told meâ€¦
Discovering the World before this World. A World
buried in time.
Uncover with rhymes. It gets no realer.

[Damian Marley: Verse 2]

Huh, we born not knowing, are we born knowing all?
We growing wiser, are we just growing tall?
Can you read thoughts? can you read palms?
Huh, can you predict the future? can you see storms,
coming?
The Earth was flat if you went too far you would fall off
Now the Earth is round if the shape change again
everybody woulda start laugh
The average man can't prove of most of the things that
he chooses to speak of
And still won't research and find out the root of the
truth that you seek of
Scholars teach in Universities and claim that they're
smart and cunning
Tell them find a cure when we sneeze and that's when
their nose start running
And the rich get stitched up, when we get cut
Man a heal dem broken bones in the bush with the wed
mud
Can you read signs? can you read stars?
Can you make peace? can you fight war?
Can you milk cows, even though you drive cars? huh
Can you survive, Against All Odds, Now?

[Hook]

[Nas]

It's crazy when you feed people the truth you don't
know how they're gonna react. You're scared of wrong

doers, people that just ignorant, You're scared of the truth, be patient for now.

[Nas: Verse 3]

Who wrote the Bible? Who wrote the Qur'an?
And was it a lightning storm
That gave birth to the Earth
And then dinosaurs were born? damn
Who made up words? who made up numbers?
And what kind of spell is mankind under?
Everything on the planet we preserve and can it
Microwaved it and try it
No matter what we'll survive it
What's hue? what's man? what's human?
Anything along the land we consuming
Eatin', deletin', ruin
Trying to get paper
Gotta have land, gotta have acres
So I can sit back like Jack Nicholson
Watch n-ggas play the game like the lakers
In a world full of 52 fakers
Gypsies, seances, mystical prayers
You superstitious? throw salt over your shoulders
Make a wish for the day cuz
Like somebody got a doll of me
Stickin' needles in my arteries
But I can't feel it
Sometimes it's like 'pardon me, but I got a real big spirit'
I'm fearless. I'm fearless
Don't you try and grab hold of my soul
It's like a military soldier since seven years old
I held real dead bodies in my arms
Felt their body turn cold, oh
Why we born in the first place
If this is how we gotta go?
Damn.

This goes to all the wisdom and knowledge seekers of the World. Sabali, Patience, yeah.

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