

Pete Rock f/ Chip Fu, Renee Neufville

"Ready Fe War"

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[The intro is a clip interviewing reggae artist Peter Tosh]

[Reporter]

Peter? What's a bumba claat how you say it?

[Peter Tosh]

Bumboclaat, bumba claat is one of Jamaica's password one of the most highest potential of culture that relieves the spells of evil

[Reporter]

Why? How?

[Peter Tosh]

Well it's so scientific

I've been investigatin this word so long to find out what these words mean

And what they are for, cause in the beginnin was the word and the word was with Jah

And the word was Jah the same was in this time cause so it was in the beginnin so it shall be in these days

[Reporter]

Okay

[Peter Tosh]

Well, I was born and raised and grown up in colonialism and exploitation, and hear dat I heard dat and ummm.....

Bumba claat, ras claat, blood claat, and every kind of claat

yuh can tink of is bad words, and indecent language

[Reporter]

Yeah

[Peter Tosh]

And I born come here it in Jamaica, so why is it indecent?

So I went on an investigation and once upon a time I

I'm ready fi di war, against di acts dat nuh clean and
spirits dat nuh pure
And I'm sure dem a vampire though seh diseases dem
caan be cured
My sons haved scored but when di lion roar I am sure
Dat all badmind individual livin in full get judged by Jah
Jah's law
Siddung pon di riddim and di riddim is given and I kill
it wid force
Di force weh it come from it live inna place dat build
clean shores
I have my armor and my shield so I don't fear no more
Cause love Jah is guidin me for sure
I'm ready so on come, trust mi mi nah go run
And all badminded people a get bun, get bun
My armor and weapon, dat breath inna mi lungs
Cause I nah stop until di work is done, is done
I'm ready so on come, trust mi mi nah go run
And all badminded people a get bun, get bun

My armor and weapon, dat breath inna mi lungs

[Chorus: Chip Fu]

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waaaaaaaaaaaaaaaarrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr!!!

I'm ready fi di

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I'm ready fi di

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Ready fi di

waaaaaaaaaaaaaaaarrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr!!!

I'm ready fi di, oh yes I'm ready fi di war

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