

# I Need A Light

Warren G

R: I need a light (light)  
so I can smoke away this pain  
I need a drink (drink)  
so I can drink away this rain  
maybe a wife (wife)  
somebody to share my name  
I need a song  
a brand new song to sing

Long Beach back in the day was all hustling  
young niggaz in the neighborhood struggling  
praying to god we ammount to something  
by living on the street where they constantly busting  
big Warren told us that they can't hold us  
Niggaz ain't shit 'till they pass away  
so I, watched my step  
but when Ola Mae left I was a mothafucking basket case  
for real  
god bless me  
cuz I be on the east where they wanna arrest me  
I break bread so they wanna suspect me  
but look me in my eyes and say they wanna protect me  
yeah  
ruthless, my style as a juvenile  
ran with a gang, got me a profile  
as a child in the Beach I was wild  
ready to die and that's why..

R:

Could it be it was all so simple  
dropping a slick instrumental  
Snoop busting 'bout the shit we went through  
Nate singing 'bout the city we came from  
and niggaz so tight wasn't nothing we wouldn't do  
time keep slipping  
but I ain't tripping nigga it's all about my children  
so you can save that bullshit  
cuz if I pull my shit, nigga I'ma kill you  
the streets is watching  
and niggaz fell victim from L.A. to Watts and Compton  
but life goes on  
it's just another song if you ain't to one gone  
listen  
ruthless, my style as a juvenile  
but now I got a brand new G-Child  
big Warren gotta stay trunk tight  
cuz he got the fly and that's why..

R:

Listen  
caviar wishes, twisting stitches, all out race for the riches  
got a nigga missing what rich is  
and what a life mean if you do it for the kids  
it's for my family y'all  
really the only one who understand me y'all

cuz it ain't hard to ball  
but then who got ya back when it's time to fall  
and it's amazing  
to stay up on top, your game so close to the pavement  
time brings change in mind  
but then don't let the change bring your mind no time  
clearly, a conspiracy  
Niggaz right near me but still ain't hearing me  
that's how it's always gone fly  
'till you ready to die and that's why..

R: