



## Gangsta's Paradise by Coolio

As I walk (1)\_\_\_\_\_ the (2)\_\_\_\_\_ of the shadow of death

I (3)\_\_\_\_\_ a look at my life and realise there's nuthin' left 'Cuz I've been blasting and laughing so long, that

Even my mama thinks that my (4)\_\_\_\_\_ is gone

But I ain't never (5)\_\_\_\_\_ a man that didn't deserve it

Me be treated like a (6)\_\_\_\_\_ you know that's unheard of

You better (7)\_\_\_\_\_ how you're talking, and where you're walking

Or you and your homies might be (8)\_\_\_\_\_ in chalk

I really (9)\_\_\_\_\_ to trip but i gotta loc

As I Grow I see myself in the pistol smoke, fool

I'm the kinda G the (10)\_\_\_\_\_ (11)\_\_\_\_\_ wanna be like

on my (12)\_\_\_\_\_ in the night, saying prayers in the streetlight.

Been spending most their lives, living in the gangsta's paradise

Been spending (13)\_\_\_\_\_ their lives, living in the gangsta's paradise

Keep spending most our lives, living in the gangsta's paradise

Keep spending most our lives, (14)\_\_\_\_\_ in the gangsta's paradise

The (15)\_\_\_\_\_ situation, they got me facin'

I can't (16)\_\_\_\_\_ a (17)\_\_\_\_\_ life, I was raised by the stripes

So I gotta be down (18)\_\_\_\_\_ the hood team

Too much television watching got me chasing dreams

I'm an educated fool with money on my mind

Got my tin in my hand and a gleam in my eye

I'm a loc'd out gangsta set trippin' banger

And my homies is down so don't arouse my anger, fool

Death ain't nothing but a heartbeat away,

I'm living life, do or die, what can I say

## Fill in the gaps

I'm 23 now, but will I live to see 24

The way things are going I don't (19)\_\_\_\_\_

Tell me why are we, so blind to see

That the one's we hurt, are you and me

Been spending most their lives, living in the gangsta's paradise

Been spending most their lives, (20)\_\_\_\_\_ in the gangsta's paradise

Keep spending most our lives, living in the gangsta's paradise

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Power and the money, (21)\_\_\_\_\_ and the power

Minute after minute, hour after hour

Everybody's running, but half of (22)\_\_\_\_\_ ain't looking

What's going on in the kitchen, but I don't know what's cookin'

They say I gotta learn, but nobody's here to teach me

If (23)\_\_\_\_\_ can't understand it, how can they reach me

I guess they can't, I guess they won't

I (24)\_\_\_\_\_ they front, that's why I know my life is out of luck, fool

Been spending (25)\_\_\_\_\_ their lives, (26)\_\_\_\_\_ in the gangsta's paradise

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Tell me why are we, so (27)\_\_\_\_\_ to see

That the one's we hurt, are you and me



Answer

1. through
2. valley
3. take
4. mind
5. crossed
6. punk
7. watch
8. lined
9. hate
10. little
11. homies
12. knees
13. most
14. living
15. ghetto
16. live
17. normal
18. with
19. know
20. living
21. money
22. them
23. they
24. guess
25. most
26. living
27. blind

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