

Capleton: Blazing!  
Blazing!

Chorus  
Stephen Marley:  
And it was written  
Up in the book of life  
That a man shall  
Endure forever more  
(Repeat)

Verse 1  
Damian Marley a.k.a Jr. Gong:  
Well did you know the pen  
Is stronger than di knife  
And they can kill you once  
But they cant kill you twice  
Did you know destruction of di flesh is not di ending to life  
Fear not of the anti-christ  
Did you know that I  
Exist before the earth  
And did you know my eyes  
Are windows to the world  
Did you know you cant go ah Zion and ah wear jerry curls  
Cant tell the boys from the girls  
The bodys just a vehicle  
Transporting the soul  
Its whats inside the people  
Is beauty to behold  
Fear not of evil  
Everyday dem flesh it grow old  
Changes of the times take the toll

Chorus  
(Repeat)

Verse 2  
Capleton:  
The one ya name, fear is in the eyes of di beholder  
And love is in the presence of the love maker  
Life is in the words of the comforter  
Endure much longer  
Live much longer  
Fear is in the eyes of di beholder  
And love is in the presence of the love maker  
Life is in the words of the comforter  
Endure much longer  
Live much longer

Verse 3  
Damian Marley a.k.a Jr. Gong:  
A vester on his chest and Rastafari is his name  
The gift of everlasting life for us to all sustain  
Blessing that you all be got  
Lessons taught you all forgot  
Rasta call it shit you not  
Do you remember Elijah  
And his chariot of flames  
Same blood that runs thru my veins

Verse 4  
Capleton:  
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Live much longer  
Fear is in the eyes of di beholder  
And love is in the presence of the love maker  
Life is in the words of the comforter  
Endure much longer  
Live much longer  
Careful how you entertain stranger  
Selassie never born inna nuh manger  
I'll never crucify as me savior  
Elect off himself inna the ruler  
Babylon ah nah malfunction well dem a failure  
So be careful of dem cellular and pager  
Cause I sign see dem I see danger  
So dem grateful Selaisse I pray to you

That a man shall  
Endure forever more

Chorus

Verse 5

Drag-on:

Hey dick you wanna lick upon shots  
Upon a bloodclot  
And fill the block with bummer ass cops  
Cops me dun talk you know you watch me walks in  
My black woman is getting raped across New York sand  
Before another brother's in chalk sand  
I 'magine somebody said that just a dead sam  
See us we do the crime we do the time  
Y'all get away scott free  
So police they gine pop you b'fore you pop me  
Cause if you get me you got me you shot me  
Know'll lot me carry shotty since moms slap me  
Cause my room sloppy  
The youngest nigga out the camp is me  
But nobody pampered me  
So you better don't ramp with me  
Fi see me, me don't play plenty  
Chicks me blazed many  
Raised plenty fi dollars  
Storm my impala  
Watch a bum holla  
Watch 'im run, hit the floor  
Told 'im come, come no  
Throw ya ganja pon de air  
'plah!

Stephen Marley:

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That a man shall (Capleton: blaze it up, blaze it up)  
Endure forever more

Verse 6

Damian:

Watch for sticks and stones  
Stumbling blocks in piles  
Life is one big road  
Miles on top of miles  
So blessed be the soul  
That always remains a child  
When most people don't even smile  
There's a natural mystic  
Blowing tru the air  
So keep it realistic  
And always be aware  
The truth is crying out  
And it's so loud and so clear  
But most people won't even hear  
Spiritual pollution in the atmosphere  
And with so much confusion  
Can one be happy here  
The gift of Rastafari is for all man to share  
But some would rather to be so unfair

Chorus

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And it was written (Capleton: Yeah yeah yeah)  
Up in the book of life  
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