

Propaganda

Dead Prez

Intro: (news snippets)

"let me now turn, to our program for the future..."

"the economy right now, is extremely supportive of the president and his policies"

"FBI scientists have found chemical traces, consistent with a bomb or a missile, on a piece of wreckage..."

"police using clubs and tear gas against demonstrators..."

"they called me a mother-(bleeped out)-ing so-and-so... and a white fascist... like they said, 'you're getting some of your own medicine'..." Singing:

Telling lies, to our children

Telling lies, to our children

Telling lies, to our babies

Only truth, can take us...

Verse 1:

You can't fool all the people all of the time

But if you fool the right ones, then the rest will fall behind

Tell me who's got control of your mind? your world view?

Is it the news or the movie you're taking your girl to? (uh)

Know what I'm sayin' cause Uncle Sam got a plan

If you examine what they tellin' us then you will understand

What they plantin' in the seeds of the next generation

Feeding our children miseducation

No one knows if there's UFO's or any life on Mars

Or what they do when they up in the stars

Because I don't believe a word of what the President said

He filling our head with lies, got us hypnotised

When he be speaking in code words about crime and poverty

Drugs, welfare, prisons, guns and robbery

It really means us, there's no excuse for the slander

But what's good for the goose, is still good for the gander

See...

Chorus:

I don't believe

Bob Marley died from cancer

31 years ago I woulda been a Panther

They killed Huey 'cause they

knew he had the answer

The views that you see in the news is propaganda Singing:

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I don't want no computer chip in my arm
I don't wanna die by a nuclear bomb
I say we all rush the pentagon, pull out guns
And grab the intercom, my first words will be
I believe man made god, outta ignorance and fear
If God made man, then why the hell would he put us here?
I thought he's supposed to be the all loving
The same God who let Hitler put the Jews in the oven
We don't fall for the regular shit, they try to feed us
All this half-ass leadership, flippin' position
They turn politician and shut the hell up and follow tradition
For your TV screen is telling lies to your vision
Every channel got some brainwashed cop shit to watch
Running up in niggas cribs claiming that they heard shots
It's a plot, but busta
Can you tell me who's greedier?
Big corporations, the pigs or the media?
Sign of the times, terrorism on the rise
Commercial airplanes, falling out the sky like flies
Make me wonder what secrets went down with bob brown (?)
Who burnt churches to the ground with no evidence found?
It's not coincidence, it's been too many studied incidents
It coulda been the Klan who put that bomb at the Olympics
But it probably was the FBI, deep at the call
Cuz if they make us all panic, then they can start martial law
Chorus I don't believe Bob Marley
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They killed Huey cause they knew he had the answer
The views that you see in the news is muthaf**kin propaganda
Singing:
Police is telling lies fooling millions
What are they teaching our kids in these school buildings?
Televised, enterprised in all the killing
Controlling our lives, this ain't living
No this ain't living
Chant:
FBI, CIA
ATF, KKK
IRS, TNT
CBS, NBC
FBI, CIA
ATF, KKK
IRS, TNT
CBS, NBC
Singing:
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Huey Newton:
"uh, we view each other uh, with uh, a great love and a great understanding
And that we
Try to expand this to the general, uh, black population and also people,
Oppressed people all over the world, and, I think that uh, we differ from

Uhhh... uh, some other groups simply because we understand the system better
Than uh, most uh, groups understand the system, and uh, with this
Realisation, uh, we attempt to form a strong political base based in the
Community with the only strength that we have and that's the strength of, uh,
A potentially destructive force if we don't get freedom."

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