

# How Did We Get Here (feat. Andy Mineo & JGivens)

## Propaganda

Well I feel it  
It's the blood of my ancestors resting in my chest, bro  
I was so great Yeah, cause I remember karaoke mics pointed at the speaker  
Boom box play the tracks, CD skipped, bunch of raps  
Open mics, night side, drive by ghetto bird  
Hoping you can make it home  
Better get swift with your words  
Birthplace, earthquake  
Hometown; it goes down  
Learn to bust choppers before your ABC, tragedy  
Survivor rivals the odds of tryin' to fight gravity  
A compliment when MC say come battle me, stay cool  
Now a dad, college grad, quit my job, hit the road  
Tryin' to get my marriage happy  
Ask about me at the bottom of the 710, holding down the sea port  
Beach city, coast guard, Queen Mary, Snoop Lion  
Trust me, I'm a native, the Hollywood sign be lyin' beneath it  
Grave of a thousand young souls, take a stroll on a sure dream of Californication  
And I still can't explain how any of us made it  
It's grace  
And I got a feeling I can't describe  
I see this place when I close my eyes  
Wake me up if we ever arrive  
And tell me how did we  
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Tell me  
My hand prints left permanent stamps in  
The steering wheel with the pressure of anvils  
Fresh out the gate, the campus that gave us a canvas; blank  
Unemployment rates, we scrambling for pay  
Never stand still in a rat race  
Speeding out of LA, couldn't be late that day  
I'll be right back, I'm headed to Vegas cause Taylor got graduation, too  
That round trip switched quick to a one-way, I'm surprised it's you

I hit the local circuit in churches scribblin' verses  
Rehearsing them with no music so earth in due time can use them  
For spoken word or whatever service  
A movement; the music in Egypt was persecuted  
Long go, faith is bullet proof  
When you look around and pray that they won't shoot you to prove it  
How did we get here, in a dream school?  
Now when I swim here God planned it, I'm one of the fish here like Boom  
And I got a feeling I can't describe  
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How, how, how, how  
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How, how, how, how  
And I learned you ain't in love with this  
Time to fire your publicist, I inspire above the mess  
Your desire requires this lost angels city, don't pity us, fully aware  
That's why I don't flinch at a bully scare

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