

from Sean

Poetry is a great way for me to express my feelings and opinions on certain subjects. My poetry and views on life have been influenced by my parents Ron & Denise McWilliams and my sister Kristin McWilliams. The technique of my poetry has no professional rhythm or outline, it's simply the exact words that explain how I feel. My ideas have also been strongly influenced by Talib Kweli and Bryon McCane. I hope my poetry will make those who read it think more about the subjects I bring up and try to understand where I am coming from.

Lesson of Life

I continue wandering down this stretch of open road
I've been searching for a better day, I'm hoping, though,
Trying to find the answers that I've been looking for
Praying to God that He'll help guide me through the door
Going through life not knowing what will become
Keeping my faith in God, looking at all that He's done
This world of hate and sinning is not what he created
People of all different races, living among such hatred
The evil one is among us turning us from the righteous path
Stripping us bare, taking all the love and fortunes we have
Now the government wants to take control of people's lives
Hacking into our homes and filling our minds full of lies
We invade Iraq, trying to force them into our way of living
Blinded by the evil, thinking it's right, but were sinning
My heart goes out to those who died for this country,
But we're wasting billions of dollars on this petty war
While there's millions of people here going hungry
Let's all come together and fight the evil that's inside
And if we fall victim to the struggle,
We'll fall knowing that we tried.

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