

# (RA)-King Speaks : "Mirage" (Poem)

Strippers simulating sex lapdances on X, Physically live it up Spiritually suffer deaf,  
What do you do when everything you've ever believed in turns out to be a lie,  
When the love of those you would've sworn by your life would be there until you die,  
Erts to the left like the end of a play no standing ovā, All of the oaths were jokes  
and your dogs went astray, They use to salute now they frown like dog mess on their boot,  
Let me paint this picture for those whose vision is obtuse, Imagine loving something or  
someone who could never love you back, Oaths are sealed not by signature or word but by  
acts. The streets will sell you a dream and charge top dollar, Time is money so  
arise out of your cell a scholar, why should they even bother?  
potter, They love the  
of the neighborhoods  
counterfeit relationships  
Don't take the  
seems, because its  
scenes, Steady trying  
know what they mean,  
accomplishing nothing,  
a gangster I flick  
except the ones being snuck into the clubs, One flick of the switch  
will turn your forest to shrubs, Your dreams into nightmares  
you thought it was all good, True tales from Hell about  
the Mirage of the Hood.



While most lose hope like  
Mold yourself like a Master  
pavement and bricks  
that restrict, the fake  
and he said she said hood politics  
picture for what it  
a lot happening behind the  
to live out rap songs don't  
They steady hustling and not  
Brothers blasting guns like  
but no cuts are coming,

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