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My life is not memories rather their narratives
 ive told myself about myself
 Figuring it out is hard and I'm sorry
 It aint about you/
 Burn Babylon/
 Yah pussy ah da wettest/
 Racism Shadism Classism colorist sexism
 Patriarch decentering whiteness
 No Fucks Given/
 The Marathon continues/
 Art is about learning how to be, Painting is
 about what's in front of you, it's about learning
 to see/
 Niggas die everyday in the hood B/
 Intersectionality/
 You're the most insecure person I know and
 it's disgusting/
 We have to be gentle with each other's hearts
 I Like America and America likes me
 For the CULTURE/
 If you were them, You would be them/
 LISTEN/
 "You've got to give them something special,
 you got to give them you, what you do, what
 you represent"
 New women, old ways, Gotta Keep a Balance/
 I look cooler than I am/
 I don't want my work to be some fucking free
 zone associations/
 Build the margins/
 This nigga always skiing even in the summer/
 Poverty Broke/
 "I'm a Roc-A-Fella
 What nigga for Roc-A-Fella shit I will rock a
 fella"/
 "grey sheep"/
 "You know you were my first time a new feel"/
 "Lots of class but working class"/
 Every year I grew up but never got older/
 Fuck a lot/ mad asexual/
 The margin are limitations of the imagination
 /
 There are no margins/
 Every master must empty his cup/

Take my dog to go see Santa/
 Worker's rights/
 Be more grateful/
 It's ok to have the feelings that you have/it
 doesn't mean your feelings are correct/
 Don't restate what someone has already said
 when you can say something new and more
 relevant/
 Take something do something to it then do
 something to it/
 Ok, Sorry/
 It's my flesh that holds on to facts, It's my spirit
 that holds on to truth/
 She riding dick on her tippy toes/
 Trama looping/
 Web of what I'm already doing/
 Digital identity/
 Only thing that was real/
 Too much mindless conformity/
 Live your truth
 Black people who love black people
 Who are you talking to
 Sorry if I made you feel less than who you are/
 a little insecure
 a civilian
 Bummy Jack
 Swear by the moment
 Centering identifies
 Consider the source
 The Source
 Emotional thirst-trap
 Long journey not a lot of time
 Borderless experience
 Ima shine Anti-social extrovert
 I'm from the far side of a small island
 Wanna feel the thrust wanna feel the texture
 Not really into small talk but always want a
 deep conversation
 Biggest turn on real empathy not this pseudo
 cultural capitalist woke that people exercise
 now a days/ empathy that requires real
 listening and imagination around someone
 else's lived experience.
 Everything I experience is real

