



## Fill in the gaps

### Gangsta's Paradise by Coolio

As I walk through the valley of the shadow of death  
I take a (1)\_\_\_\_\_ at my life and (2)\_\_\_\_\_  
there's nuthin' left  
'Cuz I've been blasting and laughing so long, that  
Even my mama thinks that my mind is gone  
But I ain't never crossed a man that didn't  
(3)\_\_\_\_\_ it  
Me be treated like a punk you know that's unheard of  
You better watch how you're talking, and where you're walking  
Or you and your homies might be lined in chalk  
I really hate to (4)\_\_\_\_\_ but i gotta loc  
As I Grow I see myself in the pistol smoke, fool  
I'm the kinda G the little (5)\_\_\_\_\_ wanna be like  
on my (6)\_\_\_\_\_ in the night, (7)\_\_\_\_\_  
prayers in the streetlight.  
Been (8)\_\_\_\_\_ most (9)\_\_\_\_\_ lives,  
living in the gangsta's paradise  
Been (10)\_\_\_\_\_ most their lives, living in the  
gangsta's paradise  
Keep spending most our lives, living in the gangsta's paradise  
Keep spending (11)\_\_\_\_\_ our lives, living in the  
gangsta's paradise  
The getto situation, (12)\_\_\_\_\_ got me facin'  
I can't live a normal life, I was raised by the  
(13)\_\_\_\_\_  
So I gotta be down with the hood team  
Too much (14)\_\_\_\_\_ watching got me  
chasing dreams  
I'm an educated fool with (15)\_\_\_\_\_ on my mind  
Got my tin in my hand and a (16)\_\_\_\_\_ in my eye  
I'm a loc'd out gangsta set trippin' banger  
And my homies is (17)\_\_\_\_\_ so don't  
(18)\_\_\_\_\_ my anger, fool  
Death ain't nothing but a heartbeat away,  
I'm living life, do or die, what can I say

I'm 23 now, but (19)\_\_\_\_\_ I live to see 24  
The way (20)\_\_\_\_\_ are going I don't (21)\_\_\_\_\_  
  
Tell me why are we, so blind to see  
That the one's we hurt, are you and me  
Been spending most their lives, living in the gangsta's  
paradise  
Been spending most their lives, living in the gangsta's  
paradise  
Keep spending most our lives, living in the gangsta's paradise  
Keep (22)\_\_\_\_\_ most our lives, living in the  
gangsta's paradise  
Power and the money, money and the power  
Minute (23)\_\_\_\_\_ minute, hour after hour  
Everybody's running, but half of them ain't looking  
What's (24)\_\_\_\_\_ on in the kitchen, but I don't know  
what's cookin'  
They say I gotta learn, but nobody's here to teach me  
If they can't understand it, how can (25)\_\_\_\_\_ reach me  
I (26)\_\_\_\_\_ they can't, I guess they won't  
I guess they front, that's why I know my life is out of luck, fool  
Been (27)\_\_\_\_\_ most their lives, living in the  
gangsta's paradise  
Been spending most their lives, living in the gangsta's  
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**Answer**

1. look
2. realise
3. deserve
4. trip
5. homies
6. knees
7. saying
8. spending
9. their
10. spending
11. most
12. they
13. stripes
14. television
15. money
16. gleam
17. down
18. arouse
19. will
20. things
21. know
22. spending
23. after
24. going
25. they
26. guess
27. spending