

## Keny Arkana

### "La Rage"

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OK, on a la rage mais c'est pas celle qui fait baver  
Demande à Fabe la vie claque comme nos semelles sur les pavés  
La rage de voir nos buts entravés, de vivre en travers  
La rage gravée depuis bien loin en arrière  
La rage d'avoir grandi trop vite quand des adultes volent ton enfance  
Brah! Imagine un mur et un bolide  
La rage car impossible est cette paix tant voulue  
La rage de voir autant de CRS armés dans nos rues  
La rage de voir ce putain de monde s'autodétruire  
Et que ce soit toujours des innocents au centre des tirs  
La rage car c'est l'homme qui a créé chaque mur  
S'est barricadé de béton, aurait-il peur de la nature ?  
La rage car il a oublié qu'il en faisait partie  
Disharmonie profonde mais dans quel monde la colombe est partie ?  
La rage d'être autant balafré par les putains de normes  
Et puis la rage, ouais la rage d'avoir la rage depuis qu'on est même

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La rage parce qu'on choisit rien et qu'on subit tout le temps  
Et vu que leurs choix sont bancals hé bien tout équilibre fout le camp  
La rage car l'irréparable s'entasse depuis un bout de temps  
La rage car qu'est ce qu'on attend pour s'mettre debout et fouter le boucan  
La rage c'est tout ce qu'ils nous laissent, t'façon tout ce qui nous reste  
La rage, combien des nôtres finiront par retourner leur veste  
La rage de vivre et de vivre l'instant présent  
De choisir son futur libre et sans leurs grilles d'oppression  
La rage, car c'est la merde et que ce monde y adhère  
Et parce que tous leurs champs OGM stérilisent la terre  
La rage pour qu'un jour l'engrenage soit brisé  
La rage car trop lisent « Vérité » sur leur écran télévisé  
La rage car ce monde ne nous correspond pas  
Nous nourrissent de faux rêves pour placer leur rempart  
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Où Babylone s'engraisse pendant qu'on crève en bas

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Et parce qu'ils n'entendent jamais les cris lorsque le sang coule  
La rage car c'est le pire que nous frôlons  
La rage car l'Occident n'a toujours pas ôté sa tenue de colon  
La rage car le mal tape sans cesse trop  
Et que ne sont plus mis au goût du jour tant de grands savoirs ancestraux  
La rage, trop de mensonges et de secrets gardés  
L'élite de nos États, riche de vérités pouvant changer l'humanité  
La rage car ils ne veulent pas que ça change, hein  
Préférant garder leur pouvoir et nous manipuler comme leurs engins  
La rage car on croit aux anges et qu'on a choisi de marcher avec eux  
La rage parce que mes propos dérangent  
Vois aux quatre coins du globe, la rage du peuple en ébullition  
La rage, ouais la rage ou l'essence de la révolution

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Anticapitalistes, alter-mondialistes, ou toi qui cherches la vérité sur ce monde, la résistance de demain (Inch'Allah) à la veille d'une révolution. Mondiale et spirituelle, la rage du peuple, la rabia del pueblo, parce qu'on a la rage, celle qui fera trembler tes normes. La rage a pris la populace et la rage est énorme...

**Walt Whitman**  
**“Song of Myself”**

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Alone far in the wilds and mountains I hunt,  
Wandering amazed at my own lightness and glee,  
In the late afternoon choosing a safe spot to pass the night,  
Kindling a fire and broiling the fresh-kill'd game,  
Falling asleep on the gather'd leaves with my dog and gun by my side.

The Yankee clipper is under her sky-sails, she cuts the sparkle and scud,

My eyes settle the land, I bend at her prow or shout joyously from the deck.

The boatmen and clam-diggers arose early and stopt for me,  
I tuck'd my trowser-ends in my boots and went and had a good time;  
You should have been with us that day round the chowder-kettle.

I saw the marriage of the trapper in the open air in the far west, the bride was a red girl,  
Her father and his friends sat near cross-legged and dumblv smoking. they had moccasins to their feet and large

She had long eyelashes, her head was bare, her coarse straight locks descended upon her voluptuous limbs and reach'd to her feet.

The runaway slave came to my house and stopt outside,  
I heard his motions crackling the twigs of the woodpile,  
Through the swung half-door of the kitchen I saw him limpsy and weak,  
And went where he sat on a log and led him in and assured him,  
And brought water and fill'd a tub for his sweated body and bruis'd feet,  
And gave him a room that enter'd from my own, and gave him some coarse clean clothes,  
And remember perfectly well his revolving eyes and his awkwardness,  
And remember putting plasters on the galls of his neck and ankles;  
He staid with me a week before he was recuperated and pass'd north,  
I had him sit next me at table, my fire-lock lean'd in the corner.

**Plex (D. Bedard)**  
**“No More”**

Say it loud, we native and proud  
We waited it out, the best day to be native is now  
It is what it gotta be, hurt the economy  
Whatever it takes to get the PM in front of me  
Governemnts, they all fuckin' terrorists  
Ever since they came to the Americas  
Bringing guns to a peaceful protest  
Target the hopeless, weak and oppressed  
They all cannibals, filthy animals  
And if you figure that's cool, it's understandable  
But try to walk a mile in my shoes  
And talk to the cop with the glock behind you  
They all cowards, hungry for power  
Ain't satisfies 'til the lands been devoured  
Vampires, they out for blood  
They chop trees and they run pipe right through the mud  
They say we drill oil 'cause we need it  
They figure we're sheep we'll believe it  
They treat treaties like shit, we're mistreated.  
We only want what's ours and that's freedom.

Makin' our move, we ain't gonna Idle No More  
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Call me Christmas, 'cause I'm forgivin'  
But I can't forget the state in which native people are livin'  
The government would rather see us dead or in prison  
And 39 percent of Canadians are with 'em.  
The sign of the times is like, "who do you trust?"  
They want the whole fuckin' pie, won't even save me the crust  
Offerin' us crumbs is some sort of favour to us  
They control the terms and we're made to adjust  
But we can fight back. Let's see how they like that  
After these messages, we'll be right back  
When we return, we've crashed and burned  
And rise fromnn the ashes, but what did we learn?

And all the government does is sweep it under the rug  
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### **Keny Arkana “La Rage” (English Translation)**

Ok, we've got the rage, and I'm not talking about rabies.  
Ask Fab, life is clicking like our heels on the cobbles.  
The rage to see our goals being blocked, the rage to live across.  
The rage that is ingrained since long ago.  
The rage for having grown too fast,  
when adults have stolen your childhood.  
BAM! Imagine a racing car and a wall...  
The rage, for impossible is this so much desired peace.  
The rage, to see all those armed MDP's in our streets.  
The rage, to see this fucking world in self-destruction,  
With innocent people always at the center of fires.  
The rage, for it's MAN who built each wall,  
who has locked himself in concrete, is he afraid of nature?  
The rage, for he's forgotten that he belongs to nature.  
And it's a deep disharmony, to which world did the dove fly?  
The rage, to be lashed at by society's norms.  
At the rage, the rage for having the rage since we were a child.  
Because we've got the rage.  
We'll stand up, no matter what happens.  
The rage.  
To go through, to the end where life drives us  
  
Because we've got the rage.  
We'll neither shut up, nor sit down, for now we'll be ready.  
Because we've got the rage, the heart and faith.

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Nothing could stop us,  
insubordinate, wise dissident, humanist, or rebel.

The Rage

For we choose nothing and always submit

And as their choices are shaky,  
the whole balance sods off.

The rage,  
for the irreparable has been piling up for a long time.

The Rage because:

what do we wait for standing up and kicking up a fuss?

The rage,  
it is all that is left to us anyway, all that is left.

The rage,  
how many of us will end up betraying?

The will to live, and to live the present moment, to choose our future,  
free and free of their oppression plans.

The rage,  
for its a bloody mess that everyone sticks to,  
and for their GMO fields sterilize the earth.

The rage, for one day we break up the chain.

The rage, for too many people think that TV tells the truth.

The rage, for this world does not suit us.

but does feed us with false dreams and true ramparts

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And Babylon grows fat and starves us to death.

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The Rage,

to keep the faith and try to move

The rage, in front of a Chirac, a Sharon, a Blair or a Bush

The rage, because the world looks at life through red-tinted glasses,  
but takes a black view of things,

and because they hear the cries when it bleeds.

The Rage, for it's worse than we skim.

The rage, for the western world still wears its colonial dress.

The rage, because the evil strikes too much.

And the ancestral knowledge is not updated anymore.

The rage, for we believe in angles and decided to march with them.  
The rage, for my remarks are disturbing.

Watch at the peoples' rage, seething with unrest from every corner of the world.  
The rage, yeah the rage, or the revolution's essence?

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Anti-Capitalist, alter-mondialist,  
or you who searches truth about this world,  
Tomorrow's resistance, inch'allah  
on the eve of worldwide and spiritual revolution,  
The rage of the people, the rage of the people

[Spanish] La rabia del pueblo

Because we've got the rage, the one that will make your norms tremble  
Because we've got the rage, the rage has over-come the rabble, and the rage is huge.