Respect Yourself
Words & Music by Mack Rice & Luther Ingram

If you don't respect everybody that you run into,
how in the world do you think anybody's supposed to respect you?

If you keep the world backwards like you did when you first appeared,
don't give a damn about the man with the Bible in his hand,
let's talk about the government won't stop air pollution.
get out the way and let the gentle-man do his thing.

hand on your mouth when you cough, that'll help the so-lu- tion.

You're.

You

the kind of person who wants ev'ry-thang your way.
cuss a-round women but you don't e-ven know their name.
take the

Then you're

sheet off your face boy, it's a brand new day.
dumb enough to think it'll make you a big ol' man.

Respect your-self.

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don't respect yourself ain't nobody gonna give a hoot

respect yourself, respect yourself, respect yourself

1. Repeat

2. Repeat to Fade

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