

## **Black Lives Matter**

*When will the oppression stop because Black Lives Matter*

*When will black people be treated as equal, because Black Lives Matter*

*Martin Luther King had a dream about racial equality because Black Lives Matter*

Verse one

The world was shocked by the death of George Floyd

An innocent black man, killed by white police officers

He struggled to breathe, the copper didn't care

He used his privilege as a weapon, George was his prize

Just like a big game hunter, kneeling on his prey

Another life snuffed out because of the colour of their skin

Chorus

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Verse Two

George Floyd wasn't the first black person to be  
killed because of his skin colour  
And worryingly enough he won't be the last  
We need a change of attitude and we need it fast  
Organisations and companies, sportsmen,  
politicians and the like take the knee  
But this will be seen as lip service if nothing  
changes  
Black lives matter now, more than ever

Chorus

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matter  
When will Black people be treated as equal,  
because Black Lives Matter  
Martin Luther King had a dream about equality,  
because Black Lives Matter

Verse three

Let us fight racism one and all, because Black lives  
Matter  
Let's put the wrongs of the past behind us and  
unite as one, because Black Lives Matter  
We need to eradicate the disease of racism from  
this world  
So my fellow brothers and sisters I will stand with  
you shoulder to shoulder  
Because most of all Black lives Matter