HAND OVER HAND ft. Anderson .Paak

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Verse 1

It's the American dream

But if you pull on the thread, it's gonna tear at

See what I mean? We don't tend to scream Baby, we just stare at the screen Like it's a preacherman up at the pulpit

Some with the scars end up holding the bullwhip

Another angry kid unloading a full clip And I could tie a pretty bow on this bullshit But let's not lie for another second We see the trouble, we're rubberneckin No doublecheckin, if it's an issue we have to grapple

The words are caught in my Adam's apple I make my body a happy chapel Cause every person's a tabernacle But there's no feeling you gotta hide So let's all pray to the God inside, say it now

Chorus

Never needed a hand til you needed a hand You never know how to walk until you understand

Coulda been anything that you needed to be How many more do you want? How many do you need?

Still I wish I could break free It's that same old simple song I still believe How many more do we need? Before it's hand over hand Love over everything

Verse 2 (Anderson .Paak)

That's me with the long arm

Screaming at the top dog, spilling my blood on the cement

We willing to roll now, sick of getting mowed down

Fuck if I dope now, it'd kill me

Cause I'd rather be known for the dealing Than known to be hooked on the feeling How many more gotta go now? How many more gotta go down?

I'll stand in the rain witcha, just to get a little bit of glimpse of the plain picture

People need a pinch just to get em to wake up You'll be in a ditch before I get you to wake up, say it bruh

Whoever said it wasn't fair, they was telling

I'd be a liar if I said there was nothing to prove

Verse 3

They say we gotta know our role Kiss the bottom of the totem pole Set goals, and then go for gold But we hibernate and hide inside our gopher holes

I wanna smoke a bowl, a hand on my dick while the other one is busy clicking the remote control

I'm no Dalai Lama of the sofa but I hear I got-

where the sinners face the roasting coals You say that your heart ain't got no holes, well bitch please

Let's all admit that we got souls like Swiss

But wishing isn't gonna fill this abyss And no hand over hand over fisted riches is fixin what's missin

If I wanna kill this monotony

I know the answer is a light that I got in me I got no university degree in philosophy But I know that every baby's born with the lock and key