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## Go Tell It on the Mountain

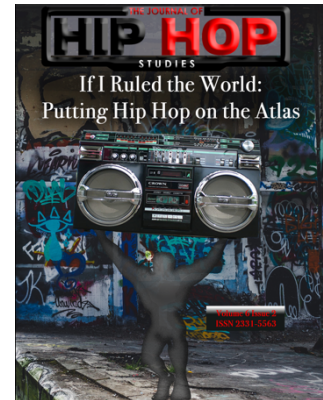
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## The Tupac Shakur Memorial Poems/Songs

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A Sequence

### No. 10: Go Tell It on the Mountain

(For Rap Music, to the Memory of Tupac Shakur)

I wasn't gone forever;  
I wasn't gone for good;  
Your dude had always known  
He'd always be with you.

**Chorus:** Go tell in on the mountain;  
Come sing it in the streets;  
Go shout it down the valley,  
That Tupac lives!

} *To be sung,  
the other  
stanzas rapped*

I'm back, I'm back, I'm back;  
I'm back to be with you;  
And though I leave again,  
I'll ever stick around.

*Repeat chorus.*

Those that killed my body  
Had set my spirit free  
To ever seek to be  
With those I love like you.

*Repeat chorus.*

And so it'll always be  
Between my fate and yours:  
United they will be  
In good times and in bad.

*Repeat chorus.*

And let your faith be strong,

Though you live in fear;  
And never cease to strive  
For better days ahead.

*Repeat chorus.*

Our suns shall rise together  
Towards that future time  
When they'll cease to set  
But ever shine and shine

*Repeat chorus.*

And so our moons will glow  
And light our every night  
And with their gentle beams  
Caress our dreams with hope.

*Repeat chorus.*

Now you may raise your hands  
And make the sign of love  
Towards their hearts that make us  
The target of their hate.

*Repeat chorus.*

And those who fear and tremble  
That you and I may rise,  
And therefore use their power  
To keep us low or down.

*Repeat chorus.*

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