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Some are used to Oakland life style,

Hearing gunshots or sirens every night.

Trying not to think about it, as I close my eyes

Waiting for them to stop, thinking that someone

That I know might be in that ambulance,

Rushing past my house,

With its sirens blasting and lights flashing

Down the street.

I pray as hard as I can,

That I'm not gonna get a phone call from my friends,

Or a text message saying R.I.P whatever,

We love you or we miss you.

Yea, I've been there, and lived it.

Sitting in my room, a phone full of text messages

Saying R.I.P Wicho we love you.

But time stands still....in my mind

Giving me enough time to think about what I just read

And also to think if its true or not.

Over and over, I read those messages

And still I don't believe the truth.