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It can be as simple as the sun rises to help its family grow:

to love each other,

nurture the land, mind and heart.

Respect for the soil that I am: Queen.

Reflection of God, the sun, the soil and your hand.

Did I dig deep enough? Well, it has been a long time for us.

You may think it’s not in your memory, but it’s definitely in our blood. Queen, sunshine, soil, love, part of the reproductive system.

Sweet chocolate from heaven, God’s love reflection—in your eyes.

Bitter sweet man, my King, respect you shall receive.

One of the sistas that remember: I am a Queen.

Brothas, please remember it runs through our blood.

I’ll give you some of my love by bringing your spirit up when it falls in the dark hole. Not only my words can explain, my spirit, the sun, skin, love and simply the facts that you are a King and I am a Queen.