

SAN DIEGO YOUNG SICCC THE STATEMENT



How long you been rapping?

Professionaly in the game, since like I think 98 or 99. But I 've been doing this shit pretty much all of my life!

You from San Diego?

Yeah born and raised in Southeast San Diego all my life!

What's been happening out there?

Nothing much, just a lot more rappers out here trying to make it in the rap game. You got a bunch of different cats from different neighborhoods all trying to rap about shit. To be honest with you, there's a lot of " Undiscovered Treasures " out here! Seems like the industry been sleeping on San Diego and be forgetting that we from the West Coast out here as well! It's all good though, I plan to change all that shit!!!!

I remember Fingaz, J-Live, Lil Rob who else is putting it down in Diego?

Like I said, There's a lot of Undiscovered Talent out

here! As far as putting it down in Diego right now, of course Lil Rob is doing is thang no doubt!! But I would have to say my boy "Mitchy Slick" ! He's the hottest thang out here in S.D. especially with all the mixtape movement going on out here. But there's a lot more like, Tha Wrongkind, Damu, Criccet, Ecay uno, Big June, then of course you have Mr. Shadow, Lil one, Knightowl, Young Sicc, my boy Queenie out in the south side of Diego!! I mean I can go on and on with mutha fuckas out here with heat!!!

You rap in Spanish or English?

I rap in English pretty much!!

What do you rhyme about?

Man I rhyme about anything that's circulating in my head at that moment! Anything that involves Hip-Hop I'll speak on it! Whether it's gangsta shit, club, radio, story telling, sad shit, for the ladies for the hoes, low-riders, it don't matter, I just try to make heat for my fans all over out there!!!

This album *The Statement* has been pushed back what happened?

A lot of Bullshit happened! I know a lot of my fans out there probably thought that Young Sicc was bullshitting and didn't have a album! But the truth is, is that this shit been ready since last year (2004) !! It's just that the distribution we got with, ended up loosing the deal so we got clipped as well! So we went back to the drawing board, opened up the album again and I added like 5 new tracks to spice it up a lil more for the fans! So things are looking alright for the moment as I speak, but we'll see what happens!

How did you hook up with Ruen?

I never hooked up with Ruen!! We were all homeboys from the same gang before this shit ever started. My boy Dyse and Eddie teamed up to start up Ruen again, and it just evolved from there!

What are some of the songs?

There's too many to name, but I got like 21 tracks on this album! I got Features with Frankie J., Sick Jacken from Psycho Realm, Mr. Lil One and a lot of others as well!!

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