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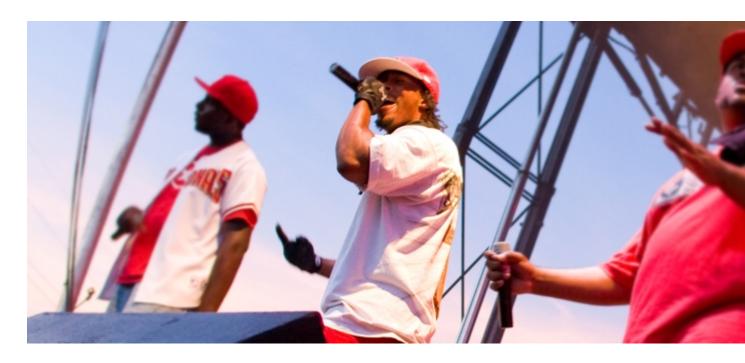
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Alumnus takes hip-hop to a higher level

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Liberty University's own Christian hip-hop artist, Jason Lewis, recently released his fourth music video.

Calling himself <u>Humble Tip</u> when he spits his rhymes, the 2008 alumnus deemed his latest video the "most dramatic" one thus far.

"Can't Give In" takes listeners into the mind of a Christian hip-hop artist who lacks the funds and glamorous lifestyle of mainstream performers. It shows the struggle that a follower of Jesus Christ goes through in making the decision to use his gifts and talents for the glory of the Lord.

"This song has a dark undertone with a very bright ending that expresses the perseverance it takes to fight off the illusions and lies of the media," Lewis said. "Hopefully it will encourage all believers to never give in to the pleasures of this world, no matter how tempting they seem."

In the end, to paraphrase one of Lewis' sayings, the message is that a Christian's joy is internal, and the rewards are eternal.

Watch his video on YouTube.