

## EXCUSES FOR REMAINING ILL

### EXCUSES FOR KILLING, DYING AND GOING TO PRISON

- **THE STREETS ARE A WAR ZONE**
- **(HE, SHE) WAS IN THE WRONG PLACE AT THE WRONG TIME**
- **IN A WAR THERE ARE CASUALTIES**
- **I GOT TO GET MY MONEY ON**
- **WE DON'T BRING IN THE GUNS; WE DON'T BRING IN THE DRUGS**
- **I WAS MAD. I HAD TO GET SOME OF THAT STRESS OFF OF ME**
- **I GOT TO DO WHAT I GOT TO DO**
- **IT WAS THE LOSS OF A LOVE ONE**
- **IF SOMEBODY TAKES ONE OF OURS, I'M GOING TO TAKE ONE OF THEIRS**
- **I NEED A GUN FOR PROTECTION**
- **IT'S ALL I KNOW**
- **I GREW UP IN IT**
- **WE CAN'T CHANGE TILL SOCIETY CHANGES**
- **THEY LIVE IN THAT NEIGHBORHOOD**

*Odd - I didn't think, He looked at Me The Wrong Way*