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Antithesis, one of the world's small number of Jewish MCs, has released a response to Wiley's anti-Semitic ranting on social media in the form of a new track: "Wiley the Racist".

The song is a passionate attack on a man who had been an inspiration to Antithesis, making his recent anti-Semitic tirades even more hurtful.

Antithesis's is known as a rapper and this is his first attempt at Grime. He felt that to come back at Wiley he should use his own genre. Written and recorded in under 12 hours, Antithesis wanted to make a strong statement about what Wiley has been saying and also give the Jewish community a sense that someone is supporting them from within the genre.

Antithesis's previous releases, 'The Israel Question' and 'United Kingdom of Racism', have reached four figure sales across 14 different countries. He has performed on every continent and has appeared on the BBC 1Xtra and a variety of other international media outlets. All profits from his CD sales were donated to charity.

From Antithesis:

"I love Wiley's music and when he first started coming out with these horrible statements I didn't really know what to do with myself. I kind of hoped that it was some sort of mistake. But then he kept doing it. And doing it more. Anti-semitism has sadly come at me at various times in my life, but there is something about the fact that it came so virulently from someone that I looked up to that made it even more painful.

"I felt so angry and channelled that anger into writing this song which I hope can give people in the community a sense that someone is standing for them.

"I still hope that Wiley will see the light and that once this is all over he will apologise, educate himself and seek to engage with the Jewish community in a positive way."

On Using the Eskimo Beat

"Eskimo is a classic. I love it. And I wasn't willing to let Wiley's anti-Semitism ruin it for me. It's a chutzpa to jack his beat and rhyme over it against him – but that was the point...he's disrespected me and my people."

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