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[C] [G] [C] [G]

My [C] father is a doctor / he's a [G] fa- / mily man /

My [C] mother works for charity when [G] e - ver she can /

They're [C] both good clean Americans who a-[G] bide by the law /

They [C] both stick up for liberty and they [G] both support the war /

My [C] happiness was [F] paid for when they [G] laid their money [C] down /

For [C] summers in a [F] summer camp / and [G] winters in the [C] town /

My [C] future in the [F] system / was [C] talked about and [G] pla-a-anned / But I

[C] gave it up for [F] music and the [G] UKULE [C] Ba-a-and / / [G] [C] [G]

I [C] went to school in hand washed shirts with [G] neatly oiled hair /
And the [C] school was big and newly built and [G] filled with light and air /
And the [C] teacher taught us values that we [G] had to learn to keep /
And they [C] clipped the ear of many idle [G] kid who went to sleep /
'Til my [C] father organ-[F] ised for me a [G] college in the [C] east /
But I [C] went to Cali-[F] fornia for the [G] sunshine and the [C] beach /
My [C] parents and my [F] lecturers could [C] never under-G] sta-a-and / // [G]
Why I [C] gave it up for [F] music / and the [G]

Well they [F] used to sit and [C] speculate up-[G] on their son's ca-[C] reer /
A [F] Lawyer or a [C] doctor or a [G] civil engin-[C] reer /
Just [C] give me bread and [F] water, put a [C] [G] may [G] ha-a-and / COS
husic and the [G] [C] Ba-a-and / / / [G] [C] [G]

My [C] father sent me money and I [G] spent it pretty fast /
On a [C] girl I met in Berkley in a [G] social science class /
Yes, and we [C] learnt about her body but her [G] mind we didn't know /
Un-[C] til deep routed attitudes and [G] morals began to show /
She [C] wanted to get [F] married even [G] though she never [C] said /
And I [C] knew her well e-[F] nough by now to [G] see inside her [C] head /
She'd [C] settle for su-[F] burbia and a [C] little patch of G] la-a-and /
So I [C] gave her up for [F] music / and the [G]

- [C] Oooh / / the [G] VKULLE Band
- [C] shaladah badup dup dee dee dee with [G] VKULELE Band /
- [C] shaladah badup dup dee dee dee with [G] WKULLLE 3and /
- [C] shaladah badup dup dee dee dee with [G] UKULEL Band /
- [C] shaladah badup dup dee dee dee with [G] UKULELE3and /
- [C] shaladah badup dup dee dee dee with <[G]> UKULLE Band