Cops of the World

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Advisory - the following lyrics contain explicit language:

Come, get out of the way, boys Quick, get out of the way You'd better watch what you say, boys Better watch what you sayWe've rammed in your harbor and tied to your port And our pistols are hungry and our tempers are short So bring your daughters around to the port 'Cause we're the cops of the world, boys We're the cops of the worldWe pick and choose as please, boys Pick and choose as please You'd best get down on your knees, boys Best get down on your kneesWe're hairy and horny and ready to shack And we don't care if you're yellow or black Just take off your clothes and lie down on your back 'Cause we're the cops of the world, boys We're the cops of the worldOur boots are needing a shine, boys Boots are needing a shine But our Coca-Cola is fine, boys Coca-Cola is fineWe've got to protect all our citizens fair So we'll send a battalion for everyone there And maybe we'll leave in a couple of years

Dump the reds in a pile
You'd better wipe of that smile, boys

Better wipe off that smileWe'll spit through the streets of the cities we wreck
And we'll find you a leader that you can't elect
Those treaties we signed were a pain in the neck
'Cause we're the cops of the world, boys
We're the cops of the worldAnd clean the johns with a rag, boys
Clean the johns with a rag
If you like you can use your flag, boys

'Cause we're the cops of the world, boys We're the cops of the worldAnd dump the reds in a pile, boys

If you like you can use your flagWe've got too much money we're looking for toys

And guns will be guns and boys will be boys

But we'll gladly pay for all we destroy
'Cause we're the cops of the world, boys

We're the cops of the worldPlease stay off of the grass, boys

Please stay off of the grass

Here's a kick in the ass, boys

Here's a kick in the assWe'll smash down your doors, we don't bother to knock We've done it before, so why all the shock?

We're the biggest and toughest kids on the block

And we're the cops of the world, boys

We're the cops of the worldAnd when we butchered your son, boys

When we butchered your son

Have a stick of our gum, boys

Have a stick of our bubble-gumWe own half the world, oh, say can you see

The name for our profits is democracy
So, like it or not, you will have to be free
'Cause we're the cops of the world, boys
We're the cops of the world

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