

# Postcards From Richard Nixon

## Elton John

We heard Richard Nixon say, 'Welcome to the USA'  
The common sense I sometimes lack has opened up a seismic crack  
We've fallen in and I can't pull back  
And I guess we'll have to stay In open arms we put our trust, they put us on a big red bus  
Twin spirits soaking up a dream, fuel to feed the press machine  
After years that were long and lean  
We're finally on our way And Richard Nixon's on his knees, he's sent so many overseas  
He'd like to know if you and me could help him in some way  
A little camouflage and glue to mask the evil that men do  
A small diversion caused by two Pale kids come to play  
And we heard Richard Nixon say, 'Welcome to the USA' Neither of us understood the way things ticked in  
Hollywood  
We just loaded in and grabbed the bat with little room to swing a cat  
And pretty soon we were where it's at  
Or so the papers say And all around us suntanned teens, beauty like we've never seen  
Our heroes led us by the hand through Brian Wilson's promised land  
Where Disney's God and he commands  
Both mice and men to stay And Richard Nixon's on his knees, he's sent so many overseas  
He'd like to know if you and me could help him in some way  
A little camouflage and glue to mask the evil that men do  
A small diversion caused by two Pale kids come to play  
And we heard Richard Nixon say, 'Welcome to the USA' In a bright red Porsche on Sunset I saw Steve  
McQueen  
I guess he's just about the coolest guy I've ever seen  
And for you and me that speeding car is how it's gonna to be  
I see no brakes just open road and lots of gasoline Oh, we heard Richard Nixon say, 'Welcome to the USA'  
The common sense I sometimes lack has opened up a seismic crack  
We've fallen in and I can't pull back Pale kids come to play  
And we heard Richard Nixon say, 'I gotta go but you can stay'  
Pale kids come to play  
And we heard Richard Nixon say, 'I gotta go but you can stay'

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