

# The Trapper and the Furrier

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The trapper and the furrier went walking through paradise  
And all the animals lay clawless and toothless before them  
And all the mother's stepped away from their babies  
Leaving them open and easy to handle  
The trapper and the furrier went walking through paradise  
They took some for now and they got some for later  
And they marveled at the pelts, not a bullet hole in them  
And they filled up the cages with pets for their children  
What a strange, strange world we live in  
Where the good are damned and the wicked forgiven  
What a strange, strange world we live in  
Those who don't have lose, those who got get given  
More, more, more, more  
The owner and the manager went walking through paradise  
And all the shelves were filled with awards and achievements  
And on every corner, a power presentation  
And on every floor, an army of workers  
The owner and the manager went walking through paradise  
And all their charts showed so much promise and progress  
No sick days, no snow days, no unions, no taxes  
And they wandered towards home, kings of their castles  
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Those who don't have lose, those who got get given  
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The lawyer and the pharmacist went walking through paradise  
And all the sick were around and with fevers unbreaking  
Crying and bleeding and coughing and shaking  
And arms out stretched, prescription collecting  
The lawyer and the pharmacist went walking through paradise  
Pressed suits in a courtroom, aroma of chloroform  
And they smiled at the judge, disposition so sunny  
Cause they didn't have the cure but sure needed the money  
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