

# For What It's Worth

## King Curtis

There's something happening here  
    What it is ain't exactly clear  
There's a man with a gun over there  
    Telling me I got to beware  
I think it's time we stop, children, what's that sound  
    Everybody look what's going down  
There's battle lines being drawn  
    Nobody's right if everybody's wrong  
    Young people speaking their minds  
Getting so much resistance from behind  
    It's time we stop, hey, what's that sound  
    Everybody look what's going down  
What a field-day for the heat  
    A thousand people in the street  
    Singing songs and carrying signs  
Mostly say, hooray for our side  
    It's time we stop, hey, what's that sound  
    Everybody look what's going down  
Paranoia strikes deep  
    Into your life it will creep  
    It starts when you're always afraid  
You step out of line, the man come and take you away  
    We better stop, hey, what's that sound  
    Everybody look what's going down  
    Stop, hey, what's that sound  
    Everybody look what's going down  
    Stop, now, what's that sound  
    Everybody look what's going down  
    Stop, children, what's that sound  
    Everybody look what's going down

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