

# Riding With The King

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I dreamed I did a good job and I got well paid  
Blew it all at the penny arcade  
A hundred dollars on a kewpie doll  
I guess no white chick is gonna make me crawl

On a TWA, to the promised land  
Every woman, child and man  
Gets a cadillac and a diamond ring  
Dont you know we're riding with the king?

Hes on a mission of mercy to the new frontier  
Hes gonna check us all on out of here  
Up to that mansion on a hill  
Where you can get your prescription filled

On a TWA to the promised land  
Everybody come on and clap your hands  
Dont you just love the way he sings  
Dont you know we're riding with the king?

A red cape and shiny cold 45  
I never saw his face but I saw the light  
Tonight everybody's getting their angel wings  
Dont you know we're riding with the king?

Well I stepped out of a mirror at ten years old  
With a suit cut sharp, as a razor and a heart of gold  
I had a guitar hanging just about waist high  
I'm gonna play that thing until the day I die