

# Democracy

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There's a rumor that the president's dead  
He had a tumor growing deep in his head  
But it hasn't had the slightest effect on how he's doing his job  
And there's these lessons that they teach you in school  
That you'd better learn to play by the rules  
Or at least make sure you never get caught  
Now that's a dangerous thought  
Oh!

They've got McDonald's in the USSR  
Fries and burgers in the Kremlin's backyard  
Now they're learning what Democracy means  
Let's send them Calvin Klein jeans

Is this what Democracy means?  
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Now there's people living out in the street  
Going hungry with no shoes on their feet  
While the government just twiddles it's thumbs  
And spends more money on guns

And they keep on planning nuclear war  
Tell me who is it they're planning it for  
If not the men that keep their profits from hate  
I swear it simply can't wait

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And the business boys that don't seem to care  
About the blood that fills Tieneman Square  
They're so fearful that their checkbooks will bounce  
If they should lose these accounts  
And the wall that tore Berlin has come down  
Can you hear, it's such a beautiful sound  
Like it was written up above in the stars  
Now we can sell them more cars

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