Robots

The Slackers

For years I have heard of
The coming of robots.
But now I know that
The robots are here.
Either automaton
Or else humble servant.
Either way they are robot
Either way they*re not human.

They need electronic impulse to provide information They need electronic impulse to provide relaxation. They need electronic impulse to make every decision. If that*s not a robot, then tell me what is.

See I*ve read of cyborgs In old science fiction. Those partly human And those partly machine. That when they are commanded, Ooh, they do what they*re ordered. The machine is strong As the human is weak. So now I*m talking to cell phones I*m using microwave ovens From automatic tollbooths to banking machines My mind is clouded With digital static With more information Man, than I can receive. So I*m runnin* for cover Out to the country Beneath the cover of treetops. And under the leaves.

I know up in the heavens
The little cameras can see me
That if I step foot on
the old civilized streets
See, I must escape from
The mechanical army
Their cold eyes staring
And hard x-ray beams.
Their mind*s a computer
I know they mean to harm me
As I skirt past the laws
And I slip through the seams.

See I*ve only heard of
The coming of robots
And now the robots
Are all that I see
I see them wearing the t-shirts
And by in the concerts
They*re being just where they*re
They*re supposed to be.
Drinking the coffee
and eating the sugar

Ooh, I look in the mirror It's you and it's me.

See, I am a robot. (I am a robot)
I am a robot. (I am a robot)
I am a robot. (I am a robot)
Listen to me.
I am a robot. (I am a robot)
I am a robot. (I am a robot)
I am a robot. (I am a robot)