

## We People Darker Than Blue

Babe Ruth

Those people who are darker than blue Are they gonna hang  
around this town  
And let what others say conic true  
They're just good for nothing they all figure A boyish  
grownup shiftless jigger  
Now they can hardly stand for that  
Or is that really where it's at  
Those people who are darker than blue This ain't no time  
for segregation  
Talkin bout brown 'n' yellow too  
High yellow gal can't you tell  
You're just the surface of our deep dark well If your  
mind could really see  
You'd know the color same as me  
Pardon me brother as you stand in your glory  
I know you won't mind if I tell the whole story Now I  
know we have great respect  
For the sister and mother it's even better yet But  
there's the joker in the street  
Loving one brother and killing the other If your mind  
could really see  
You'd know the color same as me  
Pardon me brother as you stand in your glory  
I know you won't mind if I tell the whole story Pardon me  
brother I know we've conic a long way Let us stop being  
so satisfied  
For tomorrow can even be a brighter day