

# Barbwire Fence

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They took the coal from the mountains, ripped the fruit from the soil  
Pulled the fish from the sea, drained the earth of its oil  
Took the Christ out of Christmas, pulled the sun from the sky  
Their daddies told them to never ask why

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They led a blind man to a cliff, gave a crippled man a kick  
Took a poor man to the cleaners and a rich man has his pick  
Gave a three piece man a job, took an old man to a whore  
Sent a young boy to a place he ain't never been before

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Well if they force me to reason, if they ask me to doubt  
I'll fuss then baby and fight 'em baby, ow  
East wind is blowin' and a full moon is high  
There's just no purpose, there's no reason why

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