

# Statue of Liberty

## Burning Spear

In the early fifties and sixties and  
seventies  
American stretched forth her hands  
and welcome us all  
Yes we built and now they refuse us  
Yes we can clean it and now they refuse us  
Yes they mark us, they su su su  
Yes we been there with good intention  
Yes we been there with a working  
intention  
Yes we been there with a educational  
intention  
Yes we been there

So many different nationalities been  
there too  
Never been treated like we do  
Never been handled like we do  
Never been talked about like we do

We have a no intention to bomb threat  
No intention to hijacking  
No intention to hostage holding

Chorus:  
Statue of Liberty light up your torch  
so we can see

If it is a international problem  
we want to see  
If it is a political problem  
we want to see  
If it is a island problem  
we want to see  
If it is a continental problem  
we want to see

Chorus

If I am right than I should be right  
If I am wrong no argument  
Remember people the statue stand  
for equal rights and justice

Chorus

We were picking apples many years ago  
Picking grapes many years ago  
Hospital workers many years ago  
Housekeepers many years ago

Chorus

It's not like we begging or demanding  
anything  
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anything

It's just an example  
It's just an example

Chorus

Chorus

In the forties and the fifties no one  
was fair  
In the sixties people start to share  
In the seventies we were there  
In the nineties immigration get scared