

# Triumph of the Swill

Dead Kennedys

Life can only get better  
All you need to do is fall in love  
Everyone else has fun but you  
Buy that fun you'll fit in too

Dance your problems away  
GOVERNMENT MUSIC  
Cheap escape to that mind-control beat  
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Mellow out-Life's too hard  
You don't even want to think

See the macho cock-rock metal heroes  
Vomit fire out of their big mouths  
Shake your fists obediently  
Make Leni Riefenstahl real proud

See the Aryan bozo with the red guitar  
Parachute on the White House lawn  
Gonna bomb the commies with his air guitar  
So dumb he can't drive 55

Like Bing Crosby before them  
GOVERNMENT MUSIC  
Too idiotic to be real  
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You want it loud?  
We'll make sure it goes nowhere  
So you won't get ideas

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Music is banned in Khomeini's Iran  
On the grounds that it stimulates the brain  
We've done him one better in the land of coke & honey  
Using music to put people's brains to sleep

Ever wonder why commercial radio's so bad?  
It's 'cause someone upstairs wants it that way  
If the Doors or John Lennon were getting started now  
The industry wouldn't sign 'em in a million years

So what do we get  
GOVERNMENT MUSIC  
Christian censorship and taxed blank tapes  
Shoppers strung out on our false hopes  
Will flock to obey

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