

# Hungarian Rhapsody

Fairport Convention

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Eating our Ghoulash and drinking our wine  
Listening to Gypsy bands playing cimbaloms  
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Finished our food and got into the wagon  
To drive 80 miles and then do the show  
5 hours later, we're still busy trucking  
Banging and bumping; don't know where to go

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Got to the gig, although nobody else did  
Set up the gear and began to play  
Farmers and soldiers just standing and staring  
Just didn't know what to make of the day

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Finished the last song and made for the exit  
But the manager man had come up from the sticks  
He said "why ain't you dressed like a poofter ensemble  
Leaping pianos and waving your legs?"  
Dear Mr Hilter, we've been meaning to tell you  
It's really quite simple, you don't have to fear  
We ain't your Rolling Stones, we ain't your T-Rex  
Actually we're only here for the beer

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Into the van again, out on the highway  
Back to our hotel to take a rest  
Everyone's swigging their Egri Bikaver  
Things really were funny in old Budapest

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I've fucked it up!