

## Defcon Rising

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Far too often man becomes clever,  
Instead of him becoming wise,  
Becomes inventive instead of thoughtful,  
Perpetuates humanity's demise,  
A brief glance at the prevailing world,  
Exhibits the same symptomatic device,  
Of the fatal human error present in all,  
We stop at no pain and no price,  
Diminished freedom in a blackened future,  
You've probably heard it all before,  
But we are running out of second chances,  
And will ultimately lose this war.

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war.

There never was a greater shame,  
A coup d'état from within,  
And we only have ourselves to blame,  
When greed controls no one wins,  
A nation that had the potential,  
To be heaven on earth,  
But the ones upstairs wouldn't let us have it, So we'll  
give 'em a rebirth!

The human animal; inherently selfish,  
Will never change its harmful ways,  
No matter how much progress or experience gained,  
We are still inept, kept at bay,  
I seek to see the good in this government,  
And it has little to display!

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The Defense Condition rising,  
With no foreign threat or attack,  
America is imploding,  
The people want true democracy back,  
They will destroy this empire,  
Who for a century sucked the blood,  
Of the third world and eastern states,  
Reduced to rubble and mud, Unless we stop now...