

# America For Beginners

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What's keeping the White House, white  
Is it chalk, is it fog, is it fear  
Are they staying up most of the night  
Sending somebody out for a beer  
Is it bedtime for Bonzo, is it time for a change  
Is it flavour-free TV dinners  
It's a hard thing to take, when they make a mistake  
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The sound of a bell with a crack  
Even the swingers are swinging right  
The vigilantes are on their way back  
With prime time fight, the good fight  
What a start to the day, it starts three times with a K  
There's no sponsored hour for sinners  
They'll bring back the hot seat, turn up the heat  
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You wear designer jeans after dark  
Your shirts are short cut, in satin  
But watch out for Central Park  
The apartment's in uptown Manhattan  
It's a sign of the times  
You'd better stay out in front  
They've only got time for winners  
Just keep living for fun, you son of a gun  
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Everywhere the stripes and stars  
Men in dark suits and unmarked cars  
Sipping Jack Daniels in Third World bars  
We're close to the edge, as close as we can get  
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