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## I WON'T SING AMERICAN PIE

*written by Bud Manthey*

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I'm just a busker in this troubled world  
I sing of all of earth's woes and of perfect girls  
But don't ask me why  
'cause I don't wanna lie  
I just don't sing American Pie

Well I get funny looks as the people walk past  
I get the odd snarl but mostly smiles that last  
And you can beg me all day  
And throw your money away  
But I won't sing American Pie

I'll let the guy's up the street sing there covers  
I bet there songs are picked out by their mothers  
But my songs are my own  
So just leave me alone  
I hope they choke on their American pie

With Kentucky fried lyrics McDonalds styled words  
Pizza Hut meanings all scrambled and blurred  
I ate too much music and now I feel sick  
Food poisoned by American Pie

Then this guy walks up says his name is Stefan  
Says will you please play "Stairway to Heaven"  
So I smashed my guitar and I ran to my car  
And it was only half past seven

Now I got a laugh as the rich people walk by  
And they always point their nose at the sky  
And they think that I'm nuts  
but they admire my guts  
cause I won't sing American Pie  
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