

We Know

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You tell us not to protest
The gross hoarding of ever more wealth
By those who already have too much
Because we'll all be bathed in the gentle rain
Of trickle-down.
...But we know it's just a scam.

You tell us we need
Our hydrocarbon way of life
As the planet melts.
It's not really happening,
Or industry's not to blame,
Or it'll be good for us.
...But we know it's just a con.

You tell us to fight the next good war
Against the latest enemy over there.
Never mind that you helped create the monster
You now claim hides under our bed.
The poor should do the fighting
And it's just a coincidence when the corporations cash in.
...But we know it's just a lie.

So go ahead you movers, shakers, and policy makers.
The same tired story
Just never gets old.
As long as you can keep doing
Business as usual
You think we'll go along as always;
Your silent partner in the charade you dance.
Blinded by your own greed
You can't see it coming.

Just remember
... We know.

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