

Hey Jew! — A Beatles Purim

..... SONGBOOK



I WANNA HOLD YOUR HAND

Oh, please let us tell you
So you can understand
This night we'll make fun
Of Haman's evil plan, of Haman's evil plan, of Haman's evil plan
We're lucky that Queen Esther
Came in and saved the day
And we'll tell the story
In our own special way, in our own special way, in our own special way
And when it's Purim we feel happy inside
It's such a feeling that our joy
We can't hide, we can't hide, we can't hide
So sit back and relax
The shpiel will soon begin
And listen to the story
Of how the Jews did win, of how the Jews did win, of how the Jews did win
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IT'S BEEN A HARD DAYS NIGHT

It's been a hard days night
And I've been working like a dog
It's been a hard days night
I should be sleeping like a log
But when I come home to him
And it is his every whim
You know it's not O.K.
You know I work all day
Around the castle it's no joy
And when it comes to night
Don't think I'll dance for all your boys
Cause when you boss me around
I want to just call up N.O.W.
And then I'll feel O.K.
When I'm home everything needs to be right
When I'm home stop with the parties all night, night, yeah
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It's been a hard days night
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And it is his every whim
You know it's not O.K.
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I want to just call up N.O.W.
And then I'll feel O.K.
When I'm home everything needs to be right
When I'm home I'm not just for your delight, light yeah
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HELP

Help I need somebody
Help not just anybody
Help you know I need someone...Help.
When I was a young King in my town Shushan
I'd take a wife, say goodbye she could just be gone
But now I'm getting' older, I want to settle down
And find a queen, who will at last, be queen of this town

CHORUS

Help me if you can I need a queen
One who's nice and sweet and not too mean
Find one who with me wants to be seen
Won't you please, please help me
And then my life will change in oh so many ways
A queen to sit, by my side, for all of my days
Now the ladies of this town prepare yourselves for me And I will choose, a special one, have a jamboree
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Find one who with me wants to be seen
Won't you please, please help me, help me, help me, Ooooh.

IMAGINE

Imagine there's no Haman (BOO)

It's hard even if you try

No evil orders

No plots for us to die

Imagine all our people not having to fear, ooh.

Imagine if I could stop it

Put an end to his evil plot

How could I succeed

When others just have not

Imagine all the people living safe and free, ooh.

CHORUS

You may say I'm a dreamer

And it's true, I am

I hope we'll bring Meshiach

And together do G-d's plan

I think I'll go tell Esther

Ask her to intervene

Tell the King she's Jewish

And for us all to plead

Imagine all the people living safe and free, eeh.

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And together do G-d's plan

A LITTLE HELP FROM MY FRIENDS

What would you do if I said the wrong thing Would you tell me to vacate the throne

What would you think if I told you the truth Would you leave me to be all alone

Oh, I'd get by with a little help from my friends

Oh I could try with a little help from my friends Oh I'd rely on some help from my friends

What would it mean if you found out today

I was Jewish and not what you thought

Would you still care about me the same way Will you treat me o.k. like you ought

Oh I'd get by with a little help from my friends And I would try with a little help from my friends

And I'd rely with a little help from my friends

I must help everybody, I want the Jews to be free But I won't be anybody, with Haman's evil decree

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Yes I'd get by with a little help from my friends With a little help from my friends

YESTERDAY

Yesterday, all my troubles seemed so far away
Now it looks as though they're here to stay

Oh, I believe in yesterday

Why I've lost it all let me tell you I can say

I said kill the Jews, that was wrong can't be no way

Yesterday, I was heading up the big parade
People all would bow and say hooray

Hey, Haman you're the man today

Why I've lost it all let me tell you I can say

I said kill the Jews, that was wrong can't be no way

Suddenly, I'm about to enter history

There's a gallows hanging over me

Oh I believe in yesterday

I believe in yesterday

SHE LOVES YOU

It's Purim Yeah, Yeah, Yeah

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You think you've got the blues

Well I have news today

Put that frown aside

It's Purim let's go play

Hey it's Purim and you know that can't be bad (oy, oy, oy) It's Purim and we think you should be glad (Oohh)

I think you ought to know

It's time for all good cheer

We celebrate the day

With Ruach every year

Hey it's Purim and you know that can't be bad (oy, oy, oy) It's Purim and we think you should be glad (Oohh)

It's Purim Yeah, Yeah, Yeah

It's Purim Yeah, Yeah, Yeah

And with a day like that you know you should be glad

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