

## American Jesus

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BAD RELIGION - American Jesus

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Riff:

	A		C		F		G
	1 ^ 2 ^ 3 ^ 4 ^	1 ^ 2 ^ 3 ^ 4 ^	1 ^ 2 ^ 3 ^ 4 ^	1 ^ 2 ^ 3 ^ 4 ^	1 ^ 2 ^ 3 ^ 4 ^	1 ^ 2 ^ 3 ^ 4 ^	1 ^ 2 ^ 3 ^ 4 ^
e	-----						
B	-----						
G	-----						
D	-----0-----0-----						
A	-0---0h2-3---2h3-----3r2-3r2-0---0---0h2-3---2h3-----3r2-3r2-0---						
E	-----						

Riff x2

A C  
I don t need to be a global citizen

F G  
because I m blessed by nationality

A C  
I m a member of a growing populace

F G  
we enforced our popularity

A C  
there are things that seem to pull us under and

F G  
there are things that drag us down

**A** **C**  
but there s a power and a vital presence

**F** **E**  
that s lurking all around

**A** **C** **F** **G**  
we ve got the american jesus

**A** **C** **F** **G**  
see him on the interstate

**A** **C** **D** **F**  
we ve got the american jesus

**A** **G** **F**  
he helped build the president s estate

Riff x2 (etc.)

I feel sorry for the earth s population  
cuz so few live in the u.s.a.  
at least the foreigners can copy our morality  
they can visit but they cannot stay  
only precious few can garner our prosperity  
it makes us walk with renewed confidence  
we ve got a place to go when we die  
and the architechth resides right here

we ve got the american jesus  
postering the ...(?)...  
we ve got the american jesus  
overwhelming millions every day

he s the farmer s barren fields  
the force the army wields  
the expression in the faces of the starving millions  
the power of the man  
he s the fuel that drives the clan  
he s the motive and the conscience of the murderer  
he s the preacher on tv  
the false sincerity  
the form letter that s written by the big computers  
he s the nuclear bombs  
and the kids with no moms  
and I m fearful that he s inside me

we ve got the american jesus...