

North American Scum
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Same chords all the way through. Sounds good as open chords, bar chords, or power chords. It s up to you.

INTRO
E G A x4

VERSES

E
Oh, I don t know, I don t know, oh where to begin

G A
We are North Americans

E
And for those of you who still think we re from England

G A
We re like, no

E
We ve been on planes and on trains

G A
Till we think we might die, far from North America

E
Where the buildngs are old

G A
And you might have lots of mimes

E
I hate the feeling when you re lookin at me that way

G A
Case we re North Americans

E
But if we act all shy, it ll make it okay

G A

It makes it go away

E

Oh, I don't know, oh, where to begin

G A

When we're North Americans

E

But in the end, make the same mistakes all over again

G A

Come on, North America

CHORUS

E

G A E

Ahh... We are North American scum

E

G A

Ahh... We're from North America

INSTRUMENTAL: **E G A** x2

VERSES

E

And all the kids, all the kids who want to make the scene

G A

Here in North America

E

Well now your kids get to read it in your magazines

G A

We don't have those

E

So where's the love, where's the love,

G A

Where's the love tonight

E

But there's no love man,

G A

There's no love and the kids are uptight

E
So throw a party until the cops come in and bust it up

G A
Let s go North America

E
Oh, you were planning it I didn t mean to interrupt

G A
Sorry

E
I did it once and my parents got pretty upset

G A
Freaked out in North America

E
But then I said the more I do it, the better it gets

G A
Let s rock North America

CHORUS

E G A E
Ahh... We are North American scum

E G A
Ahh... We re from North America

E G A E
Ahh... We are North American scum

E G A
Ahh... We re North American

INSTRUMENTAL: **E G A** x2

VERSES

E
New York s the greatest if you get someone to pay the rent

G A
We re from North America

E G A
It s the furthest you can live from the government

E
Some proud American Christians might disagree

G A
Here in North America

E
but New York s the only place

G A
We re keeping them off the street

E
Now we can t have parties like in Spain where they go all night

G A
Shut down in North America

E
Oh, like Berlin where they go another night, alright

E
You see, I love this place that I ve grown to know

G A
Alright, North America

E
And yeah, I know you wouldn t touch us with a ten foot pole

G A
Cause we re North Americans

CHORUS

E G A E
Ahh... We are North American scum

E G A
Ahh... We re from North America

E G A E
Ahh... We are North American scum

E G A
Ahh... We re North American

E

Take me back to the States man

G A E
North American scum

E
Well, we could be where we want to be in

G A
in North America

E
Where the DJ gigs aren t as lame

G A E
Here in North American scum

E
But don t blame the Canadians

G A
Look out, North America