

**Gunship Politico**  
**State Radio**

Fm (Power Chords)

On the one they ll catch you

**C#**

If you skirt disaster

**G#**

On the day they told her

**D#**

But she want to stay, stay

**Fm**

And the ones that saw you

**C#**

Witnesses of Goya

**G#**

Elected to serve ya

**D#**

Till your dying day

Fm (Full Barre Chord)

Till your dying day

**C#**

**G#**

**D#**

I hope you don t get what you re after

**A#m**

To whom it may concern

**D#**

I m writing on behalf of a brother

**Fm**

Twice burned

**Fm D# Fm**

**D#**

I know you be reaching your time

**Fm D# Fm**

**D#**

Just a product of your mind

**G#**

But when you continue to let loose on a running man

**D#**

You send him crashing to the edge of the pavement

**Fm**

You re doing something you don t quite understand

**A#**

**C**

Making like he s a lesser man

**G#**

So be gone be gone to plea

**D#**

You got your vehicle to ride on

**Fm**

Off to the commissioner as fast as you can

**A#** **C**

With your smoking gun in hand

In your

**Fm**

Gunship gunship

**C#**

Gunship politico

**G#**

I hope you don t get what you re after

**D#**

In your

**Fm**

Gunship gunship

**C#**

Gunship politico

**G#**

I hope you don t get what you re after

**D#**

In your

**A#m**

Gunship gunship

**C#**

Gunship gunship

**D#**

In your

**Fm**

Gunship gunship

**C#**

Gunship gunship

**G#** **D#**

**A#m**

Six men on their knees eyes shinin in the high beams of the searchlight

**A#m** **Fm** **C#**

Cop s shadows on the wall several stories tall instilling whoa such a fright

**A#m**

One s kicked in the gut; he s all cut up by the corner cop

**A#m** **Fm** **C#**

One stands in defense in a broken sentence

Asks not to be shot

**G#**

If you please

**D#**

You men of authority

**Fm**

We do not speak your language see

**C#**

Please act accordingly

**Fm**

Cause he wasn t beggin

**C#**

He was just keeping time with his cup

**G#**

You go on and believe that

**D#**

You keep your eyes straight up

**Fm**

I was just looking

**C#**

I had no intention to touch

**G#**

But I know when I m not welcome

**D#**

So I thank you very much.

**Fm**

See a, see a, see the women there demonstrate

**C#**

See a, see a, see them know but they will not say

**G#**

See a, see a, see them set the trial date

**D#**

See a, see a, see the confidence on the DA s face

**Fm**

Watch out for them politicians

**C#**

Watch out for them politicians

**G#**

Watch out for them politicians

**D#**

Watch out for them politicians

**Fm**

Don t mess mess with the down downpresser way

**C#**

They got it down pat; they got it down to a tee

**G#**

No one gets through the lockstep jaw

**D#**

You ain t guilty but you did get caught

**Fm**

So for lack for a better suspect we nominate you

**C#**

To ride this one out, to see this one through

**D#**

See **A**, see **A**

See **A**, see **A**

**Fm**

Arms thrown up in a ever fearful protest

**C#**

As if the firing squad would ever think to notice

**G#**

As if he could summon the likes of Moses

**D#**

To put blood back in his friend s veins

**Fm** (Power Chords)

And if you re one step faster

**C#**

You can skirt disaster

**G#**

But if it s not you, it ll be the next guy

**D#**

Who s the wrong color at the wrong time

**Fm** (Full Barre Chords)

Another day s over and the decision still stands

**C#**

His honor in his chambers still washing his hands

**G#**

You know he s been fiddling in his room all day

**D#**

Just trying to wash all his conscience away

**Fm**

No one s asking for hangman s tree

**C#**

They just looking for something true to believe

**G#**

See **A**, see **A**

**D#**

See them know but they will not say

**Fm**

He wasn t begging he was just keeping time with his cup

**C#**

He wasn t begging he was just keeping time with his cup

**G#**

He wasn t begging he was just keeping time with his cup

**D#**

You go on and believe that, You keep your eyes straight up

**Fm**

Cause I was just looking I had no intention to touch

**C#**

I was just looking, I had no intention to touch

**G#**

I was just looking, I had no intention to touch

**D#**

**Fm**

And I know when I m not welcome so I thank you very much