

**I Am Not American**  
**The Arrogant Worms**

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(If you want to be really picky, you can add an sus4 chord before the last chord in each of the verses. See Verse 5 for an example. Only for the completest!)

Intro: **A E A B A**

Verse 1:

**E A E**  
I am not American,  
**A E**  
Though I live in North America  
**A B E**  
Which is part of the Americas  
**A B**  
Which should make me an American

Verse 2: (Same chords as Verse 1)  
Geographically Canadians,  
Are certainly Americans  
As are Venezuelans,  
But not Hawaiians

Chorus 1:

**A E**  
They re out in the middle of the Ocean  
**A B E**  
Just like the U.S. Virgin Islands,  
**A G#m C#m**  
Who really shouldn t say they are Americans,  
**F# B**  
Or even virgins

Verse 3:

**E A E**  
How did two whole continents,  
**A E**  
Lose their name to one constituent?  
**A G#m C#m**  
Where were we when the U.S. went,  
**F# B**  
And took the word American away?

Verse 4: (Same as Verse 3 chords)  
But to be fair to them,  
Their other name options,  
Like U.S.A.ers or United Statesians,  
Were pretty bad

Chorus 2: (Same as Chorus 1)  
Still I want to be as American,  
As the French are European,  
Or those in Antarctica are Antartican  
Even if they re just penguins

Verse 5: (Same as Verse 3)  
That leaves us Canadians  
As Northern North Americans,  
But Alaska s Norther curse them  
(C#sus) C#  
We re surrounded by Americans. Americans!

Verse 6:  
I just called those U.S.A.ers Americans  
A name meant for two continents not just them  
For if I said I was American,  
People would probably think I came from Maine

Chorus 3:  
Still I think I have a plan,  
Let s become Antartican,  
And join up with the penguins  
For just like them, we re not American!