

## XTC "Blue Beret"

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Life is sometimes shorter than you think  
So take yourself a hike from the kitchen sink  
Me, I like to roam  
Wasn't built in a day  
And night throws the stars in our way  
Meanwhile on planet earth

Some people are dying for the right to say  
Some people are dying 'cause the other people busy  
blowing them away  
Well, we're all dying so we better have a ton of fun  
along the way  
I say hats off, get your hats off, take your hats off, get  
your hats off  
For the blue beret  
Blue beret, blue beret

The wind has blown it off his head  
And sent it spinning straight to nowhere  
Nowhere to get ahead in this life

Life is sometimes longer than you need  
Especially if it's thrown away on hate and greed  
Well, me I like to think while the other fish swim  
But sharks made a meal out of him  
Meanwhile on bone dry land

Some people are dying for the right to say  
Some people just want the right to say  
Some people are dying 'cause the other people busy  
blowing them away  
Some people are merely blown away  
Well, we're all dying so we better have a ton of fun  
along the way  
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To the blue beret  
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So just love your dog and don't kick your wife  
Put down that knife, watch out the windows,  
And blow your hat away

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