

## Harry Chapin

# "On The Road To Kingdom Come"

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The Smoke Witch says, "Wahoo!"  
And the Wise Man says, "Me too!"  
And the Guru says, "Wazoo!"  
So do what you do!

The priests stand in their pulpits  
The Pope sits on his throne  
The parishes are empty  
And the choirboys on their own  
Until the second coming  
Yes, they're leaving us alone  
And God in His heaven  
Has decided to keep mum

'Cause He's just another traveler  
On the Road to Kingdom Come  
And all is said and done  
He's just another one

Pity Mr. President  
He can't do a thing  
He says everywhere he went  
We tried to make him sing  
Our lonely White House resident  
Says we should have made him King  
Maybe then he could have saved us  
From the truth we were hiding from

But he is just another traveler  
On the Road to Kingdom Come  
And all is said and done  
He was just another one

The General's in his game room  
But his Soldier won't salute  
Ever since he was promoted  
He can't pop his chute  
His shrink says he is paranoid  
'Bout communistic roots  
So unfurl the flag boys  
Start beating his drum

Yes we've got to get another straggler  
On the Road to Kingdom Come  
And all is said and done  
He was just another one  
He's another one

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Wow! The lead singers raucous  
As he screams out the truth  
Then the band hold a caucus  
And decides to sell their youth

Our Manager he'll hawk us  
As long as we're uncouth  
And we'll call it revolution  
But we'll crank out Bubble Gum  
'Cause there's the margin doom for travelers  
On the Road to Kingdom Come  
And all is said and done  
He's just another one

Grampa swung into the orgy  
It was his last hope  
He was dressed to the nines  
In deodorant and scope  
And they found him a woman  
She brought vaseline and soap  
Well it started out exciting  
But it ended up ho hum  
She said, "I thought that you could take me  
All the way to Kingdom Come"  
When all is said and done  
He's just another one grampa

So Billy sells hot sermons  
And cold wars through the mails  
While Mr. Big is selling out  
His business never fails  
And King Kennedy like Chaucer's  
Chasing Canterbury Tales  
And though my brain is still a virgin  
The rest of me is well done  
Don't you know we're all just travelers  
On the Road to Kingdom Come  
And just a, just a, just another one  
When all is said and done  
Yeah just another one

And the Smoke Witch says, "Wahoo!"  
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Do what you do!  
Do what you do!  
Do what you do!

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