

## **John Butler Trio**

### **"Trees"**

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They're cutting down all the trees  
Can someone stop them please  
Thank God for people in this world  
Who dedicate their lives to these  
Thank God for people in this world  
Who dedicate their lives to trees

Because...

Don't they know if they chop them down  
There won't be anything to see  
Don't they know if they chop them down  
There won't be anything to breathe  
Don't they know if they chop them down  
It's only desert that they leave  
Don't they know anything? NO

And it's all for the money  
That love for money  
Yes it's sweeter than honey  
That love for money..and  
Don't care about the future  
Don't care about the past  
You just chop those trees down  
While the money it still lasts..  
There's a war going on yeah  
And it ain't in the middle east  
It's happening in our own damn country  
They're chopping down all the trees

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Hippie, ferel, protestors  
Call them what you may  
But if they weren't here right now  
There wouldn't be a tree standing today

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Don't they know anything? NO  
Richard Court do you know anything?  
Liberal Party do you know anything?  
John Howard do you know anything?  
Bunnings do you know anything?  
Simcore do you know anything?  
Hell no.

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