

## Louis Jordan "Life Is So Peculiar"

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Life is so peculiar  
You get so wet in the rain, you know I do  
You get so warm in the sunshine, get my sun tan  
It doesn't pay to complain, I never complain

When I get up each morning  
There's nothing to breathe but air, yeah  
And when I look in the mirror  
There's nothing to comb but hair

And when I sit down to breakfast  
There's nothing to eat but food  
Life is so peculiar  
But you can't stay home and brood

Oh, life, tell 'em about it pops, is so peculiar  
The desert's only got sand, and that's grand  
The oceans only got water, and you can't drink it all up  
And you never know where you stand

When I get out to dinner  
There's nothing to wear but clothes, yeah  
And whenever I get sleepy  
There's nothing to do but doze, yeah

And whenever I get thirsty  
There's nothing to do but drink  
Life is no peculiar  
That it makes you stop and think

Yes, life is so peculiar, sure it is  
A fork belongs with the knife, it sure does  
Corn beef is lost without cabbage, I love cabbage  
Husband should have a wife

Yes, life is so peculiar  
But as everybody says  
That's life

Life, yes life, it's so peculiar  
A bird can usually sing, no words, I do too  
A pearl is made by an oyster, New Orleans? Rampart

Street  
You can't be sure of a thing

When I get tired of restin'  
There's nothing to do but walk, walk it off pop  
And when I don't care to listen  
There's nothing to do but talk, keep you big mouth shut

When I'm up in the airplane  
There's nothing to do but fly  
Life is so peculiar  
But I often wonder why

Oh, life, is so peculiar, sure it is  
A fork belongs with a knife, you know  
Corn beef is lost without cabbage, leftover cabbage?  
Yeah  
A husband should have a wife

Yes, life is so peculiar  
But as everybody says  
That's life

One more for me Jim, that's life  
Let me hear it one time, that's life  
All together, that's life, yeah!

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