

## Steve Goodman "Vegematic"

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VEGEMATIC

by Steve Goodman

Am Em Am E7 Am

Fell asleep last night with the T-V on. Oh, what a dream  
I had.

Am E E7

I dreamed I answered every single one of those late  
night mail order ads.

Am Em Am

And four to six weeks later, much to my surprise,

Am C Am E7 Am

The mailman came to my front door, and I couldn't  
believe my eyes

Am E7 Am

When he brought the Vegematic, and the Pocket  
Fisherman too,

Am C Am

Illuminated illustrated history of life,

E E7

And Boxcar Willie with a Ginzu knife,

Am E7 Am

A bamboo steamer, and a Garden Weasel too,

Am C Am E7 Am

And a tie-dyed, dayglow souvenir shirt from Six Flags  
Over Burbank.

Am E7

The doorbell rang all morning and into the afternoon.

Am Em Am E7 Am

I shook with fright as it rang all night to the light of the  
Master Card moon.

Am E7

There was Parcel Post in the pantry, and UPS in the hall,

Am C Am E7 Am

C O D's to the ceiling, and I just couldn't pay for it all.

I got the egg scrambler, with a Seal-a-Meal carrying  
case,

A set of presidential commemorative plates

So I could eat my eggs off the President's face,

A Minute Mender, and a needle that'll knit or crochet,

And an autographed photograph of Rin Tin Tin at Six  
Flags Over Burbank.

(same chords as 2nd verse:)

I remembered I was dreaming, so I gave a mighty  
cheer.  
When I awoke, it was no joke, 'cause all that shit was  
here.  
So if you fall asleep with the TV on, let me tell you what  
to do:  
Tear the telephone out of the wall unless you want it to  
happen to you.  
You'll get the Vegematic, and the Pocket Fisherman  
too,  
Illuminated illustrated history of life,  
And Boxcar Willie with a Ginzu knife,  
A bamboo steamer, and a smokeless ashtray too  
And an all expenses paid weekend for three at Six  
Flags Over Burbank.

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