

Fogerty John

"I Saw It On Tv"

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They sent us home to watch the show

Comin' on the little screen

A man named Ike was in the White House

Big black limosine

There were many shows to follow

From Hooter to Doodyville

Though I saw them all

I can't recall

Which cartoon was real

The coonskin caps Yankke bats

The Hound Dog Man's big start

The A-Bomb fears Annette had ears

I lusted in my heart

A young man from Boston

Set sail The New Frontier

And we watched the dream

Dead-end in Dallas

They buried innocence that year

I know it's true

Oh so true

'Cause I saw it on TV

We gathered 'round to hear the sound
Comin' on the little screen
The grief had passed the old man laughed
And all the girls screamed
'Cause four guys from England
Took us all by the hand
It was time to laugh
Time to sing
Time to join the band
But all too soon we hit the Moon
And covered up the sky
They built their bombs
And aimed their guns
And still I dont know why
The dominoes tumbled
And big business roared
Everynight at six
They showed the pictures
And counted up the score
I know it's true
Oh so true
Cause I saw it on TV
The old man rocks among his dreams
A prisoner of the porch
The light he says at the end of the tunnel

Was nothin' but a burglar's torch
And them that was caught in the Cover
Are all rich and free
But they chained my mind
To an endless tomb
When they took my only son from me
I know it's true
Oh so true
Cause I saw it on TV

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