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that's how it has to be he said
and so that's how it is –
everybody educated
no one very smart
with letters to adorn a name
that any can distort –
that's how it has to be he said
and so that's how it is –

yes we need the oil he said
ships and slicks and all
too bad about the birds you see
that's how it has to be –
monsanto yes – with pesticides
and herbicides and all
too bad about the bees you see
they just got in the way –

governments promote defence
with chemical attacks
teaching children how to kill
as army patriots –
politicians smile to vote
and pad their pension luxuries
while promoting industries
killing valleys lakes and trees –

listen to the televisions
three times three so you can believe
that's how it's got to be he said
so that's how it's going to be –
didn't they teach you that in school
and don't you believe it's really real?
don't even try to think he said
cause that's how it's gotta be.