

IT'S GREAT TO BE AN EMPIRE

We spanked old Spain.
We flogged the French.
We whipped the world.
Yeah, we're a mensch.
Our colonies are our great joy.
Hey, America, our favorite toy.

And it's great to be an empire.
Everyone shines your shoes.
Yeah, it's great to be an empire.
Nobody can refuse.

Now we're in debt up to our knees.
So where to turn... the colonies!
They fought with us to win the war,
Hey, and now they'll know what they fought for.

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