

ALL MIXED UP

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You know this lan-guage that we speak is part Ger-man, part La - tin and part Greek
With some Cel-tic an A-ra-bic all in a heap_ well a-men-ded by the man in the street_
Choc-taw gave us the word o - kay, Va-moose is a word from Mex-i - co way
And all of this is a hint I sus-pect of what comes next
I think that this whole world Soon Ma - ma my whole wide world
Soon Ma - ma my whole world Soon gon - na be gettin' mixed up

You know this language that we speak is part German, part Latin and part Greek
With some Celtic an Arabic all in a heap, well amended by the man in the street
Choctaw gave us the word okay, Vamoose is a word from Mexico way
And all of this is a hint I suspect of what comes next

Chorus

I think that this whole world
Soon Mama my whole wide world
Soon Mama my whole world
Soon gonna be gettin' mixed up

I like Polish sausage, I like Spanish rice, pizza pie is also nice
 Corn and beans from the Indians here, all washed down by some German beer
 Marco Polo travelled by camel and pony, brought to Italy the first macaroni
 And you and I as well as we're able, put it all on the table

There were no red-headed Irishmen before Vikings landed in Ireland
 How many Romans had dark curly hair before they brought slaves from Africa
 No race on earth is completely pure, nor is anyone's mind and that's for sure
 The winds mix the dust of every land, and so will women and man

This doesn't mean we will all be the same, we'll have different faces and different names
 Long live many different kinds of races, it's difference of opinion that make horse races
 Just remember the rule about rules, brother -

what could be right for one, could be wrong for another

