

Give Us Back Our Constitution

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Tune: 'I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy'; 1.75 min.

Lyrics: Corinne Willinger and the NYC Metro Raging Grannies and Their Daughters

Give us back our Constitution,
It's been trashed for eight long years.
Bush and Congress compromised our laws,
And played upon our mindless fears.
Stop the torture of detainees,
No one jailed without a trial.

Yankee Doodle went to Iraq,
Under false pretenses:
Those are the acts that we revile.

Congress dumped our Constitution.
The Bill of Rights has been attacked.
We have lost the right to privacy,
With unwarranted wire-taps.
Those deemed "enemy combatants"
Still endure their long ordeals.

We the people must restore
The right of Habeas Corpus:
The Patriot Act must be repealed.

Get our soldiers out of Iraq.
Mercenaries cannot stay.
Private companies are getting rich,
But Iraqis must have their way.
We must tell it to Obama,
Our country must stop making war.

We must leave Afghanistan
To the Afghan people.
Security is never won through war.