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Far away, across the ocean,
 Far beyond the sea's eastern rim,
 Lived the man who is father of the Indo-Chinese people
 And his name is Ho Chi Minh.

Chorus

Ho, Ho, Ho, Chi Minh
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From Viet Bac to the Saigon Delta,
 From pathless mountains and the plains below,
 Young and old, workers, peasants and the toiling tenant farmers
 Fight for freedom with Uncle Ho.

Ho Chi Minh was a deep sea sailor,
 Served his time out on the seven seas;
 Work and hardship were part of his early education
 Exploitation his ABC's.

Ho Chi Minh came home from sailing,
 And he looked on his native land,
 Saw the want and the hunger of the Indo-Chinese people,
 Foreign soldiers on every hand.

Ho Chi Minh went to the mountains
 And he trained a determined band
 Heroes all sworn to liberate the Indo-Chinese people,
 Drive invaders from the land.

Forty men became a hundred,
 A hundred thousand, and Ho Chi Minh-
 Forged and tempered the army of the Indo-Chinese people,
 Freedom's army of Viet Minh.

Every soldier is a farmer,
 Comes the evening, and he grabs his hoe;
 Comes the morning, he slings his rifle on his shoulder
 This the army of Uncle Ho.

In the mountains, through the jungles,
 In the ricelands and the Plain of Reeds,
 March the men and the women of the Indo-Chinese army,
 Planting freedom with victory's seeds.

From Viet Bac to the Saigon Delta
 March the armies of Viet Minn.
 And the wind stirs the banners of the Indo-Chinese people
 Peace and Freedom and Ho Chi Minh.

A REVIEW OF THE CASE:
***KARL ARMSTRONG
AND THE AMRC***



A HISTORY OF PROTEST

I'll Stand over your Grave

Charles

The Old Men

keep on making the war happen. They do have to die. 34,000 young men have been killed. 34,000 of us, young people not in the ground.

The Vietnamese people

have been fighting foreign invaders for 30 years. ~~They defeated the~~ They defeated the ~~French~~ Japanese and the French and will never surrender to the United States. We are learning that ~~we~~ ^{to destroy} a peoples war we will have to destroy the people. We're doing a good job. It's called Genocide

Who Gains

from this war? Certainly not the Vietnamese being murdered and raped. Certainly not the mass of Americans who give their money and their sons to serve an imperialism they little understand. ^{This war makes} ~~Rather than~~ ^{a new kind of colony.} ~~the conquered country being milked~~ Vietnam could never be milked of enough to cover our war

Vietnamese Childrens Song



THE ENEMY IS NOT PEOPLE
KILL PEOPLE, WHO SHALL WE LIVE WITH THEN?

THE ENEMIES NAME IS CRUELTY
THE ENEMIES NAME IS NO CONSCIENCE
IT'S NAME IS HATRED, IT'S NAME IS BITTERNESS
IT'S A GROUP OF PHANTOMS

THE ENEMY WEARS A COAT OF DOCTRINE
THE ENEMY WEARS A FALSE FRONT OF FREEDOM
IT WEARS A DECEIVING APPEARANCE
IT SIFTS OUR WORDS
IT'S A GERM TO SEPARATE US

PEOPLE, OH PEOPLE HAVE COMPASSION FOR THE WEAK
PEOPLE, OH PEOPLE HAVE COMPASSION FOR THE INNOCENT
HAVE COMPASSION FOR THE SELLOUTS
HAVE COMPASSION FOR THE CHEATS
HAVE COMPASSION FOR THOSE WHO PITY US

THE ENEMY'S NAME IS UNJUST ACCUSATION
THE ENEMY'S NAME IS IGNORANCE
IT'S NAME IS AMBITION
IT'S NAME IS JEALOUSY
IT'S NAME IS JEALOUS HATRED

THE ENEMY IS NO STRANGER
IT LIES HERE, INSIDE EACH ONE

THE ENEMY IS DESIRING EYES
THE ENEMY IS AN ARROGANT HEAD
IN A LONELY HEART
IN A NARROW MIND
IN THE DREAM OF CONQUERING

PEOPLE, OH PEOPLE LOVE PEOPLE MORE AND MORE
PEOPLE, OH PEOPLE LOVE PEOPLE AS PEOPLE
LOVE PEOPLE FOREVER
LOVE PEOPLE NIGHT AND DAY
LOVE PEOPLE AS HAND IN HAND

THE ENEMY IS NOT PEOPLE
KILL PEOPLE, WHO WILL WE LIVE WITH THEN
THE ENEMY IS NO STRANGER
IT LIES HERE INSIDE EACH ONE OF US

nephews of Uncle Ho

ALL Children of the

world are the nieces and