

# Common People (by Pulp) { 1995 }

Intro : [C] /// | /// | /// | /// |

[C] .. She came from Greece, she had a thirst for knowledge  
She studied sculpture at St. Martin's College, that's where [G] I ... caught her eye

[C] .. She told me that her dad was loaded  
I said "In that case I'll have a rum and coca cola"  
She said [G] "fine" ... and then in thirty seconds time, she said

[F] "I want to live like common people ... I want to do whatever common people do  
[C] I want to sleep with common people ... I want to sleep with .. common people like you  
[G] Well what else .. could I do .. I said "I'll .. I'll see what I can do" [C] /// | /// |

.. I took her to a supermarket  
.. I don't know why but I had to start it some-[G]-where ... so it started ... there  
[C] I said "Pretend you've got no money" ... She just laughed and said "Oh, you're so funny"  
I said [G] "Yeah, well I can't see anyone else smiling in here" ... Are you sure?

[F] You want to live like common people  
You want to see whatever common people [C] see?  
You want to sleep with common people  
You want to sleep with .. common people, like [G] me  
But she didn't .. understand .. she just smiled and held my [C] hand /// | //

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Smoke some [G] fags and play some pool .. pretend you never went to school  
But still you'll [C] never get it right .. cos when you're layed in bed at night  
Watching [G] roaches climb the wall .. if you called your dad he could stop it all, yeah

[F] You'll never live like common people .. You'll never do whatever common people do  
[C] Never fail like common people .. You'll never watch your life .. slide out of view  
[G] And dance .. and drink .. and screw ... because there's nothing else to [C] do-o-o / | /// |

[C] /// | /// | /// | /// | [G] /// | /// | /// | /// | [C] /// | /// | /// | /// |  
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[F] Sing along with the common people ... sing along and it might just get you [C] through  
Laugh along with the common people ... laugh along even though they are laughing at  
[G] you  
And the stupid things that you do ... because you think that poor is [C] cool /// | /// |

[C] .. Like a dog lying in a corner ... they will bite you and never warn you, look [G] out  
... They'll tear your .. insides out  
[C] .. 'Cos everybody hates a tourist .. especially one who .. who thinks that it's all .. such a [G] laugh  
... Yeah ... and the chip stains and grease .. will come out in the bath

You will [F] never understand .. how it feels to live your life  
 With no [C] meaning or control ... and with nowhere left to go  
 You are a-[G]-mazed that they exist ...  
 And they burn so bright whilst you can only [C] wonder why

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 I want to live with .. common people like you  
 I want to live with .. common people like you, Ooo, la, la, la, la  
 Ooo-ooo, la, la, la, la  
 Ooo-ooo, la, la, la, la  
 Ooo-ooo, la, la, la, la  
 Oh <C> you

