Friday, March 12, 2010 "The Age of Stupid"

The Raging Grannies of Greater Westerly

Aged ... not stupid Enraged ... not vapid

We have Just One World

Tune of You Are My Sunshine, (C/G)

We have just one world Yes, only ONE world Complete with sunshine, wind and rain With ancient forests And clear blue oceans And living streams and fields of grain.

We have just one world
Yes, only ONE world
With purple mountains
And fruited plain....
And when we soil it
Pollute and spoil it
We'll never get that one world again.

Granny Marlies Parent

Radical Environmentalists

Tune of She'll Be Comin' 'Round the Mountain

Oh we're RADICAL envronmentalists, Yes we're radical ENVIRONmentalists We like clean air and clean WATER Just like any farmer's daughter—We are radical ENVIRONmentalists.

Oh we LIKE our veggies without pesticides, And our meat without those HORMONES placed inside. We like fish without PCB's And our forests to have TREE-ses, We are radical ENVIRONmentalists!

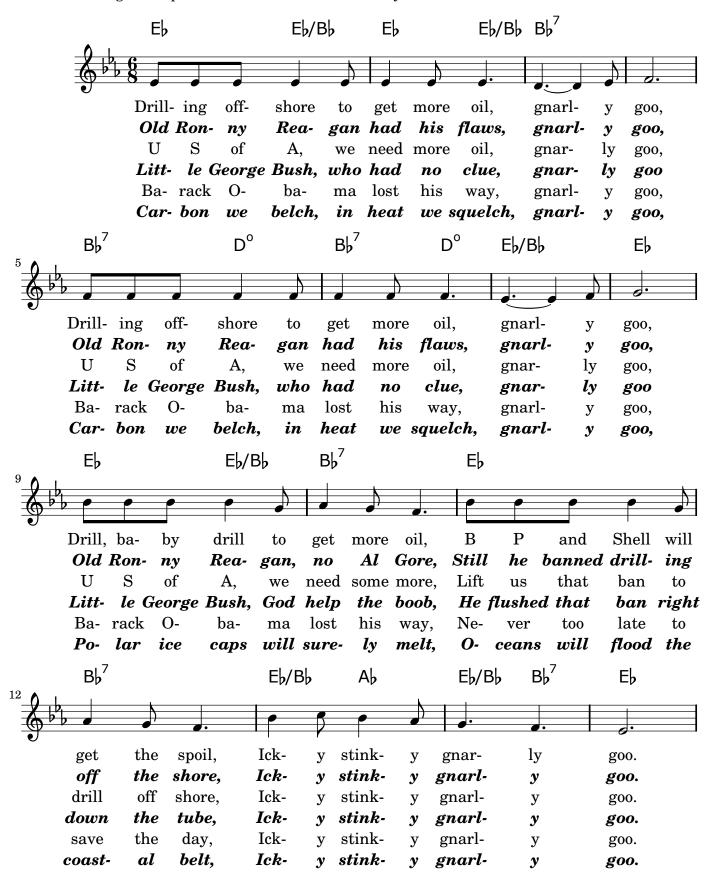
We like AUTOmobiles that do not pollute,
And we love those guns that simply cannot shoot,
We find natural seeds enticing
So forget genetic splicing—
We're radical ENVIRONmentalists!

Let's get ENERGY from wind and sun and stars, Ride more bicycles and drive electric cars, Let's recycle cans and paper, So we all can tell our Maker that we're radical ENVIRONMENTALISTS!

Revision history (Rochester/South Florida/Westerly, Rhode Island)

Drilling Off-Shore (Mademoiselle From Armentiers)

Pedrolina "Paige" Delaparrucca and the Greater Westerly Grannies



There's a Patch in The Ocean (There's a Hole in The Bucket) *

- There's a <u>patch</u> in the <u>ocean</u>,
 Dear <u>Grand</u>child, dear <u>Grand</u>child.
 It's a <u>patch</u> full of <u>plastic</u>,
 Dear <u>Grand</u>child, that patch.
- 2. How big is it, Granny,

 Dear Granny, dear Granny?

 How big is it, Granny?

 How big is that patch?
- 3. It's the <u>size</u> of twice <u>Tex</u>as,

 Dear <u>Grand</u>child, dear <u>Grand</u>child.

 The <u>size</u> of twice <u>Tex</u>as,

 Dear <u>Grand</u>child, that big!
- 4. But how did it get there, dear Granny, Dear Granny, dear Granny?
 But how did it get there,
 Dear Granny, say how!
- 5. My grocery wrappers,Dear Grandchild, dear Grandchild,My grocery wrappersAnd your plastic toys.

- 6. But why does it matter,

 Dear Granny, dear Granny?

 But why does it matter?

 And why should I care?
- 7. It <u>kills</u> lots of <u>crea</u>tures,
 Dear <u>Grand</u>child, dear <u>Grand</u>child.
 It <u>kills</u> lot of <u>crea</u>tures,
 Dear <u>Grand</u>child, it <u>kills</u>.
- 8. Then why don't you fix it,

 Dear Granny, dear Granny?

 Then why don't you fix it?

 Dear Granny, fix it!
- 9. It's <u>your</u> world we <u>bor</u>rowed,
 Dear <u>Grand</u>child, dear <u>Grand</u>child,
 It's <u>your</u> world, dear <u>Grand</u>child,
 We laid it to waste.
- 10. Let's <u>clean</u> up that <u>trash</u> patch,Dear <u>Gran</u>ny, dear <u>Gran</u>ny,Let's <u>clean</u> up that <u>trash</u> patch,Dear <u>Gran</u>ny, that patch.

*See this link (en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Great_Pacific_Garbage_Patch) for more about the Great Pacific Garbage Patch; Lyrics by

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