

It Ain't Necessarily So

Adapted lyrics by Andy "Dijon" French

(Based on the Oscar Peterson jazz piano version of the classic tune from Gershwin's *Porgy & Bess*)

Gm, C Gm.... *then change key!*

It ain't necessarily so

What you read and you see on your phone

So don't abuse

What you might think is news

Cos' it ain't necessarily so!

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That positive charge makes a flow

Electrons are movin'

I know it's confusin'

But current's the convention you know

When seeking the truth

Don't be aloof

Facts are harder than feelings to know

Considering doubt

Gives Science its clout

And that's how knowledge will grow

COVID can be cured by some bleach

Said the president they tried to impeach

It's like a barbicide

It'll dissolve your insides

Choose a vaccine instead I beseech!

Some say that the Earth ain't a sphere

At the edge you just disappear

The seven seas

A conspiracy

I read it on Twitter last year

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It's a fact that kittens are cute

They purr, squeak, but otherwise mute

But don't pretend

They're like your best friend

They're the minstrel, and, you are the lute

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QAnon is really quite vile

With tales of cannibals and pedophiles

You are always at fault

If you believe in this cult

You're an idiot in denial

Some say that climate change it ain't fact

Just some dodgy pseudo-scientist pact

Give credence to lies

And the temperatures rise

Now is the time to act

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