

Pink Houses - John Mellencamp

Tempo: NA

I made this SUPER easy.

Strumming Pattern: D, DU, UDU

G
There's a black man, with a black cat
Livin' in a black neighborhood
He's got an interstate runnin' through his front yard
 F C G
You know he thinks he's got it so good
There's a woman, in the kitchen
Cleanin' up the evenin' slop
 F C
And he looks at her and says "Hey darlin'
 G
I remember when you could stop a clock!"

Chorus:

 C G C
Oh but ain't that America for you and me, ain't that America
 G C D
somethin' to see baby ain't that America home of the free?
 C
Little pink houses for you and me

Verse 2

G
There's a young man, in a t-shirt
Listenin' to a rock n' roll station
He's got greasy hair, greasy smile
 F C G
He says "Lord this must be my destination!"
Cuz they told me, when I was younger
said "Boy you're gonna be president!"
 F C G
Just like everything else those old dreams kinda went away

Chorus:

 C G C
Oh well ain't that America for you and me, ain't that America
 G C D
somethin' to see baby ain't that America home of the free?
 C G (hold for a sec)
Little pink houses for you and me

Verse 3

G
Well there's people and more people
But do they no,no,no
Go to work in the summer
 F C G
And vacation down at the Gulf of Mexico
And there's winners and there's losers
Thinkin' no big deal cuz' the simple man baby

Pays the thrills the bills ,the bills that kill

Chorus:

Oh but ain't that America for you and me, ain't that America
somethin' to see baby ain't that America home of the free?
Little pink houses for you and me
Oh but ain't that America, ain't that America...
Oh but ain't that America, for you and me?