

Pulp - Common People (power chords)

C5

She came from Greece, she had a thirst for knowledge
She studied sculpture at St. Martin's college, that's where

G5

I... Caught her eye

C5

She told me that her dad was loaded
I said, "in that case I'll have a rum and coca cola," she said

G5

fine... And then in thirty seconds time, she said:

F5

I wanna live like common people
I wanna do whatever common people

C5

do... I wanna sleep with common people
I wanna sleep with common people, like

G5

you... Well what else could I do?

I said "I'll see what I can do."

C5

I took her to a supermarket
I don't know why, but I had to start it some

G5

where... So it started there.

C5

I said, "pretend you've got no money."
She just laughed and said "oh, you're so funny" I said

G5

"Yeah, well I can't see anyone else smiling in here."

Are you sure?

F5

You wanna live like common people?
You wanna see whatever common people

C5

see?... You wanna sleep with common people...

You wanna sleep with common people, like

G5

me?... But she didn't understand...

She just smiled and held my hand!

C5

Rent a flat above a shop
Cut your hair and get a job

G5

Smoke some fags and play some pool,
Pretend you never went to school

C5

But still you'll never get it right
'Cus when you're layed in bed at night

G5

Watching roaches climb the wall
If you called your dad he could stop it all, yeah

F5

You'll never live like common people
You'll never see whatever common people see

C5

Never fail like common people
You'll never watch your life slide out of view

G5

And then dance and drink and screw
Because there's nothing else to do!

BRIDGE C5, G5 C5, G5

F5

Sing along with the common people
Sing along and it might just get you through

C5

Laugh along with the common people
Laugh along even though they're laughing at you

G5

And the stupid things that you do
Because you think that poor's cool

C5

Like a dog lying in the corner
They will bite you and never warn you

G5

Look out, they'll tear your insides out

C5

Cus everybody hates a tourist
Especially one of those who thinks it's all such a laugh

G5

And the chip stains and grease
Will come out in the bath

F5

You will NEVER understand
How it feels to live your life

C5

With no meaning or control
And with nowhere left to go

G5

You are amazed that they exist
And they burn so bright that you can only wonder why

C5

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You'll never watch your life, slide out of view

G5

And dance and drink and screw, 'cus there's nothing else to do

C5

I wanna live with common people like you (repeat til end)