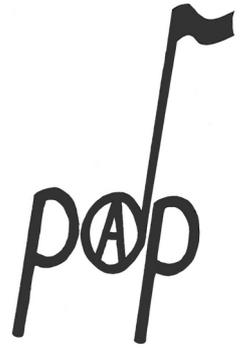


## Rich Man's House

Well I, went down to the rich man's house and I,  
Took back what he stole from me (took it back)  
Took back my dignity (took it back), took back my humanity  
Oh I, went down to the rich man's house and I,  
Took back what he stole from me (took it back)  
Took back my dignity (took it back), took back my humanity  
Now he's under my feet, under my feet, under my feet, under my feet  
Ain't gonna let the system walk all over me!



Well I, went down to the police station and I  
Took back what they stole from me (took it back)  
Took back my dignity (took it back), took back my humanity  
Oh I, went down to the police station and I  
Took back what he stole from me (took it back)  
Took back my dignity (took it back), took back my humanity  
Now they're under my feet, under my feet, under my feet, under my feet  
Ain't gonna let the system walk all over me!

Well I, went down to the jail house and I  
Took back what it stole from me (took it back)  
Took back my dignity (took it back), Took back my humanity  
Oh I, went down to the jail house and I  
Took back what it stole from me (took it back)  
Took back my dignity (took it back), took back my humanity  
Now it's under my feet, under my feet, under my feet, under my feet  
Ain't gonna let the system walk all over me!

Well I, went down to the border and I  
Took back what they stole from me (took it back)  
Took back my dignity (took it back), took back my humanity  
Oh I, went down to the border and I  
Took back what they stole from me (took it back)  
Took back my dignity (took it back), took back my humanity  
Now they're under my feet, under my feet, under my feet, under my feet  
Ain't gonna let the system walk all over me!

Well I, went down to the government aoffice nd I  
Took back what they stole from me (took it back)  
Took back my dignity (took it back), took back my humanity  
Oh I, went down to the government office and I,  
Took back what they stole from me (took it back)  
Took back my dignity (took it back), took back my humanity  
Now they're under my feet, under my feet, under my feet, under my feet  
Ain't gonna let the system walk all over me!

Rich Man's House is a Poor People's Campaign song. It was written by poor families of the Kensington Welfare Rights Union during the New Freedom Bus Tour in 1998