

Friday Fred

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Friday Fred Friday Fred every night he goes to bed
He gets up everyday and every friday Fred collects his pay
Friday Fred Friday Fred he's got hair upon his head
He's got shoes on his feet Fred says he's got everything he needs

But he never was a senator or president
Never was in like our man Flint
Never won a raffle or a Nobel Prize
Never carved a pheasant from a block of ice
He never set foot anywhere on the moon
Never played bass on Rocky Raccoon
Never was a legend or a household name
But Freddy loved Jesus anyway

Friday Fred Friday Fred he likes butter on his bread
He takes sugar in his tea and a little bit of bacon in his blackeyed peas
Friday Fred Friday Fred he's going to live until he's dead
He's got no worries life's been good he wouldn't change a thing even if he could

But he never made peace in the middle east
Never went toe to toe with Muhammad Ali
Never had a place on Big Bear Lake
Never ran a filly in the Belmont Stakes
He never found a cure for the common cold
Never raised a bounty of pirates gold
Never sat down by the dock of the bay
But Freddy loved Jesus anyway

Friday Fred Friday Fred Saturday the paper said
His simple life came to an end he is survived by many many friends

But he never had his face on a dollar bill
Never cooled a pie on the window sill
Never was a man who would be king
Never understood this hip hop thing
He never saw a big foot or a UFO
Never did the tango or the cotton eyed Joe
Never tossed a ball on opening day
But Freddy loved Jesus anyway yeah
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