

CATS IN THE KETTLE

DID YOU EVER THINK WHEN YOU ATE CHINESE
IT AIN'T PORK OR CHICKEN, BUT A FAT SIAMESE
YET THE FOOD TASTES GREAT SO YOU DON'T COMPLAIN
THAT IT'S NOT CHICKEN IN YOUR CHICKEN CHOW MEIN
SEEMS TO ME I ORDERED SWEET AND SOUR PORK
BUT GARFIELD'S ON MY FORK; HE'S PURRING ON MY FORK

THERE'S A CAT IN THE KETTLE AT THE PEKING MOON
THE PLACE THAT I EAT EVERY DAY AT NOON
THEY CAN FEED YOU CAT AND YOU NEVER KNOW
ONCE THEY WRAP IT UP IN DOUGH, BOYS
THEY FRY IT REAL CRISP IN DOUGH

CHOW LIN, THAT STUFF I WANTED MORE
HE WAS DIALIN' UP HIS BUDDY AT THE OLD PET STORE
I SAID "NOT TODAY; I LOST MY APPETITE."
THERE'S TWO CATS IN MY BELLY AND THEY WANT TO FIGHT
I WAS SUCKIN' ON A ROLLAID AND A TUMS OR TWO
WHEN I THOUGHT I HEARD IT MEW, BOYS
AND THAT IS WHEN I KNEW, BOYS

THERE'S A CAT IN THE KETTLE AT THE PEKING MOON
I THINK I GOTTA STOP EATING THERE AT NOON
THEY SAY THAT IT'S BEEF OR FISH OR PORK
BUT IT'S PURRIN' THERE ON MY FORK
THERE'S A HAIR-BALL ON MY FORK...