

# Dead Milkmen, The Girl with the Strong Arm

The girl with the strong arm has saved world cinema  
Saved it from itself I like to think  
The girl with the strong arm restores old paintings  
Including one she found under the sink  
The girl with the strong arm killed an innocent bystander  
That leaves you with a mental picture  
The girl with the strong arm drank straight whiskey  
But I understand she still quotes scriptures

All poor gardeners ?berry sauces  
During the week long festival  
Kneeling down to think about the future  
Racing you would be quite dull  
After many years of exodus  
The hatchery fish run in rich rivers  
I'm afraid the memories regarding Nixon  
Are a little scary

The girl with the strong arm threatens the Quakers  
They all say she's mad y'know  
The girl with the strong arm has an abrasive accent  
She uses words like eskimo  
The girl with the strong arm stands beside a woman  
Whose many parts add up to one  
The girl with the strong arm makes political commentary  
Yet I feel that it's all in fun

In your nightmares rub around  
Those gay white males line up at church  
Drink their coffee pretend to be a cowboy  
Set aside an hour to search  
Pulling up leaves like little Russian problems  
Is now the tasty thing to do  
The unattractive ? cloying sweetness is you

The most popular sidearm with Canadian woodsmen  
Is the blue steel woodchuck gun  
Manufactured in Atlanta, Georgia  
By the firm of Youse & Son  
I find no fault with the two young lovers  
Who dine all night on candied eels  
Then dance till dawn to big band music  
And the sound of baboon squeals  
All last night I stared at jelly  
Till I knew love was all around  
Travelling through O'Hare airport  
Dressed like a circus clown

The girl with the strong arm has started licking batteries  
And that's kinda strange, even for her  
The girl with the strong arm would like to be a banker  
But I don't think she's really sure

Using strings just to pull things over  
Really keeps the party going  
I'm not sure but the history of Denmark  
Maybe the only thing worth knowing  
Has it ever dawned on you  
That car accidents just might be art  
And all those kids in foster care  
Just don't think you're very smart  
Down by the ? on mother's day  
In a state of perpetual bliss  
Stan's the man with the lisp

