

CHINA GROVE

Intro: 16 measures (drums start after 4 measures)

When the sun comes up on a sleepy little town
Down around San Antone
And the folks are rising for another day
Round about their homes
The people of the town are strange
And they're proud of where they came **(stop)**

Interlude: 2 measures

Well, you're talking about China (**China Grove**) Grove
Wo, oh, **oh, oh, China Grove**

Well, the preacher and the teacher, Lord, they're a caution
They are the talk of the town
When the gossip gets to flying and they ain't lying
When the sun goes falling down
They say that the father's insane
And dear Missus Perkin's a game **(stop)**

Interlude: 2 measures

We're talkin' 'bout the China (**China Grove**) Grove
Wo, oh, **oh, oh, China Grove**

Interlude: 4 measures

(ooh) But everyday there's a new thing coming
(ooh) The ways of an oriental view
(ooh) The sheriff and his buddies with their samurai swords
You can even hear the music at night
(ooh) And though it's part of the Lone Star State
(ooh) People don't seem to care
They just keep on looking' to the East **(stop)**
(Guitar)(5 beats on snare)(Stop)
Repeat intro: Guitar solo: 6 times (stop)

Talking' 'bout the China (**China Grove**) Grove
Wo, oh, **oh, oh, China Grove.**