

Marching Through Greenland V2

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Music: Henry C. Work, "Marching Through Georgia"

I wrote the first version of this song in February 2025, when Trump's ambition to seize Greenland seemed more like a joke. The new first and last verses push the satire up a level.

It's outrageous that I didn't get a prize for peace,
So I'm telling all of you from Denmark down to Greece
Your resistance to our power soon is going to cease.
We will go marching through Greenland.

Refrain:

Hurrah, hurrah! We'll make our country great.
Hurrah, hurrah! The fifty-second state.
So we'll sing the chorus while we ride or ski or skate,
As we go marching through Greenland.

All the battles that I win will fill a history book,
We'll be hailed as liberators as we enter Nuuk,
Then supply our trip back home with all the stuff we took,
As we go marching through Greenland.

Refrain

We will never shiver as for battle we prepare.
There's no foe too dangerous, no odds we wouldn't dare
When we face a reindeer or a seal or polar bear,
As we go marching through Greenland.

Refrain

I'll fulfill the wildest dreams of Pinky and the Brain.
I will deal with Greenland just like Putin with Ukraine,
Then I'll build an eight-lane bridge connecting it to Maine,
When we go marching through Greenland.

Refrain