

# Vietnam

Jimmy Cliff

Hey, Vietnam, Vietnam  
Vietnam, Vietnam  
Vietnam, Vietnam, Vietnam

Yesterday, I got a letter from my friend fighting in Vietnam  
And this is what he had to say  
"Tell all my friends that I'll be coming home soon  
My time'll be up some time in June  
Don't forget", he said, "To tell my sweet Mary  
Her golden lips are sweet as cherry"

And it came from Vietnam, Vietnam  
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It was just the next day, his mother got a telegram  
It was addressed from Vietnam  
Now mistress Brown, she lives in the USA  
And this is what she wrote and said  
"Don't be alarmed", she told me the telegram said  
"But mistress Brown your son is dead"

And it came from Vietnam, Vietnam  
Vietnam, Vietnam  
Vietnam, Vietnam, hey, Vietnam  
Somebody please stop that war now

Vietnam, Vietnam, Vietnam, Vietnam, oh  
Vietnam, Vietnam, oh  
Vietnam, oh oh, oh oh  
Somebody please stop it

Vietnam, Vietnam, oh  
Vietnam, Vietnam, oh oh, oh oh  
Vietnam, hey, Vietnam, aha  
Vietnam, oh oh, yeah

I wanna say now somebody stop that war  
Vietnam, oh yeah, aha