

# When the world was sad



Once upon a time the world was sad  
Its atmosphere was feeling bad

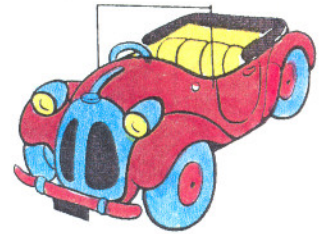
There was too much CO<sub>2</sub>  
(Carbon dioxide to me and you)  
It made it hotter and hotter still  
And all the fishes it did kill

But then man realised what was wrong  
"We've been using petrol for far too long!"

And burning petrol makes this stuff  
Well as of now, we've had enough!"

And so they looked for something new  
Something clean and dead cheap too  
And then they found it, finally  
Biodiesel for you and me!

All you do is take some oil  
And then you clean it, and you toil  
To convert the engine in your car  
To use this fuel to drive afar



And then you're done! But why, you think  
Will it pull us back from the brink?  
And save the earth from feeling sad?  
It's simple! (Now you think I'm mad)

When plants are growing, guess what they do?

Well, they use up all that CO<sub>2</sub>  
And change it to oxygen- that's good!  
You understand? I knew you would!

We need oxygen to breathe, you see  
And keep us alive and happy

So carbon neutral is its name  
Let's all hope it finds worldwide fame

It slows down the making of CO<sub>2</sub>  
It makes the world better for more than a few

And when you have a car of your own

Don't listen to those people moan  
Make it biodiesel, you'll help too

I know it's scary and brand new

But you'll stop the world from feeling sad

Stop the atmosphere from feeling bad

And cut down on that CO<sub>2</sub>

You'll save us all! (And that is true)

The scientists, they helped, you know

But without us they wouldn't grow

These plants to use within your car

To help the world as you drive afar



All of us are needed, you see  
The scientists, and you, and me!