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The Weekend - 1970's (C0101)

- A: Hey man! How's it hanging?
- B: Hey man! Everything is just groovy baby!
- A: Did you go to the roller rink on Saturday? I heard it was far out, man!
- B: I wanted to, but I ran into this foxy lady that just moved to my block! I was chatting her up a bit and then we mellowed out at her place.
- A: Right on, right on! Well, Jim went to the rink with Sherry and he said it was dy-no-mite! He was low on bread, but Sherry paid for everything.
- B: Gravy! Jim is such a jive turkey man. He is always hitting me up for cash. Anyway, you wanna book and go grab some grub?



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A: Yeah man, I'm starving!

Key Vocabulary

right on	phrase	used to say that some-
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thing that makes sense

how is it hang- phrase how's it going, how are

ing you

groovy Adjective cool, excellent, enjoy-

able

roller rink common an enclosed place for

noun, sin- roller skating

gular

far out Adjective the latest, cool

foxy Adjective sexy, attractive

block common part of a neighborhood

noun, sin- surrounded by four

gular streets

chat (some- verb talk informally to a per-

one) up son you're attracted to

mellow out verb relax

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and

bread common money (informal

noun, non- old fashioned)

variable

gravy Adjective alright, cool

jive turkey common a person who is unreli-

noun, sin- able or irresponsible

gular

hit someone phrase ask someone for money

up for

book verb leave quickly

grub common food (informal)

noun, non-

variable

Supplementary Vocabulary

Disco common popular dance music,

noun, sin- especially of the late

gular 1970s

crib common house

noun, sin-

gular



gig a performance commonespe-

> cially by a band sinnoun,

gular

the man phrasean authority figure, like

the boss or government

bummer a negative situation