



LYRICS ACTIVITY

ENGLISHMAN IN NEW YORK - STING

I don't drink coffee _____ my dear

I like my toast done on the side

And you can hear it in _____

I'm an Englishman in New York

I'm an alien, I'm a legal alien

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See me walking down Fifth Avenue

A walking cane _____

I take it everywhere I _____

I'm an Englishman in New York

Modesty, propriety can lead to notoriety

You could end up as the only one

Gentleness, sobriety are rare in this society

At night a candle's brighter than the Sun

I'm an _____, I'm a legal _____

I'm an Englishman in New York

I'm an _____, I'm a legal _____

I'm an Englishman in New York

Takes more than combat gear to make a man

Takes more than license for a gun

Confront your enemies,

A gentleman will walk but

If "manners maketh man" as someone said

Then he's the hero of the day

It takes a man to suffer ignorance and smile

Be yourself _____

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Explain the meaning of the following words and phrases:

- modesty
- propriety
- sobriety
- gentleness
- Be yourself no matter what they say.
- "Manners maketh man"
- "At night a candle's brighter than the sun"
- Takes more than combat gear to make a man.

2. What differences in pronunciation between British and American English can you spot? Give examples.

3. Which of these two sayings do you agree more with and why?

“Be yourself no matter what they say”.

“When in Rome, do as Romans do”

4. In your opinion, what are some of the challenges of being yourself in a foreign country?