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SONGBOOK



1 CORINTHIANS 13 - Source Unknown

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1.

Am G
If I have the eloquence of men and angels too,
Am G
But have no love O Lord, then what shall I do?
Dm Am
If I have prophetic powers and understand all things,
Dm Am Dm Em Am
But have no love O Lord, I am nothing, O . . . nothing.
2.

If I have all faith so as to move the mountains high,
But have no love O Lord, then who am I?
And if I sacrifice my body to be burned,
But have not love in me, what have I earned? O nothing.
3.

Love has no boast nor does it harbour foolish pride.
Love is not jealous or resentful inside.
Love is not arrogant or rude in any way.
Love won't insist upon its own way. O love.
4.

As for prophecy and knowledge, they will all cease.
Love alone remains and gives us hope and peace.
And if we accept the love of Christ, God's only Son,
We find we too can love as Christ has done, as Christ has done.

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1 JOHN 4:7&8 - Source Unknown

2

C G
Beloved let us love one another,
G7 C
For love is of God and one who loves is born of God and knows God,
C7 F Dm7
One who loveth not knoweth not the Father for God is Love.
C G C
Beloved let us love one another
G C
First John Four Seven and Eight.
C F
'Cause God loves you and (clap) I love you
C G
And that's the way it should be, Alleluia!
C F
God loves you and (clap) I love you
C G C
And that's the way it should be.



A DISCIPLE NAMED PETER – Gale Eneberg

3

1. A disciple named Peter once walked on the water
From a ship on a dark stormy night.
He walked toward the Master on top of the water
But he started to sink and he cried out in fright.
"Oh Lord save me!" he cried out in fright,
For he started to sink on that dark stormy night.
2. Then the hand of the Master saved him from the water
Who had feared both the wind and the waves.
And the Lord said to Peter on top of the water,
"Oh why did you doubt? You have so little faith.
You will sink if you give into doubt,
But you'll stay up on top when your faith wins out."
3. To walk on the water, to walk and not falter,
There is one certain thing you must do.
Keep your eyes on the Master and not on the water,
Don't look at the storm or you'll start to fall through.
Walk in faith and you will not go down,
But if you should falter he won't let you drown.
4. Now like the disciple we find in the Bible
You can do the impossible thing.
But if you should doubt, you'll never find out
All the wonderful miracles faith can bring.
You can do the impossible thing
And see all the miracles faith will bring!

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AKANAMANDLA – South African Protest and Praise Song

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CHORUS
Akanamandla. Haleluya.
Akanamandla. USathane. (Repeat)

1. He flees far from us, Alleluia!
He flees far from us, USathane! (Repeat)
2. He has no power, Alleluia!
He has no power, USathane! (Repeat)



AND THE PEOPLE SAID – Source Unknown

5

CHORUS
And the people said, "Alleluia, ah-la-la-la-la! Amen, amen!
Alleluia, ah-la-la-la-la! Amen, amen!
Alleluia, ah-la-la-la-la! Amen! Amen!"

1. Jesus Christ is the Waymaker. Amen, amen!
Jesus Christ is the Waymaker. Amen, amen!
Jesus Christ is the Waymaker. Amen! Amen!
2. Jesus Christ is the Prince of Peace...
3. Jesus died and he rose again...

AS I WENT DOWN – Traditional

6

1. As I went down to the river to pray,
Studyin' about that good old way
And who shall wear the starry crown
Good Lord, show me the way!

O sisters let's go down,
Let's go down, come on down,
O sisters let's go down,
Down in the river to pray.
2. O brothers let's go down...
3. O fathers let's go down...
4. O mothers let's go down...
5. O sinners let's go down...

BABYLON – Psalm 137:1

7

By the waters, the waters of Babylon,
We lay down and wept, and wept for thee, Zion.
We remember, we remember, we remember thee, Zion.



BAMBOO – Dave Van Ronk

1. D C
You take a stick of bamboo, You take a stick of bamboo,
 D C
You take a stick of bamboo, You throw it in the water.
D C D
Ah, Ah, Hannah! (Repeat)

CHORUS

D C D

River (river, river) she come down. (Repeat)

2. You travel on the river (3X)
You travel on the water.
Ah, Ah, Hannah! (Repeat)

3. My home's across the river (3X)
My home's across the water.
Ah, Ah, Hannah! (Repeat)

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CHORUS

C F G
Barges, I would like to go with you,
C F C G C
I would like to sail the ocean blue.
C F G
Barges, have you treasures in your hold?
C F C G C
Do you fight with pirates brave and bold?

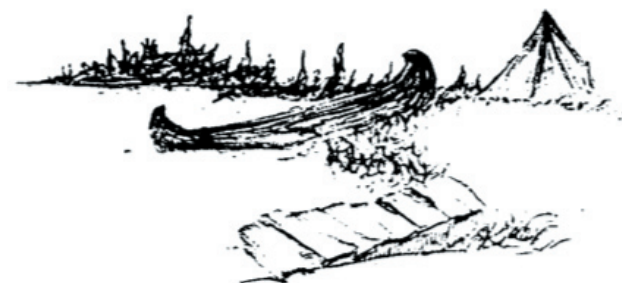
1. C F G
Out of my window looking in the night

 C F C G C
I can see the barge's flickering light.

 C F G
Starboard shining green and port is glowing red,

 C F C G C
I can see the barges from my bed.

2. Silently flows the river to the sea
As the barges do go silently.



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1. Am G F E
Blindman sits by the road and he cries (3X)
E
Show...
E Am G F
Show me the way... (3X)
F E
The way to be free.
2. Woman sits by the well and she cries...
3. We all sat by the cross and we cried...
Show us the way...
4. Jesus hung on the cross and he cried...
I...
I am the way...

CATERPILLAR SONG – Source Unknown

1. C Am C Am
Once there was a caterpillar living in a shell,
F Dm7 G G7
Happy to be in a place where everything went well.
C Am C Am
No one to bother him, no other worms to see,
F F7 G7
Locked up in his dark cocoon he thought that he was free.

CHORUS

F C G7 C
Hey little worm, don't you see,
F C G C
Only butterflies are free.
F C G7 C
Come out of your shell, fly with me.
F C G7 C
Only butterflies are free.

2. Something happened to that worm, as he slept one day.
 Woke him up and gave him wings and helped him fly away.
 People, too, can be like this, afraid of being free,
 But what happened to that worm can happen to you and me.



CHILDREN OF THE LIGHT – Source Unknown

12

CHORUS
We are children, children of the Light,
We are shining in the darkness of the night.
Hope for this world, joy through all the land,
Touch the heart of everyone, take everybody’s hand.

- 1. Come and gather ‘round the flame,
Share the light in his name,
We the children of the Light.
Let the wind blow where it will,
Spread the news to everyone,
There’s still plenty of time, for we have just begun.
- 2. Join the song of all the earth,
We’ve a dream, a dream to share
And a promise of rebirth.
Let the earth feel the warmth
Of the love there in your heart.
We have many a dream and promises to keep.

DO LORD – Traditional Spiritual

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CHORUS
G G7
Do Lord, Oh do Lord, oh do remember me
C G
Do Lord, Oh do Lord, oh do remember me
G B7 Em
Do Lord, Oh do Lord, oh do remember me
G D7 G
Look a-way beyond the blue (horizon).

- 1. I’ve got a home in glory land that outshines the sun (3X)
Look a-way beyond the blue (horizon).
- 2. I took Jesus as my Saviour, you take him too (3X)
Look a-way beyond the blue (horizon).



DOWN BY THE RIVERSIDE – Traditional Spiritual

14

D
1. I’m gonna lay down my burden,
A D
Down by the riverside, down by the riverside, down by the riverside.
D
I’m gonna lay down my burden,
A D
Down by the riverside, down by the riverside.
D G
CHORUS I ain’t gonna study war no more,
D
I ain’t gonna study war no more,
A D
I ain’t gonna study war no more (repeat chorus)

- 2. I’m gonna lay down my sword and shield...
- 3. I’m gonna walk with the Prince of Peace...
- 4. I’m gonna put on my long white robe...

FATHER, I ADORE YOU – Terrye Coelho

15

D G A D
1. Father, I adore you,
D G A D
And I lay my life before you,
D G A D
How I love you.
2. Jesus, I adore you...
3. Spirit, I adore you...
4. Three in one, I adore you...

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FREEDOM IS COMING – South African Protest and Praise Song

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1. Oh Freedom (Freedom is coming)
Oh Freedom (Freedom is coming)
Oh Freedom, Freedom is coming, oh yes, I know. (Repeat)
CHORUS
Oh yes, I know (Oh yes, I know) (2X)
Oh yes, I know, Freedom is coming, oh yes, I know.
2. Oh Jesus (Jesus is coming)...



GARDEN SONG – Dave Mallet (with some help from Pete Seeger) 17

CHORUS

D G D G A D
Inch by inch, row by row, gonna make this garden grow,
G A D Bm E A
Gonna mulch it deep and low, gonna make it fertile ground.
D G D G A D
Inch by inch, row by row, please bless these seeds I sow,
G A D Bm G A D
Please keep them safe below 'til the rains come tumbling down.

1. Pulling weeds, picking stones,
We are made of dreams and bones.
Need a place to call my own for the time is near at hand.
Grain for grain, sun and rain,
Find my way through nature's chain,
Tune my body and my brain to the music of the land.

2. Plant your rows straight and long,
Temper them with prayer and song,
Mother earth will make you strong if you give her love and care.
An old crow watching hungrily
From his perch in yonder tree,
In my garden I'm as free as that feathered thief up there!

3. Brothers, sisters all around
This is where our garden's found.
Side by side we work the ground to help these seedlings grow.
Water them with love and care,
Trust the promise that we share.
Keep them healthy and prepare for God's first fruit to show.

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GIVE ME OIL IN MY LAMP - A. Sevison 18

D D7 G
1. Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning,
D E A7
Give me oil in my lamp, I pray.
D D7 G
Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning,
D A7 D
Keep me burning 'til the break of day.

CHORUS

D D7 G E7
Sing Hosanna! Sing Hosanna!
A7 D G D
Sing Hosanna to the King of Kings.
D D7 G E7
Sing Hosanna! Sing Hosanna!
A7 D
Sing Hosanna to the King.

2. Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising...

3. Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting...

4. Give me love in my heart, keep me serving...

5. Give me gas in my Ford, keep me truckin' for the Lord...

6. Give me umption for my gumption, help me function...

7. Give me wax for my board, keep me surfin'...

8. Give me wax for my skis, keep me bombin' through the trees...



GOD LOVES A CHEERFUL GIVER – Source Unknown

19

CHORUS

G D
God loves a cheerful giver, give it all you've got.

D G
God loves to hear you laughing when you're in an awkward spot.

G C
When the odds add up against you it's time to stop and sing,

D7 G
"Praise God", to praise God is a joyous thing.

1. G C
Peter always made a fuss, Peter was impetuous,
D G
He knew hard times when he denied his Lord.
G C
But hardly had he fallen when he got right up, began again.
D7 G
Christ told him then to feed his lambs and follow him.

2. Jonah was a gloomy sort, he always had a bad report,
He ran from God, he ran and set sail.
His journey's end was quite abrupt, a fish came by and swallowed him up.
He spent three dark and dreary days inside the whale.

3. Holy Job was richly blessed, he lost it all but stood the test,
For Job was steadfast in his misery.
God gives to me, God takes away, blessed be the name of God this day,
And he was doubly blessed for his fidelity.

GRIN ALONG GANG – Public Domain

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D A D
Grin along gang get gung-ho about Jesus.

D A
Smile sweetly Susan so you send Satan sadly away. (Hey, hey!)

G
Buck up brother Bill because a bunch of bitter boys

D
Became a bunch of better boys behind a big, big smile.

D A D
Grin along gang get gung-ho about Jesus.



HE'S EVERYTHING TO ME – Ralph Carmichael

21

1. G Em C D7
In the stars His handiwork I see,
G Em C D7
On the wind He speaks with majesty,
G G7 C Am G D7
Though He ruleth over land and sea, what is that to me?

2. I will celebrate nativity, for it has a place in history.
Sure He came to set His people free, what is that to me?

CHORUS

C
'Til by faith I met Him face to face,
Bm
And I felt the wonder of His grace,
C
Then I knew that He was more than just
Am D7
A God who didn't care, who lived a way up there and
G Em C D7
Now He walks beside me day by day,
G Em C D7
Ever watching o'er me lest I stray,
G C Am G D7 G
Helping me to find the narrow way, He's everything to me.

Repeat Chorus

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HE'S GOT THE WHOLE WORLD – Traditional

22

1. A
He's got the whole world in His hands,
E7 A
He's got the whole wide world in His hands,
A
He's got the whole world in His hands,
E7 A
He's got the whole world in His hands.

2. He's got you and me, brother, in His hands,
He's got you and me, sister, in His hands,
He's got you and me, brother, in His hands,
He's got the whole world in His hands.

3. He's got the little bitty baby in His hands...

4. He's got all creation in His hands...

5. He's got everybody here in His hands...



HI, I'M YOUR FRIEND – Ray Marnoch

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CHORUS
D G A D
Hi! I'm your friend and I'd like to get to know you.
D G A D
Hey! We're all brothers and sisters in the Lord.
D G A D
Come on and Sing! with me won't you and celebrate Christ's giving
D G A D
Life! to the children in the family of God.

1. D G
Hey, by the way, is the Spirit in you today?
D A
Is it filling your cup, are you drinking it up,
G D
Are you giving it all away?
D G
Ho, Oh don't you know that the Spirit in you will grow?
D A
You'll feel blessed, refreshed and richly blessed
G D
As on its way you go.

14 HOLY, HOLY, HOLY – Source Unknown

24

D A G A G D
Holy, holy, holy, is our Lord God Almighty,
D A G A G D
Who was and who is, and who is to come.
D A G A G D
Glory, glory, glory to our Lord God Almighty,
D A G A G D
Who died and now lives, and who is to come.

D A G
Oh God, fill our hearts with the love of Jesus Christ
D A D A
And you you

Repeat section 1



I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE - Suzanne Toolan

25

A D A
1. I am the Bread of life. You who come to me shall not hunger,
A D A
And who believe in me shall not thirst. No one can come to me
D A
Unless the Father beckons.

CHORUS
A E A D A E
And I will raise you up, and I will raise you up,
A D A E A
And I will raise you up on the last day.

2. The bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world,
And if you eat of this bread, you shall live forever,
You shall live forever.
3. I am the resurrection, I am the life.
If you believe in me, even though you die,
You shall live forever.
4. Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Christ,
The Son of God, who has come into the world,
Who has come into the world.

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I AM THE RESURRECTION – Ray Repp

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CHORUS
A Em A Em C D C A
I am the Resurrection and the Life, all who believe in me will never die.
A Em A Em C D C A
I am the Resurrection and the Life, all who believe in me will live a new life.

A C D A
1. I have come to bring the truth.
C D A
I have come to bring you life.
C D C A
If you believe, then you shall live.
2. In my word all people come to know
It is love which makes the spirit grow.
If you believe, then you shall live.
3. Keep in mind the things that I have said.
Remember me in the breaking of the bread.
If you believe, then you shall live.

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I BELIEVE GOD – Source Unknown

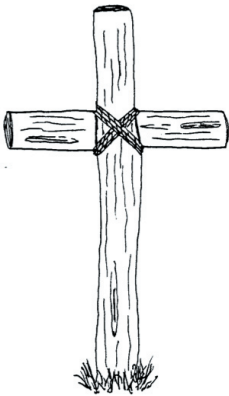
G C
I believe God, I believe God,
G D7
Ask what you will and it shall be done,
G C
Just trust and obey, believe God and say,
G C G C G D7 G
“I believe, I believe, I believe, I believe, I believe, I believe God!”

I CAN RUN THROUGH A TROOP – Source Unknown

G G7
I can run through a troop and leap over a wall,
C G
Alleluia! Alleluia!
G G7
He’s my strength and my shield, he gives power to all,
A D
Alleluia! Alleluia!
G G7 C Am
He’s the rock of my salvation, now there is no condemnation.
G E
I can run through a troop and leap over a wall,
A D G E A D G
Alleluia! Alleluia! Oh yea! Alleluia! Alleluia!

I HAVE DECIDED – Traditional Spiritual

- 1. A
I have decided to follow Jesus,
D A
I have decided to follow Jesus,
A F#m
I have decided to follow Jesus,
A E7 A
No turning back, no turning back.
- 2. Tho’ no one join me, still I will follow (3x)
No turning back, no turning back.
- 3. The world behind me, the cross before me (3x)
No turning back, no turning back.



I LIKE BANANAS (The Papaya Praise Song) – Moyer Mudcheck 30

CHORUS
C Am F G
I like bananas, and I know that mangoes are sweet.
C Am F G
I like papayas, PAPAYAS, but nothing can beat
C Am F G
The sweet love of God, doo doo wap..... (2X)

- 1. C Am F G
You can go to the tropics to find a fruit that’s new.
C Am F G
You can look underwater until your face turns blue.
C Am F G
But look no further, I’ll tell you what to do.
C Am F G
Just look in the Bible, Galatians five twenty-two.
- 2. Well I was walking ‘round in circles five miles an hour,
Tryin’ to find my way back to my Heavenly Father.
The world was sweet, but then it turned sour.
Then I asked God in and received God’s power.
- 3. The fruit of the Spirit from love to self-control,
If you plant it in your heart it will strengthen your soul.
So guard your fruit, and also we are told,
That the fruit you’ve got will rot if it’s left out in the cold.

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I LOVE THE MOUNTAINS - Source Unknown

C Am F G
I love the mountains, I love the rolling hills
C Am F G
I love the flowers, I love the daffodils
C Am F G
I love the fireside, when all the lights are low
C Am F G
Boom-dee-a-da, boom-dee-a-da, boom-dee-a-da, boom-dee-a-da



I WILL MAGNIFY THE LORD – Public Domain

A D A D
I will magnify the Lord (echo)
A D A D
Who is greatly to be praised (echo)
A D A D
I will magnify the Lord (echo)
A D A D
Who is greatly to be praised (echo)
A D A
Hosanna, blessed be the rock,
D A E
Blessed be the rock of my salvation.
A D A
Hosanna, blessed be the rock,
D A E A
Blessed be the rock of my salvation.

I WILL SING OF THE MERCIES – Psalm 89:1

C
I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever,
G7 C
I will sing, I will sing.
C
I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever,
G7 C
I will sing of the mercies of the Lord.
F C G7 C
With my mouth will I make known thy faithfulness, thy faithfulness.
F C G
With my mouth will I make known thy faithfulness to all generations.
C
I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever,
G7 C
I will sing of the mercies of the Lord.



I'M GONNA SING – Traditional Spiritual

- D
1. I'm gonna sing when the Spirit says sing,
A
I'm gonna sing when the Spirit says sing,
D G
I'm gonna sing when the Spirit says sing,
D A7 D
And obey the Spirit of the Lord.
2. I'm gonna shout when the Spirit says shout...
3. I'm gonna pray when the Spirit says pray...

I'VE GOT THE JOY – Public Domain

- D7 G
1. I've got the joy, joy, joy, joy, down in my heart,
D7 G
Down in my heart, down in my heart.
G
I've got the joy, joy, joy, joy, down in my heart,
D7 G G7
Down in my heart to stay.

CHORUS

- G7 C G
And I'm so happy, so very happy,
D7 G G7
I've got the love of Jesus in my heart.
C G
And I'm so happy, so very happy,
D7 G
I've got the love of Jesus in my heart.
2. I've got the love of Jesus, love of Jesus...
3. I've got the peace that passeth understanding...
4. I've got the wonderful love of the Blessed Redeemer deep down in the depths of my heart...



IF I HAD A HAMMER – Lee Hays and Pete Seeger

C Em F G

C Em F G

C Em F

1. If I had a hammer, I'd hammer in the morning,
I'd hammer in the evening all over this land.
I'd hammer out danger, I'd hammer out warning,
I'd hammer out the love between my brothers and my sisters
All . . . over this landooo. . . If I had...

G C Em F G

C Am C Am

F C F C

F C G C Em F G C Em F G

2. If I had a bell, I'd ring it...

3. If I had a song, I'd sing it...

4. Well I've got a hammer, and I've got a bell,
And I've got a song to sing all over this land.
It's a hammer of justice, it's a bell of freedom,
It's a song about the love between my brothers and my sisters
All over this land.

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JACOB'S LADDER – Traditional Spiritual

C

G G7 C

C C7 F C

C G7 C

1. We are climbing Jacob's ladder,
We are climbing Jacob's ladder,
We are climbing Jacob's ladder,
Children of the cross.

2. Ev'ry rung goes higher, higher...

3. Seeker do you love my Jesus?...

4. If you love him, why not serve him?...

5. Rise and shine and give God glory...

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JESUS IS A FRIEND – Source Unknown

G D C G

C G D

G D C G

C G D

1. Jesus is a friend, is a friend next to you
Jesus is a friend so sing along.
Jesus is a friend, is a friend next to you
Jesus is a friend so sing.....

CHORUS

G D C G

C G D

G D C G

C G D G C G

Sing a-la-la-la-la-la-la-le-lu-ia
A-la-la-la-la-le-lu-ia
A-la-la-la-la-le-lu-ia
A-la-la-la-le.....le-lu-ia!

2. Pass a smile around to the one next to you

3. Pass a wink around to the one next to you

4. Clap another's hand, clap the one next to you

5. Pass a hug around to the one next to you.....

JOY IS LIKE THE RAIN – Source Unknown

D G A7 D G A7 D

G D A7 D A7 D

G A7 D

1. I saw raindrops on my window; Joy is like the rain,
Laughter runs across my pane, slips away and comes again,
Joy is like the rain.

2. I saw clouds upon a mountain; Joy is like a cloud,
Sometimes silver, sometimes grey, always sun not far away,
Joy is like a cloud.

3. I saw Christ in wind and thunder; Joy is tried by storm.
Christ asleep within my boat, whipped by wind, yet still afloat,
Joy is tried by storm.

4. I saw raindrops on the river; Joy is like the rain,
Bit by bit the river grows, till all at once it overflows,
Joy is like the rain.

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KING OF KINGS – Traditional

Em
King of kings and Lord of lords
B7 EmB7Em
Glory Hallelujah. (Repeat)
Em
Jesus, Prince of Peace
B7 EmB7Em
Glory Hallelujah. (Repeat)

KUM BA YAH – Traditional African Spiritual

1. Kum ba yah, my Lord, Kum ba yah.
Kum ba yah, my Lord, Kum ba yah.
Kum ba yah, my Lord, Kum ba yah.
Oh, Lord, Kum ba yah.
2. Someone’s crying , Lord, Kum ba yah...
3. Someone’s praying, Lord, Kum ba yah...
4. Someone’s laughing, Lord, Kum ba yah...
5. Someone’s singing, Lord, Kum ba yah...

KUM BA YAH (Rockin’ Version)

CHORUS
D A G D
Kum ba yah, Kum ba yah (2X)
D A G D
Kum ba yah, Kum ba yah (with harmony– 2X)
1. D A G D
Somebody’s cryin’ Lord, Kum ba yah (3X)
Singin’ rain, storm, fire, wind, Kum ba yah!
2. Somebody’s prayin’ Lord, Kum ba yah...
3. Somebody’s laughin’ Lord, Kum ba yah...
4. Somebody’s singin’ Lord, Kum ba yah...



KYRIE ELEISON – Traditional

Kyrie Eleison, Christe Eleison, Kyrie Eleison
Translation: God have mercy, Christ have mercy, God have mercy.

LET US BREAK BREAD TOGETHER – Traditional Spiritual

1. C Am F G C F C
Let us break bread together on our knees.
Em F G
Let us break bread together on our knees.
C C7
When I fall on my knees
F Fm
With my face to the rising sun,
C Am F G C F C
Oh, Lord, have mercy on me.
2. Let us drink wine together on our knees...
3. Let us praise God together on our knees...

LIFE IN JESUS – Source Unknown

CHORUS
D G D G
Oh we’ve got life in Jesus, we’ve got life in Jesus,
D A A7
We’ve got love flowing from our hearts.
D G D G
Wonderful life in Jesus, we’ve got life in Jesus,
D A G D
We’ve got a friend who never will depart.

1. D G
What a friend we have in Jesus,
D A7
All our sins and griefs to bear.
D G
What a privilege to carry
D A G D
If we’ll just take it to the Lord in prayer.
2. Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged
If we’ll just take it to the Lord in prayer.



LIKE A MELODY – Salvation Army

G C
Make my life to be, like a melody,
G D7 G C G
Ever sounding out the message of the cross.
G C
Saviour, let me be, like a melody,
G D7 G
Ever sounding out in days of gain or loss.
C G
With Jesus in my heart no discord can arise,
A D D7
He can make the saddest heart to harmonize.
G C
Saviour, let me be, like a melody,
G D7 G C G
Ever sounding out the message of the cross.

LITTLE BY LITTLE – Source Unknown

1. G
Little by little every day,
C
Little by little in every way
G D D7
My Jesus is changin’ me.
G
Since I made a turn about face
C
I’ve been growin’ in his grace.
G D G C G
My Jesus is changin’ me.
2. G
He’s changin’ me...
C
My precious Jesus
G D D7
I’m not the same person that I used to be.
G
Sometimes it’s slow goin’,
C
But there’s a knowin’
G D G C G
That some day perfect I will be.



LOCK THE DOOR – Source Unknown

- CHORUS
A D A
Lock the door, keep all the evil out.
A E A
Lock the door, keep the devil in the night. (Repeat)
1. A E rA
Hey man! I think I know what you’re saying.
A E A
Hey man! We can work it out. If we just...
2. Hey brother! I think I know what you’re saying.
Hey brother! We can work together. If we just...
3. Hey sister! I think I know what you’re saying.
Hey sister! We can live forever. If we just...

LONG ROAD TO FREEDOM – Sister Miriam Therese Winter

- CHORUS
D G D A7
It’s a long road to freedom, a-winding steep and high.
D G
But when you walk in love with the wind on your wings
D G D G D
And cover the earth with the songs you sing, the miles fly by.
1. D G D
I walked one morning by the sea
Bm A D
And all the waves reached out to me.
G A A7 D
I took their tears and let them be.
2. I walked one morning at the dawn
While bits of night still lingered on.
I sought my star, but it was gone.
3. I walked one morning with a friend
And prayed the day would never end.
The years have flown, so why pretend?
4. I walked one morning with my King,
And all my winters turned to spring,
Yet every moment held its sting.



LORD OF THE DANCE – Sydney Carter

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1. C Am C Am
I danced in the morning when the world was begun,
F G7
And I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun,
C Am C Am
And I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth,
F G F C
At Bethlehem I had my birth.

CHORUS
C Am C Am
Dance, then, wherever you may be,
C Am F G
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he,
C F C Am
And I'll lead you all wherever you may be,
F G C F C
And I'll lead you all in the dance said he.

2. I danced for the scribe and the Pharisee
But they would not dance and they wouldn't follow me.
I danced for the fishermen, for James and John,
They came with me and the dance went on

3. I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame.
The holy people said it was a shame.
They whipped and they stripped and they hung me high,
And they left me there on the cross to die.

4. I danced on a Friday when the sky turned black,
It's hard to dance with the devil on your back.
They buried my body and they thought I'd gone,
But I am the dance and I still go on.

5. They cut me down and I leapt up high.
I am the life that'll never, never die,
I'll live in you if you'll live in me,
I am the Lord of the Dance said he.

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LOVE THE LORD – Public Domain

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1. G
Love the Lord your God
Em
With all your heart and all your soul
C D7
And all your mind and love all humankind

As you would love yourself...

2. G Em
Love...the Lord your God...
C
With all your heart...
D7
And all your soul and mind and love humankind...

3. G Em
We've got Christian lives to live,
C
We've got Jesus love to give,
D7
We've got nothing to hide,

Because in God we all abide

MAGIC PENNY – Malvina Reynolds

52

CHORUS
D A7 D
Love is something if you give it away, give it away, give it away,
D A7 D
Love is something if you give it away, you end up having more.

1. G D
It's just like a magic penny,
A7 D
Hold it tight and you won't have any.
G D
Lend it, spend it, and you'll have so many
E7 A7
They'll roll all over the floor, for...

2. So let's go dancing 'til the break of day,
And if there's a piper, we can pay.
For love is something if you give it away,
You end up having more.

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MAN OF GALILEE – Source Unknown 53

1. G Em Am D
They say I am a dreamer, blind and cannot see,
G C Am D
That life consists of living only to earn money.
G C Am D
Well, if that's what I am Lord, won't you care for me?
G Em Am D7 G
I only want to be like the Man of Galilee.

CHORUS
G Em Am D
I want to be like, I want to hear like, I want to see like
Am D7 G
The Man of Galilee.
G Em Am D
I want to walk like, I want to talk like, I want to live like
Am D7 G C Am D D7 G C G
The Man of Galilee. (The Man of Galilee.)

2. They say I am an idealist, blind and cannot see,
That the principles I cling to, won't stand reality.
Well, if that's what I am Lord, won't you care for me?
I only want to be like the Man of Galilee.

MICHAEL ROW THE BOAT ASHORE – Traditional Spiritual 54

CHORUS
C F C
Michael row the boat ashore– hallelujah
Em F C G7 C
Michael row the boat ashore– hallelujah

1. C F C
Sister help to trim the sail– hallelujah
Em F C G7 C
Sister help to trim the sail– hallelujah
2. Jordan's river is chilly and cold– hallelujah
Chills the body but not the soul– hallelujah
3. The river is deep and the river is wide– hallelujah
Milk and honey on the other side– hallelujah
4. Brother lend a helping hand– hallelujah
Brother lend a helping hand– hallelujah



MMM, I WANT TO LINGER -Source Unknown 55

1. D A
Mmm, I want to linger; Mmm, a little longer,
A D G D
Mmm, a little longer here with you.
2. Mmm, it's such a perfect night; Mmm, it doesn't seem quite right,
Mmm that it should be my last with you.
3. Mmm, come September; Mmm I will remember,
Mmm, the camping days I spent with you.
4. Mmm, and as the years go by; Mmm, I'll think of you and sigh,
Mmm, this is goodnight but not goodbye.

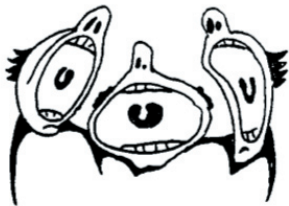
NEW GENERATION - Bruce Jay Paskow of the Washington Squares 56

G C Am D
Oooo . . . Oooo . . . (Repeat)

CHORUS
G C Am D
So be on the lookout, for a new generation,
G C Am D
Coming down strong, filled with inspiration.
G C Am Em D G C G C G C Am D
So be on the lookout for a new . . . generation.

1. G C Am D
Our generation used to care about us,
G C Am D
Now things are different, change them we must.
G C Am D
Fear and desperation confusing and scaring us,
G C Am D
It's time for direction, caring and trust.
2. Freedom is a birthright for all women and men,
Every generation has to win it again.
Love and understanding all covered in dust,
It's time for direction, caring and trust.

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- 1.
- A
Now let us sing (Sing 'til the power of the Lord come down)
A E
Now let us sing (Sing 'til the power of the Lord come down)
A
Lift up your voice (Lift up your voice)
D
Be not afraid (Be not afraid)
A E7 A
Now let us sing, sing 'til the power of the Lord come down.

Additional verses– Now let us: pray, shout, dance, etc.

O BE JOYFUL – Source Unknown

1. A D
O be joyful, O be jubilant,
A E7
Put your sorrows far away.
A D A E7 A
Come rejoice and sing together this happy day!
2. A D A E7
O . . . be . . . joy . . . ful . .
A D A E7 A
O . . . be . . . joyful on this day!
3. A D
O be joyful!
A E7
O be joyful!
A D A E7 A
O be joyful, put your sorrows away!

OH, FREEDOM – Traditional Spiritual

1. D A D Bm E7 A7
Oh, freedom, Oh, freedom, Oh, freedom over me.
 D G E7
And before I'd be a slave I'll be buried in my grave
 D A7 G D
And go home to my Lord where I'm free.
2. No more moaning, no more moaning, no more moaning over me...

Additional verses– There'll be: singing, shouting, praying etc.



PASS IT ON – Kurt Kaiser

1. D F#m G A
It only takes a spark to get a fire going,
 D F#m G A
And soon all those around will warm up to its glowing.
 G D Em A D Bm
That's how it is with God's love once you've experienced it.
 Em D G A D
You spread God's love to everyone, you want to pass it on.
2. D F#m G A
What a wondrous time is spring, when all the trees are budding.
The birds begin to sing, the flowers start their blooming.
That's how it is with God's love once you've experienced it.
You want to sing it's fresh like spring, you want to pass it on.
3. D F#m G A
I wish for you my friend this happiness that I've found.
You can depend on him, it matters not where you're bound.
I'll shout it from the mountain top, I want my world to know
The Lord of love has come to me, I want to pass it on.

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PEACE LIKE A RIVER – Traditional

1. I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river,
D A
I've got peace like a river in my soul.
D G D
I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river,
D A D
I've got peace like a river in my soul.
2. I've got joy like a fountain...
3. I've got love like an ocean...
4. Makes me love everybody...



PHARAOH, PHARAOH – Public Domain

CHORUS

D G A G D G
Pharaoh, Pharaoh, oooh baby, let my people go,
A
Yeah, yeah, yeah. (Repeat)

1. D G A G
Well a burning bush told me just the other day
D G A G
That I should come over here and stay;
D G A G
Gotta get my people out of Pharaoh's hand
D G A
And lead them all to the promised land.

2. Well me 'n God's people goin' to the Red Sea,
And all Pharaoh's army comin' after me.
Well I raised my rod, stuck it in the sand,
And all of God's people walked across dry land.

3. Well old Pharaoh's army was a comin' too,
So what do you think that I did do?
I raised my rod and I cleared my throat,
And all Pharaoh's army did the dead man's float.



PRECIOUS FRIEND – Pete Seeger

G Am7 Gdim G G7 C G Am7 D7
Just when I thought all was lost, you changed my mind.
G Am7 Gdim G B7 Em
You gave me hope, not just the old soft soap,
A7 Am7
You showed that we could learn to share in time,
D7 Daug7
You and me and Rockefeller.
G Am7 Gdim G G7 C B7
I'll keep plugging on, your face will shine through all our tears.
C C#dim G E7
And when we sing another little victory song, we hope that
A7 D7 G E7
Precious friend, you will be there, singing in harmony,
A7 D7 G (Am7 D7)
Precious friend, you will be there. (Repeat)

COUNTER MELODY: – Joe Hampson

The very moment that I / decided / that every /
Success I might have had was gone...
You came along and gave me courage /
And / I / was / rejuvenated and exhilarated...
I absolutely never / could ever / deliver /
Something worthwhile...
But you were such a super teacher / I / learned / to /
Change my style...
You said that I could do it / you said it / I did it /
And after that the rest was easy...
I love the way you light my days...
Let me count the ways...
Let's lift our voices / the world rejoices in a song...
When it's sung together /
Precious friend, you will be there, singing in harmony,
Precious friend, you will be there.

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PSALM 100 – Public Domain

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- D
1. Make a joyful noise unto the Lord. All ye, all ye lands;
G
 Serve the Lord, the Lord with gladness.
A
 Come before God’s presence with singing.
2. Know ye that the Lord is God, It is God who hath made us,
 And not we ourselves,
 We are God’s people and the sheep of God’s pasture.
3. Enter into God’s gates with thanksgiving,
 And into God’s courts with praise,
 Be thankful unto God and bless, bless God’s name.
4. For the Lord, the Lord is good,
 God’s mercy is everlasting,
 God’s truth, God’s truth endureth, endureth to all generations.
5. Thank you Jesus, thank you, thank you Jesus...
6. Hallelujah, glory hallelujah...

QUIET CABIN – Source Unknown

65

- D Em A D
1. Quiet cabin, wind in trees, family so far away.
D Em A D
 On my own now, only me, at the end of day
2. Met some friends I’d never known, now we’re not so all alone.
 God be with us far from home at the end of day.
3. God be with through the night, safe and sleeping in your sight
 ’Til we wake in morning light at the break of day.
4. Quiet cabin, wind in trees, stream and forest sing to me.
 God, a pilgrim I would be through each coming day.



RISE AND SHINE – Traditional

66

- CHORUS
- G C D7
- Rise and shine and give God the glory, glory. (2X)
- G G7 C G
- Rise and shine and give God the glory, glory.
- G D7 G
- Children of the Lord.
1. The Lord told Noah, “There’s gonna be a floody, floody. (2X)
 Get those children out of the muddy, muddy.” Children of the Lord.
2. The Lord told Noah to build an arky, arky, (2X)
 Out of sticks and hickory barky, barky. Children of the Lord.
3. The animals, they came, they came by twosies, twosies. (2X)
 Elephants and kangaroosies, roosies. Children of the Lord.
4. It rained and poured for forty daysies, daysies. (2X)
 Rained and poured till all went crazies, crazies. Children of the Lord.
5. Then Noah sent dove to take a peeky, peeky. (2X)
 Dove came back with a twig in his beaky, beaky. Children of the Lord.
6. Now this is the end, the end of our story, story. (2X)
 Everything is hunky dory, dory. Children of the Lord.

RIVER OF LIFE (Spring Up, Oh Well) – Public Domain

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- D G D
- I’ve got a river of life flowing out of me.
- D E A
- Makes the lame to walk and the blind to see.
- D G D
- Opens prison doors, sets the captive free.
- D A D
- I’ve got a river of life flowing out of me.
- D
- Spring up oh well...within my soul.
- D E A
- Spring up oh well...and make me whole.
- D
- Spring up oh well...and give to me
- G D A D
- That life...abundantly.



SANCTUARY — John W. Thompson, Randy Scruggs 68

D A
O Lord, prepare me, to be a sanctuary
G D A
Pure and holy, tried and true.
D A
And with thanksgiving, I'll be a living
G A D
Sanctuary, for you.
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SENZENINA – South African Protest and Praise Song 69

(Leader) Senzenina Translation:
D Em F#m Em D A D What have we done?
Senzenina, Senze-ni-na, Senzenina, Senzenina.
D Em D A Bm A G A7 D
Senzenina, Senzenina, Senzenina, Senzenina

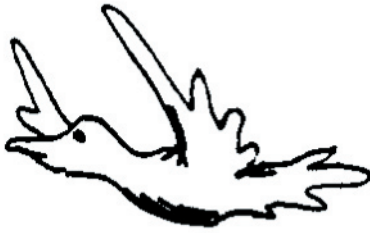
SHALOM – Traditional Hebrew Melody 70

Dm
Shalom Chaverim, Shalom Chaverim,
C Dm
Shalom, Shalom,
Dm Am
Till we meet again, Till we meet again,
Dm A7 Dm
Shalom, Shalom.

SING ALLELUIA TO THE LORD – Linda Stassen 71

Am Em Am Em
1. Sing Alleluia to the Lord...
Am E
Sing Alleluia to the Lord...
Am G F C
Sing Alleluia, Sing Alleluia,
Am E Am
Sing Alleluia to the Lord.
2. Jesus is Lord of heaven and earth...
3. Jesus is living is the church...
4. He's coming back to claim his own...

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SIYAHAMBA – South African Protest and Praise Song 72

D
1. Siyahamb' ekukhanyen' kwenkhos'
A7 D
Siyahamb' ekukhanyen' kwenkhos' (Repeat)
G D
Siyahamba (hamba), Siyahamba, (hamba)
A D
Siyahamb' ekukhanyen' kwenkhos' (Repeat)
2. We are marching in the light of God
We are marching in the light of God (Repeat)
We are marching (marching, we are marching)
We are marching in the light of God (Repeat)
3. Nous marchons dans la lumière de Dieu...
4. Caminamos en la luz de Dios...

SOW SEEDS – TRUST THE PROMISE – Jim Manley 73

Em
1. Sow seeds, trust the promise, uh-huh.
B7
Sow seeds, trust the promise, uh-huh, uh-huh.
Em A Em A
Trust the promise, sow the seeds,
Em
God wants to give you everything you need, uh-huh.
2. Sun come up and the rain come down, uh-huh.
Sun come up and the rain come down, uh-huh, uh-huh.
Sun come up and the rain come down,
Promise is a growin' underground, uh-huh.
3. Use God's world with gentle care, uh-huh...
Love God's people everywhere, uh-huh.

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1.

C

F

C

Spirit of God in the clear running water,

Em

G

G7

Blowing to greatness the trees on the hill.

C

F

G7

F

C

Spirit of God in the finger of morning,

F

C

F

C

G

C

Fill the earth, bring it to birth and blow where you will.

F

Em

F

C

F

C

G7

C

Blow, blow, blow ‘til I be, but breath of the Spirit blowing in me.

2.

Down in the meadow the willows are moaning,

Sheep in the pasture land cannot lie still.

Spirit of God, creation is groaning, fill the earth...

3.

I saw the scar of a year that lay dying,

Heard the lament of a lone whippoorwill.

Spirit of God, see that cloud crying, fill the earth...

4.

Spirit of God, every one’s heart is lonely,

Watching and waiting and hungry still.

Spirit of God, we long that you only, fulfill the earth...

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- CHORUS

D

G

A

D

Spirit, Spirit of gentleness,

Bm

E

A

Blow through the wilderness calling and free.

D

G

A

D

Bm

Spirit, Spirit of restlessness, stir me from placidness,

G

A

D

G

D

Wind, wind on the sea.

1.

D

G

A

G

D

You moved on the waters, you called to the deep,

Bm

E

A

Then you coaxed up the mountains from the valleys of sleep.

D

G

A

G

D

And over the eons you called to each thing,

Bm

G

A

D

G

D

A

Wake from your slumbers and rise on your wings.

2.

You swept through the desert, you stung with the sand,

And you goaded your people with a law and a land.

And when they were blinded with their idols and lies,

Then you spoke through your prophets to open their eyes.

3.

You sang in a stable, you cried from a hill,

Then you whispered in silence when the whole world was still.

And down in the city you called once again

When you blew through your people on the rush of the wind.

4.

You call from tomorrow, you break ancient schemes,

From the bondage of sorrow the captives dream dreams.

Our women see visions, our men clear their eyes,

With bold new decisions your people arise.

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SUSAN’S PRAYER – Source Unknown

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1. G D Em C
Heavenly Father, loving Lord as I come to pray
G D G
I know that you hear each word I say.
G D Em C
Thank you for my family, thank you for my friends.
G D G
They’re so special, please watch over them.

CHORUS
C D Em
And I thank you God, dear Father
C D G
For each creature great and small.
G D G
But I thank you God for Jesus most of all.

2. Heavenly Father, please forgive all my sins I pray.
Help me to be true to you each day.
When I’m lonely or afraid I know you’ll be there.
Thank you that I’m always in your care.

Repeat CHORUS twice

40 SWEET, SWEET SONG OF SALVATION – Larry Norman

77

1. D A
When you know a pretty story you don’t let it go unsaid,
A7 D
You tell it to your children as you tuck them into bed.
D7 G Em
And when you know a wonderful secret you tell it to your friends
D G D A7 D
Because a lifetime filled with happiness is like a street that never ends.

CHORUS
D A
Sing that sweet, sweet song of salvation and let your laughter fill the air,
A7 D
Sing that sweet, sweet song of salvation and tell the people everywhere.
D7 G Em
Sing that sweet, sweet song of salvation to everyone and every nation.
D G D A D
Sing that sweet, sweet song of salvation and let the people know that Jesus cares.

2. Look around you as you sing it there are people everywhere,
And to those who stop and listen this sweet song becomes a prayer.
’Cause when you know a wonderful secret, you tell it to your friends
Tell them that a lifetime filled with Jesus is like a street that never ends.



SWING LOW, SWEET CHARIOT – Traditional Spiritual

78

CHORUS
D G A
Swing low, sweet chariot,
D A7
Comin’ for to carry me home.
D D7 G A
Swing low, sweet chariot,
D A D
Comin’ for to carry me home.

1. I looked over Jordan and what did I see,
Comin’ for to carry me home?
A band of angels comin’ after me,
Comin’ for to carry me home.

2. If you get there before I do
Comin’ for to carry me home.
Tell all my friends I’m comin’ too,
Comin’ for to carry me home.

3. I’m sometimes up and sometimes down,
Comin’ for to carry me home.
But still my soul is heavenly bound,
Comin’ for to carry me home.

SWING LOW, SWEET CHARIOT (Rockin’ Version)

79

CHORUS
D
Swing low (swing low) sweet chariot,
A7 D
Stop by (stop by) and lend me a ride! (Repeat)

1. Well, I looked over Jordan and what did I see? (Stop by...)
A band of angels comin’ after me. (Stop by...)

2. Well, if you get to heaven before I do, (Stop by...)
Tell all my friends that I’m a’comin’ too, (Stop by...)

3. Well, I’m sometimes up, and I’m sometimes down, (Stop by...)
But still my soul is heavenly bound, (Stop by...)



TAKE OFF YOUR SHOES – Jim Manley 80

CHORUS

C E A D7 G C G
Take, take off your shoes, you're standing on holy ground.

C E A7 D7 G
Take, take off your shoes, you're standing on holy ground.

C C7
The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof

F F#dim
From the waters beneath to the heaven's above,

C E A D7 G7 C A
So take, take, take off your shoes, you're standing on my holy ground,

D7 G7 C
You're standing on my holy ground.

1. C7 F
On the eighth day of creation, well. the Lord looked around

C
At the power plants and freeways and the trash on the ground,

D
Plantations growing rubber where the grain should be high,

G G7
You couldn't see the sun for all the smog in the sky.

C E A
Well, kids, you really filled the earth and then you subdued it,

D7 G7
But there's nothing in my book that says you've got to pollute it, So...

2. You've heated up my rivers with your plants and your mills,
You're killing off my oceans with your wastes and your spills,
You're fishing like there'll always be an endless supply,
And fighting one another for what's left to divide.
You didn't want advice when I first gave you dominion,
But maybe now it's time to get a second opinion, So...

3. I dig your scientific minds but use them with care,
You're breaking down my ozone layer up in the air,
Your hyped-up farming's turning southern soil into stone,
And some are eating meat while some don't even get bones.
I told you to be fruitful and you sure multiplied,
But the rich took all the land and never learned to divide, So...

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THE LORD IS RISEN – C.P. Mudd 81

1. G A D G A D
The Lord is risen to life. The Lord is risen to life.

G A D Bm
The Lord has conquered sin and death

G A D
And brought us back to life.

2. The Lord will watch over you.
The Lord will smile when you laugh.
The Lord will care in your moment's loss
And bring you back to life.

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THE PRODIGAL SON – Traditional Hebrew (verse 2– Peter Blood) 82

1. I shall arise and go unto my father
And shall say unto him, "Father, I have sinned
Against heaven and before thee,
And am no more worthy to be called thy son."

2. But he came and raised me up and dried my tears with gladness.
He had fresh bread and good things brought
And laid them out before me,
And sang to God thanksgiving that his son had come home.

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THE U.N. PEACE SONG – Source Unknown 83

Dm Gm Dm
A plea for one world is heard in many different lands.

Dm A7 Dm A7 Dm
This is the plea of a world that is striving for peace.

Dm Gm
Let everyone come together, let everyone come together

Dm A7 Dm A7 Dm
Happily in any weather, pledging their lives for peace.



THERE’S A QUIET UNDERSTANDING – Tedd Smith 84

1. D A Bm F#m
There’s a quiet understanding when we’re gathered in the Spirit,
G D Em A
It’s a promise that he gives us when we gather in his name.
D A Bm F#m
There’s a love we feel in Jesus, there’s a manna that he feeds us,
G D Em A D
It’s a promise that he gives us when we gather in his name.
2. And we know when we’re together, sharing love and understanding
That our brothers and our sisters feel the oneness that he brings.
Thank you, thank you, thank you Jesus, for the way you love and feed us,
For the many ways you lead us, thank you, thank you Lord.
Thank you, thank you Lord.

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THIS LITTLE LIGHT OF MINE – Traditional 85

- CHORUS
G G7
This little light of mine, I’m gonna let it shine,
C G
This little light of mine, I’m gonna let it shine,
G Em
This little light of mine, I’m gonna let it shine,
G D G C G
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.
1. G C
The light that shines is the light of love, Lights the darkness from above;
G D D7
It shines on me and it shines on you, And shows what the power of love can do.
G G7 C Am
I’m gonna shine my light both far and near, I’m gonna shine my light both bright and clear,
G Em G D G
If there’s a dark corner in this land, I’m gonna let my little light shine.
2. Monday he gave me the gift of love;
Tuesday peace came from above;
Wednesday told me to have more faith;
Thursday gave me a little more grace;
Friday told me to watch and pray;
Saturday told me just what to say;
Sunday gave me the power divine
Just to let my little light shine.



THIS PRETTY PLANET – Tom Chapin 86

1. C Dm
This pretty planet, spinning through space,
G F C
Your garden, your harbour, your holy place.
2. C Dm
Golden sun going down,
G F C
Gentle blue giant spin us around.
3. C Dm
All through the night,
G F C
Safe 'til the morning light.

TWO HANDS – Source Unknown 87

1. D E D A D A
We’re all gathered here because we all believe.
D E D A D A
If there’s a doubter in the crowd, we ask you not to leave.
Bm A Bm A
Give a listen to our story. Hear the message that we bring.
Bm A D E
Feel the faith swell up inside you. Lift your voice with us and sing.
- CHORUS
A E
Accept him with your whole heart
F#m D
And use your own two hands.
A D E
With one reach out to Jesus,
D A D A
And with the other . . . bring a friend.
2. Many know him well, but others just by name.
If you don’t know for what he stands, you’ve really much to gain.
With faith you can move mountains. These are common words but true.
Now we aren’t quite a mountain, but he’s moved us here to you.



UNITY — Gerald Derstine 88

- D A Bm G D A

1. Jesus help us live in peace. From our blindness set us free.

D D7 G D Em G D

Fill us with your healing love. Help us live in unity.
2. Many times we disagree o’er what’s right or wrong to do.

It’s so hard to really see from the other’s point of view.
3. How we long for power and fame, seeking every earthly thing,

We forget the one who came as a servant, not a king.

Repeat verse 1.

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WADE IN THE WATER — Traditional Spiritual 89

CHORUS
Wade in the water, wade in the water, children,
Wade in the water. God’s gonna trouble the water.

1. See those people dressed in white, (God’s gonna trouble the water)

They must be the children of the Israelites. (God’s gonna trouble the water)
2. See those people dressed in black,...They come a long way and they ain’t turning back....
3. See those people dressed in blue,... They look like my people coming through...
4. See those people dressed in red,... They must be the children that Moses led....
5. Some say Peter, some say Paul,... There ain’t but one God made them all....



WE ARE ONE IN THE SPIRIT — Peter Scholtes 90

- Em

1. We are one in the Spirit. We are one in the Lord.

Am Em

We are one in the Spirit. We are one in the Lord.

Am Em

And we pray that all unity may one day be restored.

CHORUS
C Em Am
And they’ll know we are Christians by our love, by our love,
Em Am Em
Yes, they’ll know we are Christians by our love.

2. We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand. (2X)

And together we’ll spread the news that God is in our land.
3. We will work with each other, we will work side by side. (2X)

And we’ll guard each one’s dignity and save each one’s pride.
4. All praise to the Father, from whom all things come.

And all praise to Christ Jesus, His only Son,

And all praise to the Spirit who makes us one.

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WONDERFUL, MARVELOUS — Source Unknown 91

D G A D
Wonderful, marvelous is Jesus to me.
D G A D
Sweeter than the honey in the honeycomb is he.
D G A D
Jesus is real, he’ll never fail,
D G A D
I’ll serve him now and throughout all eternity.



YOU DESERVE TO BE SERVED – James Oltean-Lepp

92

1. E B A
We've got busy lives, and forget about each other
F#m A E
Sometimes we just think about ourselves.
B A
Remember all your friends, and all the peeps who love you,
F#m A E
They might need your help more than you think

CHORUS
C#m B A E
I will serve you any time
C#m B A E
I will serve you any way
C#m B A E F#m A E
You deserve to be served by somebody, why not me

2. I'll do what Jesus would do, If you're hungry I'll feed you
If you're happy , then I'm happy to
I'll catch you when you fall, I'll serve when you call
I'll serve you in a game of basketball

3. If life's got you down, if I see you frown
I will always try to be around
I will wash your feet, I'll sub in when you feel too weak
I'll tell you if there's something stuck in your teeth



O SILVER LAKE

93

Text: Unknown, Tune: *The Ash Grove* (trad.)

O Silver Lake how graceful your tall birch trees bending,
The wind through their branches is music to me.
The gleam of the sunlight that flashes on paddles
As swiftly we glide over lake and through stream.
The laugh of the loon and the wail of the whippoorwill,
Memories that stay with us many a year.
Our long journey's ended, our homeward way wended,
With joyful hearts singing to you Silver Lake.



Jesus, I Will Praise You

for the 50th anniversary of Silver Lake Mennonite Camp

Jeff Enns

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Chord progression and melody for "Jesus, I Will Praise You". The score includes guitar chords (E, B/E, E Maj7, B/E, E Maj7, B/E, E, B/E, E Maj7, B/E, E sus4/A, B 7sus4/A) and lyrics: "Je - sus, I will praise you, Spi - rit, I will praise you, Three in one I'll praise you, Je - sus, I will praise you, Spi - rit, I will praise you, Three in one I'll praise you, Je - sus, I will praise you, all the day long. Sing al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia to our God, sing al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia to our God, last time".

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There Am I

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Matthew 18:20

Chord progression and melody for "There Am I". The score includes guitar chords (E, B/E, E Maj7, B/E, E, B/E, E Maj7, B/E, E sus4/A, B 7sus4/A) and lyrics: "For where two or three are gath - ered to - ge - ther in my name, there am I in the midst of them. For when two or three are ga - thered to - ge - ther in my name, there am I in the midst of them. For when two or three are ga - thered to - ge - ther in my name, there am I, there am I, there am I." The score also includes the text "mp free and chant-like" and "mf".

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GRACES

Allelu, Alleluia	Morning is Here
Be Present At Our Table Lord	Praise be to God (tune o’ Windy)
Doxology	Praise God From Whom
Eagles Thank the Lord	Praise We the Father
For Health and Strength	Thaaaank you God (Southern Style)
God Has Created a New Day	Thank you for the World so Sweet
God is Great	Thank you Lord (Tune of Edelweiss)
Johnny Appleseed	

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Jesus Loves Me	HWB 341	
Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence	HWB 463	
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What a Friend We Have in Jesus	HWB 574	
Will You Let Me Be Your Servant	HWB 307	

A SELECTION OF SILLY SONGS

A Hole in the Bottom of the Sea	Make New Friends
A Ramm Samm Samm (A Pizza Hut)	Mama Don’t Allow
Ach, von Der Musica	Martian Hop
Alice the Camel	Mosquitoes and the Bedbugs
An Old Austrian	Musica, Musica, Musica
Apples and Bananas	My Dame Had a Lame Tame Crane
Apples, Peaches, Pumkin Pie	My Paddle/Land of the Silverbirch
At a Time Like This	O Tom the Toad
Bananas Unite	O’Really is Dead
Bill Grogan’s Goat	Old Abram Brown
Boom Boom	One Bottle of Pop
Boy and a Girl (In a Little Canoe)	Orchestra Song, the
Brush Your Teeth	Other Day, The (I Met a Bear)
Chicken Song/Rufus Ruskus	Outtrip Song, The (Pack Out Your Garbage)
Dem Bones	Poor Little Bug On the Wall
Do Your Ears Hang Low	Prune Song, The
Down By the Banks	Purple Stew
Down By the Bay	Rollin’ Over the Billows Row, Row, Row Your Boat
Dum Dum Dada	Sailin’ Up, Sailin’ Down
Father Abraham (Had Seven Sons)	Saraspunda
Gangoo	Second Storey Window, The
Glory, Glory How Peculiar	Singin’ in the Rain
Going On A Lion Hunt	Six Little Ducks
Good Morning Fellow Campers	Swimming
Green Grass Grew All Around, The	Take Me Back to the Happy Land
Happiness Runs	There Ain’t No Flies On Us
Hear the Lively Song of the Frog in Yonder Pond	There was a Crocodile...
Hello Song	There’s a Hole in My Bucket
Hello, My Name is Joe	This Land is My Land
Horsey, Horsey	This Old Man
Humpty Dump	Three Blue Pigeons
I Don’t Like Dead Flies	To stop the Train
I Had a Rooster	Un Sapito (The Frog)
I Said A Boom Chicka Boom	Watermelon Song, The
I Wish I were a Little Bottle of Pop	Way Up In the Sky (the Little Birds Fly)
I’m a Little Piece of Tin	We’re All Together Again
I’ve Got a Head Like a Ping Pong Ball	When I First Came To This Land
If All of the Raindrops	When You’re Happy
If I Had the Wings of a Buzzard	Whynotnchew
If I were Not a Counselor	With Jesus in Your Boat
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It’s Not Hard	You and Me, We’re Gonna Be Partners
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Junior Birdsmen	
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Kookaburra	
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