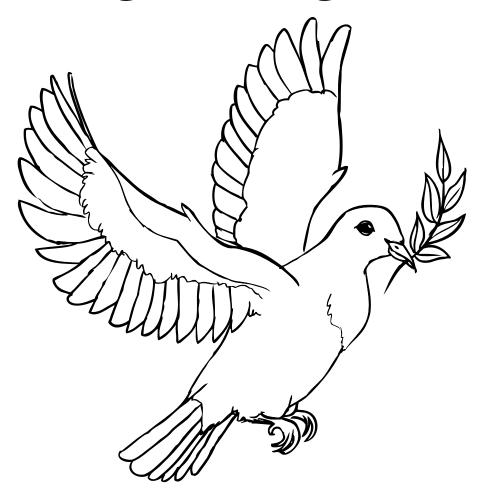


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All Creatures of Our God and King

St. Francis of Assisi and William Henry Draper



All creatures of our God and King,
Lift up your voice and with us sing,
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam,
Thou silver moon with softer gleam!
O praise Him, O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Allelu-u-ia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong, Ye clouds that sail in heav'n along, O praise Him! Alleluia!

Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice, Ye lights of evening, find a voice!

O praise Him, O praise Him!

Alleluia! Alleluia!

And all ye men of tender heart,
Forgiving others, take your part,
O sing ye! Alleluia!
Ye who long pain and sorrow bear,
Praise God and on Him cast your care!
O praise Him, O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Let all things their Creator bless,
And worship Him in humbleness,
O praise Him! Alleluia!

Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
And praise the Spirit, Three in One!
O praise Him, O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia!

All Through the Night

Traditional Welch Song Lyrics—1784



Sleep, my child and peace attend thee,
All through the night
Guardian angels, God will send thee,
All through the night

Soft, the drowsy hours are creeping
Hill and vale, in slumber sleeping,
I, my loving vigil keeping
All through the night.

While the moon, her watch is keeping
All through the night
While the weary world is sleeping
All through the night

O'er thy spirit gently stealing
Visions of delight revealing
Breathes a pure and holy feeling
All through the night.



All Through the Night

Traditional Welch Song Lyrics—1784



All through the night
All for thee, my heart is yearning,
All through the night.

Though sad fate our lives may sever
Parting will not last forever,
There's a hope that leaves me never,
All through the night.

Amazing Grace

Traditional Song Lyrics



Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound,
That saved a wretch like me.
I once was lost but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see.

T'was Grace that taught my heart to fear.
And Grace, my fears relieved.
How precious did that Grace appear
The hour I first believed.

Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come;
'Tis Grace that brought me safe thus far
and Grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me.
His word my hope secures.
He will my shield and portion be,
As long as life endures.

Yea, when this flesh and heart shall fail,
And mortal life shall cease,
I shall possess within the veil,
A life of joy and peace.

When we've been here ten thousand years
Bright shining as the sun.
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we've first begun.



Angels Watching Over Me

Traditional Song Lyrics



All night, all day.

Angels watching over me, my Lord.

All night, all day.

Angels watching over me.

Now I lay me down to sleep, Angels watching over me, my Lord. I pray the Lord my soul to keep, Angels watching over me.

Bless my friends and my family.
Angels watching over me, my Lord.
Bless those people who take care of me.
Angels watching over me.

Angels watching all through the night.
Angels watching over me, my Lord.
Keep me safe until the morning light.
Angels watching over me.



Angels Watching Over Me

Traditional Song Lyrics



All night, all day,
Angels watching over me, my Lord.
All night, all day,
Angels watching over me.

Sun is a-setting in the West; Angels watching over me, my Lord. Sleep my child, take your rest; Angels watching over me.

All night, all day,
Angels watching over me, my Lord.
All night, all day,
Angels watching over me.

Now I lay me down to sleep, Angels watching over me, my Lord. I pray the Lord my soul to keep, Angels watching over me.

All night, all day,
Angels watching over me, my Lord.
All night, all day,
Angels watching over me.



Dem Dry Bones

Traditional Song Lyrics



E-ze-kiel cried, "Dem dry bones!"
E-ze-kiel cried, "Dem dry bones!"
E-ze-kiel cried, "Dem dry bones!"
Oh hear the word of the Lord.

The foot bone connected to theleg-bone,
The leg bone connected to theknee bone,
The knee bone connected to thethigh bone,
The thigh bone connected to theback bone,
The back bone connected to theneck bone
The neck bone connected to thehead bone
Oh hear the word of the Lord!

Dem bones, dem bones gon-na walk a-round Dem bones, dem bones gon-na walk a-round Dem bones, dem bones gonna walk a-round Oh hear the word of the Lord

The head-bone connected to the neck-bone, the neck-bone connected to the back-bone. The backbone connected to the thigh-bone the thighbone connected to the knee-bone the kneebone connected to the leg bone the leg bone connected to the foot bone. Oh hear the word of the Lord



Down By the Riverside

Traditional Song Lyrics—1865



I'm gonna lay down my sword and shield,
Down by the riverside,
Down by the riverside,
Down by the riverside,
I'm gonna lay down my sword and shield
Down by the riverside,
I'll study war no more.

Chorus:

I ain't gonna study war no more, Ain't gonna study war no more.

Chorus

I'm gonna shake hands around the world,
Down by the riverside,
Down by the riverside,
Down by the riverside,
I'm gonna shake hands around the world,
Down by the riverside,
I'll study war no more.

Chorus

Gonna walk with the Prince of Peace,
Down by the riverside,
Down by the riverside,
Down by the riverside,
Gonna walk with the Prince of Peace,
Down by the riverside,
I'll study war no more.



Evening Prayer

Traditional Song Lyrics



When at night I go to sleep,
Fourteen angels watch do keep.
Two my head are guarding,
Two my feet are guiding,
Two are on my right hand,
Two are on my left hand,
Two who warmly cover,
Two who o'er me hover,
Two to point when I arise,
The way to heaven's paradise.

Close your eyes and rest tonight,
Angels keep you in their sight.
Two your head are guarding,
Two your feet are guiding,
Two are on your right hand,
Two are on your left hand,
Two who warmly cover,
Two who o'er you hover,
Two to point when you arise,
The way to heaven's paradise.

Father Abraham

Traditional Song Lyrics



Father Abraham had many sons Many sons had Father Abraham I am one of them and so are you So let's all praise the Lord. Right arm!

Then add:
Right arm, left arm,
Right foot, left foot,
Chin up, turn around,
Sit down!



Go Down Moses

Traditional Song Lyrics



When Israel was in Egypt's Land, Let my people go, Opressed so hard they could not stand, Let my people go.

Chorus:

Go down, Moses, Way down in Egypt's Land. Tell ol' Pharoah, Let my people go.

Thus saith the Lord, bold Moses said,
Let my people go,
If not, I'll smite your first-born dead,
Let my people go.
(Chorus)

No more shall they in bondage toil, Let my people go, Let them come out with Egypt's spoil, Let my people go (Chorus)

The Lord told Moses what to do, Let my people go, To lead the Hebrew children through, Let my people go. (Chorus)

O come along Moses, you'll not get lost,
Let my people go,
Stretch out your rod and come across,
Let my people go.
(Chorus)



Go Down Moses

Traditional Song Lyrics



As Israel stood by the waterside, Let my people go, At God's command it did divide, Let my people go. (Chorus)

When they reached the other shore,
Let my people go,
They sang a song of triumph o'er,
Let my people go.
(Chorus)

Pharaoh said he'd go across,
Let my people go,
But Pharaoh and his host were lost,
Let my people go.
(Chorus)

Jordan shall stand up like a wall, Let my people go, And the walls of Jericho shall fall, Let my people go. (Chorus)

Your foes shall not before you stand, Let my people go, And you'll possess fair Canaan's land, Let my people go. (Chorus)

O let us all from bondage flee, Let my people go, And let us all in Christ be free, Let my people go. (Chorus)

We need not always weep and mourn, Let my people go, And wear these slavery chains forlorn, Let my people go. (Chorus)

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Hava Nashira

Traditional Song Lyrics



Hava nashira, shir' haleluia!

Hava nashira, shir' haleluia!

Hava nashira, shir' haleluia!

Translation from Hebrew: "Let us sing together, sing alleluia."

He's Got the Whole World In His Hands

Songs A Teaching

Traditional Song Lyrics

He's got the whole world in his hands He's got the whole world in his hands He's got the whole world in his hands He's got the whole world in his hands

He's got the wind and the rain in his hands He's got the wind and the rain in his hands He's got the wind and the rain in his hands He's got the wind and the rain in his hands He's got the whole world in his hands

He's got the sun and the moon . . . He's got the little bitty baby . . . He's got you and me brother . . . He's got everybody here . . .



Hineh Ma Tov

Traditional Song Lyrics



Hineh ma tov u'mana'yim, shevet achim gam yachad Hineh ma tov u'mana'yim, shevet achim gam yachad

> Hineh ma tov, shevet achim gam yachad Hineh ma tov, shevet achim gam yachad

> > Psalm 133. Translation from Hebrew:

"Behold how good and pleasant it is for brothers and sisters to live together in unity"

I'm On My Way

Traditional Song Lyrics



I'm on my way to the freedom land
I'm on my way to the freedom land
I'm on my way to the freedom land
I'm on my way, praise God
I'm on my way.

I See the Moon

Traditional Song Lyrics



I see the moon (and) the moon sees me
The moon sees the somebody I'd like to see
God Bless the moon and God Bless me
And God Bless the somebody I'd like to see.

It seems to me that God above
Created you for me to love
He picked you out from all the rest
Because he knew I loved you best

I once had a heart as good as new But now it's gone from me to you Take care of it as I have done For you have two and I have none

If I get to heaven and you're not there
I'll carve your name on a golden stair
A way up high for all to see
Just how much you mean to me



I've Got the Joy, Joy, Joy, Joy

Traditional Song Lyrics



I've got the joy, joy, joy, joy
Down in my heart (Where?)
Down in my heart (Where?)
Down in my heart
I've got the joy, joy, joy, joy
Down in my heart (Where?)
Down in my heart to stay

And I'm so happy
So very happy
I've got the love of Jesus in my heart
And I'm so happy
So very happy
I've got the love of Jesus in my heart

I've got the peace that passes understanding down in the depths of my heart...

I've got the wonderful love of my blessed redeemer way down in the depths of my soul...

Well, if the devil doesn't like it he can sit on a tack...



Johnny Appleseed

Traditional Song Lyrics



(Earth)

Oh, the earth is good to me,

and so I thank the earth,

For giving me the things I need:

The sun, the rain, and the apple seed.

The earth is good to me.

(Lord)

Oh, the Lord is good to me.

And so I thank the Lord

For giving me the things I need:

The sun and the rain and the apple seed;

The Lord is good to me.



Joshua

Traditional Song Lyrics



Chorus:

Joshua fought the battle of Jericho, Jericho, Jericho Joshua fought the battle of Jericho and the walls came a-tumbling down

> You may talk about your men of Gideon You may talk about the men of Saul But there's none like good old Joshua at the battle of Jericho (that mornin')

> > (Chorus)

Up to the walls of Jericho
They marched with spears in hand
"Come blow them ram horns," Joshua said
"'Cause the battle is in our hands."

(Chorus)

Then the lamb ram sheep horns began to blow
The trumpets began to sound
Joshua commanded the children to shout
and the walls came a-tumblin' down (that mornin')

Joshua fought the battle of Jericho, Jericho Joshua fought the battle of Jericho and the walls came a-tumbling down

Joshua fought the battle of Jericho, Jericho, Jericho Joshua fought the battle of Jericho and the walls came a-tumbling down



Kumbaya

Traditional Song Lyrics



Kumbayah my Lord, kumbayah Kumbayah my Lord, kumbayah Kumbayah my Lord, kumbayah Oh Lord, kumbayah

Someone's sleeping, my Lord, kumbaya Someone's sleeping, my Lord, kumbaya Someone's sleeping, my Lord, kumbaya Oh Lord, kumbaya

Someone's dreaming, my Lord, kumbaya Someone's dreaming, my Lord, kumbaya Someone's dreaming, my Lord, kumbaya Oh Lord, kumbayah

Someone's crying, my Lord, kumbaya Someone's crying, my Lord, kumbaya Someone's crying, my Lord, kumbaya Oh Lord, kumbaya

Someone's laughing, my Lord, kumbaya Someone's laughing, my Lord, kumbaya Someone's laughing, my Lord, kumbaya Oh Lord, kumbaya

Someone's singing, my Lord, kumbaya Someone's singing, my Lord, kumbaya Someone's singing, my Lord, kumbaya Oh Lord, kumbaya

Come by here, my Lord, kumbaya Come by here, my Lord, kumbaya Come by here, my Lord, kumbaya Oh Lord, kumbaya

Kumbayah my Lord, kumbayah Kumbayah my Lord, kumbayah Kumbayah my Lord, kumbayah Oh Lord, kumbayah



Oh Mary, Don't You Weep

Traditional Song Lyrics



If I could, I surely would Stand on the rock where Moses stood Pharoah's army got drownded Oh, Mary, don't you weep

Chorus:

Oh, Mary, don't you weep, don't you mourn Oh, Mary, don't you weep, don't you mourn Pharoah's army got drownded Oh, Mary, don't you weep

Moses stood on the Red Sea shore Smotin' the water with a two by four Pharoah's army...

The Lord told Moses what to do To lead those Hebrew children through Pharoah's army...

Chorus

God gave Noah the rainbow sign No more water, but the fire next time Pharoah's army...

Mary wore three links of chain Every link was in freedom's name Pharoah's army...

Chorus

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Oh Mary, Don't You Weep

Traditional Song Lyrics



When I get to Heaven, gonna sing & shout Nobody up there to put me out!

Pharoah's army...

One of these mornings, it won't be long You're gonna call my name but I'll be gone Pharoah's army...

Chorus

One of these days, about 12 o'clock This old world's gonna reel & rock Pharoah's army...

One of these days, in the middle of the night People gonna rise up and set things right Pharoah's army...

Chorus

It was Moses, first proved the notion: The world is safer with the army in the ocean... Pharoah's army...

Chorus



Rise and Shine (Children of the Lord)

Traditional Song Lyrics



Chorus:

So, rise and shine
And give God the glory, glory
Rise and shine
And give God the glory, glory
Rise and shine
And give God the glory, glory
Children of the Lord

The Lord said to Noah:
There's gonna be a floody, floody
The Lord said to Noah:
There's gonna be a floody, floody
Get those children out of the muddy, muddy
Children of the Lord

Chorus

The Lord told Noah
To build him an arky, arky
The Lord told Noah
To build him an arky, arky
Build it out of gopher barky, barky
Children of the Lord

Chorus

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Rise and Shine (Children of the Lord)

Traditional Song Lyrics



The animals they came in,
They came in by twosies, twosies
The animals they came in,
They came in by twosies, twosies
Elephants and kangaroosies, roosies
Children of the Lord

Chorus

It rained and it poured
For forty daysie, daysies
It rained and it poured
For forty daysies, daysies
Almost drove those animals crazy, crazies,
Children of the Lord

Chorus

The sun came out and
It dried up the landy landy
The sun came out and
It dried up the landy landy
Everything was fine and dandy, dandy
Children of the Lord

Chorus



Simple Gifts

Traditional Song Lyrics



'Tis the gift to be simple,

'Tis the gift to be free,

'Tis the gift to come down where you ought to be,
And when we find ourselves in the place just right,

'Twill be in the valley of love and delight.

Refrain:

When true simplicity is gained,
To bow and to bend we shan't (will not) be ashamed.
To turn, turn will be our delight,
'Til by turning, turning we come round right.

Swing Low, Sweet Chariot

Traditional Song Lyrics



Swing low, sweet chariot
Coming for to carry me home
Swing low, sweet chariot
Coming for to carry me home

I looked over Jordan, and what did I see Coming for to carry me home A band of angels coming after me Coming for to carry me home

> Swing low, sweet chariot Coming for to carry me home Swing low, sweet chariot Coming for to carry me home

If you get there before I do
Coming for to carry me home
Tell all my friends I'm coming, too
Coming for to carry me home

Swing low, sweet chariot Coming for to carry me home Swing low, sweet chariot Coming for to carry me home



Swing Low, Sweet Chariot

Traditional Song Lyrics



I'm sometimes up and sometimes down Coming for to carry me home But still my soul feels heavenly bound Coming for to carry me home

> Swing low, sweet chariot Coming for to carry me home Swing low, sweet chariot Coming for to carry me home

The brightest day that I can say
Coming for to carry me home
When Jesus washed my sins away
Coming for to carry me home

Swing low, sweet chariot Coming for to carry me home Swing low, sweet chariot Coming for to carry me home

If I get there before you do
Coming for to carry me home
I'll cut a hole and pull you through
Coming for to carry me home



Taps (Day is Done)

Traditional Song Lyrics



Fading light dims the sight
And a star gems the sky, gleaming bright
From afar drawing nigh,
Falls the night.

Day is done, gone the sun
From the lakes, from the hills, from the sky
All is well, safely rest;
God is nigh.

Then goodnight, peaceful night;
Till the light of the dawn shineth bright.
God is near, do not fear,
Friend, goodnight.



This Little Light of Mine

Traditional Song Lyrics



Chorus:

This little light of mine,
I'm gonna let it shine.
This little light of mine,
I'm gonna let it shine.
This little light of mine,
I'm gonna let it shine.
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

I've got gratitude in my heart.
I'm gonna let it shine.
I've got gratitude in my heart.
I'm gonna let it shine.
I've got gratitude in my heart.
I'm gonna let it shine.
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Chorus

Nothing can take my light away.

I'm gonna let it shine.

Nothing can take my light away.

I'm gonna let it shine.

Nothing can take my light away.

I'm gonna let it shine.

Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.



This Little Light of Mine

Traditional Song Lyrics



Chorus

Sing out loud, and let it show.
I'm gonna let it shine.
Sing out loud, and let it show.
I'm gonna let it shine.
Sing out loud, and let it show.
I'm gonna let it shine.
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Chorus

God put happiness in my soul.
I'm gonna let it shine.
God put happiness in my soul.
I'm gonna let it shine.
God put happiness in my soul.
I'm gonna let it shine.
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Chorus



This Train Is Bound For Glory

Traditional Song Lyrics



This train is bound for glory, this train,
This train is bound for glory, this train,
This train is bound for glory,
Don't ride nothin' but the righteous and holy
This train is bound for glory, this train.

This train don't carry no gamblers, this train,
This train don't carry no gamblers, this train,
This train don't carry no gamblers
No hypocrites, no midnight ramblers,
This train is bound for glory, this train.

This train don't carry no liars, this train,
This train don't carry no liars, this train,
This train don't carry no liars,
Truth is what the Lord desires,
This train is bound for glory, this train.

This train is bound for glory, this train,
This train is bound for glory, this train,
This train is bound for glory,
Don't ride nothin' but the righteous and holy
This train is bound for glory, this train.



Wade In the Water

Traditional Song Lyrics



Chorus
Wade in the water.
Wade in the water, children.
Wade in the water.
God's gonna trouble the water.

Who are these children all dressed in red?
God's gonna trouble the water
Must be the children that Moses led
God's gonna trouble the water.

Chorus

Who's that young girl dressed in white Wade in the Water

Must be the Children of Israelites

God's gonna trouble the Water.

Chorus

Jordan's water is chilly and cold. God's gonna trouble the water. It chills the body, but not the soul. God's gonna trouble the water.

Chorus

If you get there before I do.
God's gonna trouble the water.
Tell all of my friends I'm coming too.
God's gonna trouble the water.

Chorus



We Shall Not Be Moved

Traditional Song Lyrics



(Chorus:)

We shall not, we shall not be moved
We shall not, we shall not be moved
Just like a tree that's standing by the water
[1st time: that's planted by the water]
We shall not be moved

The union is behind us, we shall not be moved....

(Chorus)

Black and white together, we shall not be moved...

(Chorus)

Stand and fight together, we shall not be moved...

(Chorus)



When The Saints Go Marching In

Traditional Song Lyrics



Oh, when the saints go marching in Oh, when the saints go marching in Oh, how I want to be in that number When the saints go marching in

Oh, when the trumpet sounds its call Oh, when the trumpet sounds its call Oh, how I want to be in that number When the trumpet sounds its call

Oh, when the saints come marching in Oh, when the saints come marching in Oh yes, I want to be in that number When the saints go marching in

Who Did Swallow Jonah?

Traditional Song Lyrics



Who did, who did,
Who did swallow Jo, Jo, Jonah,
Who did, who did,
Who did, who did,
Who did swallow Jo, Jo, Jonah,
Who did, who did,
Who did, who did,
Who did swallow Jo, Jo, Jonah,
Who did swallow Jo, Jo, Jonah,
Who did swallow Jonah,
Who did swallow Jonah down?

(The) whale did, whale did,
Whale did swallow Jo, Jo, Jonah,
Whale did, whale did,
Whale did, whale did,
Whale did swallow Jo, Jo, Jonah,
Whale did, whale did,
Whale did, whale did,
Whale did swallow Jo, Jo, Jonah,
Whale did swallow Jo, Jo, Jonah,
Whale did swallow Jonah,
Whale did swallow Jonah,
Whale did swallow Jonah down.



You Gotta Sing

Traditional Song Lyrics



You gotta sing when the spirit says sing.

You gotta sing when the spirit says sing.

When the spirit says sing you gotta sing right a long

You gotta sing when the spirit says sing.