GRASS ROOTS!

by Joyce Johnson Rouse

How you gonna stop a nuclear plant? Grass Roots! Grass Roots!
How you gonna save the wilderness land? Grass Roots! Grass Roots!
How you gonna pass some better laws? Attract the masses to the cause?
Get some rules with teeth and claws? Grass Roots! Grass Roots!

How you gonna teach sustainability? Grass Roots! Grass Roots!
How you gonna set the salmon free? Grass Roots! Grass Roots!
How you gonna protect the turtle babes? How do you save the Indian graves?
How we gonna get the suits to behave? Grass Roots! Grass Roots!

How we gonna build the soil again? Grass Roots! Grass Roots!
How we gonna save the Grizzly's den? Grass Roots! Grass Roots!
How we gonna keep the forest intact? How we gonna put the wetlands back?
How we gonna walk the eco-track? Grass Roots! Grass Roots!

How we gonna save the canyon walls? Grass Roots! Grass Roots!
How we gonna save the water falls? Grass Roots! Grass Roots!
How we gonna keep the reefs alive? Protect a place for the otter to dive?
Make sure the Everglades survive? Grass Roots! Grass Roots!

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