

Primary Days of Music 2020

O Canada!

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O Canada,

Our home and native land!

True patriot love in all of us command.

With glowing hearts we see thee rise,

The true north strong and free!

From far and wide, O Canada,
We stand on guard for thee.

God keep our land glorious and free.
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

O Canada!

Terre de nos aïeux,

Ton front est ceint de fleurons glorieux!

Car ton bras sait porter l'épée,

Il sait porter la croix!

Ton histoire est une épopée
Des plus brillants exploits.

Et ta valeur, de foi trempée,
Protégera nos foyers et nos droits.
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Coast Salish Anthem (Chief Dan George Prayer Song)

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Ho hi lo hi lo ho o hay

Ho hi lo hi lo ho o hay

Ha hay la ha a ha a

Hai hai hai ha ay la

Ha ha a hay a hay

Way Up the Ucletaw

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Verse 1: Come, all you bull-necked loggers,
And hear me sing my song,
For it is very short
And it will not keep you long.

Chorus: We had blankets for to travel, biscuits for to chaw.
We were in search of pitchbacks' 'way up the Ucletaw.



Verse 2: We're leaving Vancouver
With sorrow, grief and woe,
Heading up the country
A hundred miles or so.



Chorus: We had blankets for to travel, biscuits for to chaw.
We were in search of pitchbacks' way up the Ucletaw.

Verse 3: We hired fourteen loggers,
And we hired a man to saw.
We had a greenhorn cook,
And he run the hotcakes raw.



Chorus: We had blankets for to travel, biscuits for to chaw.
We were in search of pitchbacks' way up the Ucletaw.

Oh, Lord, I Want Two Wings

Oh, Lord, I want two wings to cover my face,

Oh, Lord, I want two wings to cover my face,

Oh, Lord, I want two wings to cover my face

And the world can do me no harm.

Oh, Lord, I want two shoes to cover my feet,

Oh, Lord, I want two shoes to cover my feet,

Oh, Lord, I want two shoes to cover my feet,

And the world can do me no harm.

Oh, Lord, I want a happy song in my heart,
Oh, Lord, I want a happy song in my heart,
Oh, Lord, I want a happy song in my heart,
And the world can do me no harm.

Oh, Lord, I want a golden harp to play,
Oh, Lord, I want a golden harp to play,
Oh, Lord, I want a golden harp to play,
And the world can do me no harm.

Oh, Lord, I want two wings to fly away,
Oh, Lord, I want two wings to fly away,
Oh, Lord, I want two wings to fly away,
And the world can do me no harm.

All the Pretty Little Horses

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Hush-a-by, don't you cry,

Go to sleep my little baby.

When you wake, you shall have

All the pretty little horses.

Black and bay, dapple and grey,

All the pretty little horses.

Hush-a-by, don't you cry,

Go to sleep my little baby.

In your bed, Momma has said,
Baby's riding off to dreamland,
One by one, watch them run,
Runnin' free for little baby.

*Black and bay, dapple and grey,
All the pretty little horses.
Hush-a-by, don't you cry,
Go to sleep my little baby.*

Hush-a-by, don't you cry,
Go to sleep my little baby.
When you wake, eat some cake,
And ride them pretty little horses.

*Black and bay, dapple and grey,
All the pretty little horses.*

*Hush-a-by, don't you cry,
Go to sleep my little baby.*

Let Us Sing Together

Let us sing together, let us sing together, one and all a joyous song.

Let us sing together, one and all a joyous song.

Let us sing again and again, let us sing again and again,
Let us sing again and again, one and all a joyous song.

Green Sally Up

Green Sally up, Green Sally down,
Green Sally baked her possum brown.

I asked my mother for 15 cents
To see the elephant jump the fence.

She jumped so high, she touched the sky.
She didn't come back 'til the 1st of July.

Green Sally up, Green Sally down,
Green Sally baked her possum brown.

The Quartermaster's Store

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There were rats, rats, big as alley cats in the stores, in the stores.

There were rats, rats, big as alley cats in the Quartermaster's stores.

Chorus

My eyes are dim, I cannot see.

I have not brought my specs with me. I have not brought my specs with me.

Verse 2: socks, socks, dirty smelly socks



Verse 3: cheese, cheese, green as garden peas

Verse 4: mice, mice playing in the rice



Throw Catch

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Throw catch, throw catch,

Throw catch, jikeleza

Throw catch, throw catch,

Throw catch, jikeleza

Na na na na na na na, na na na na na na na,

Na na na na na na na, jikeleza

Na na na na na na na, na na na na na na na,

Na na na na na na na, jikeleza

The Moon

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Oh moon shining in the night,
Oh moon are you listening?
Oh moon silvery and bright,
Come again tomorrow night.
Come again tomorrow night.

Night time will soon be done,
Bringing the morning sun.
Where will you go?
What will you do?
While you are gone I'll wait for you.

Oh moon (oh moon) shining in the night (shining in the night),
Oh moon (oh moon) are you listening (are you listening)?
Oh moon (oh moon) silvery and bright (silvery and bright),
Come again tomorrow night (come again tomorrow night).
Come again tomorrow night (tomorrow night).

Daylight is coming soon.
Where will you go oh moon?
Over a cloud? Under a hill?
See you tomorrow night, I will.

Div. 7, 10, 11(1/2), 12,
Div. 8, 9, 11 (1/2), 13
Everyone

Oh moon (oh moon) oh moon.
Oh moon (oh moon) oh moon.
Oh moon. Moon.

Why We Sing

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Verse 1:

A sound of hope, a sound of peace,
A sound that celebrates and speaks what we believe.
A sound of love, a sound so strong.
It's amazing what is given when we share a song.

Chorus:

This is why we sing, why we lift our voice,
Why we stand as one in harmony.
This is why we sing, why we lift our voice.
Take my hand and sing with me.

Div. 7, 10, 11^(1/2), 12,
Div. 8, 9, 11^(1/2), 13
Everyone

Verse 2:

Soothe a soul, (soothe a soul), mend a heart, (mend a heart),
Bring together lives that have been torn apart.
Share the joy, (share the joy), find a friend, (find a friend),
It's a never ending gift that circles back again.

Chorus:

This is why we sing, why we lift our voice,
Why we stand as one in harmony.

This is why we sing, why we lift our voice.
Take my hand and sing with me.

Music builds a bridge. It can tear down a wall.
Music is a language that can speak to one and all.

Chorus:

This is why we sing, why we lift our voice,
Why we stand as one in harmony.
This is why we sing, why we lift our voice.
Take my hand and sing with me.
This is why we sing! This is why
We sing! This is why we sing!