

### **Welcome**

Welcome, welcome!  
Welcome to Kickapoo Kamp!  
Welcome, welcome!  
We're glad you're at Kickapoo Kamp!  
If there's anything we can do for you,  
Have lots of fun and lots of pleasures too.  
So welcome, welcome, welcome  
To Kickapoo Kamp!

### **Prayers**

#### **A.M.**

Father, we thank, Thee, for the night  
And for the blessed morning light,  
For rest and food and loving care  
And all that makes the world so fair. Amen.

#### **P.M.**

We thank Thee, Lord, for daily bread,  
As by Thy grace our souls are fed.  
Help us to grow more like to Thee  
This day and through eternity. Amen.

### **Rest Hour**

Rest Hour! Rest Hour!  
How we love our Rest Hour!  
No reading, no writing, no wiggling.  
No walking, no talking, no giggling.  
Two hours a day for three whole weeks,  
Trying to rest on a bed that squeaks.  
I'll murder the one who ever speaks  
To me on that awful Rest Hour!

### **Taps**

Green trees around you, Blue skies above  
Friends all around you  
In a world filled with love  
Taps sounding softly, Hearts beating true  
As campers sing good night to you.  
Day is done, gone the sun,  
From the lakes, from the hills, from the skies.  
All is well, safely rest. God is nigh.  
Good night!

### **Cooks' Song**

Cookies! Cookies!  
Listen while we sing to you!  
Cookies! Cookies!  
You're a part of camp life too!  
Anyone can make a bed,  
Anyone can sweep.  
But it takes a cookie  
to make good things to eat!  
So cookies, cookies!  
Listen while we sing to you!

### **Kickapoo Loyalty Song**

We're strong for Kamp Kickapoo  
K-I-C-KA-P-O-O  
The girls are the fairest,  
The counselors the squarest  
Of any old camp that we know!  
We're strong for Kamp Kickapoo,  
The camp where the friendships grow.  
No matter the weather  
We'll all stick together for  
K-I-C-KA-P-O-O

### **Cherokee Loyalty Song**

Cherokees are always loyal,  
Ever strong and true.  
They are honest in their doings  
And are never blue.  
They lead the rest in all that's best.  
Their good works never cease.  
Say! We will always strive to please you;  
We're the Cherokees!

### **Choctaw Loyalty Song**

The dearest tribe of all the tribes  
In this whole kamp to me,  
It is the tribe of the truest blue,  
The fulfillment of all our dreams.  
It has the fight! It has the might!  
And it will surely win!  
Through thick and thin,  
We'll wear a grin  
For the dear old Choctaw tribe.

### **The Call of the Fire**

The call of the fire  
Comes to us through the shadows  
That follow the close of the day.  
Its flames bring us peace—  
And a calmness of spirit—  
That drives all our troubles away.  
We're thankful for days  
And the joys that they bring us,  
For nights and the rest that they bring.  
May we go on believing  
In this love we're receiving  
Just now 'round the fire as we sing—  
Each campfire lights anew  
The flames of friendship true.  
The joys we've had in knowing you  
Will last our whole lives through.  
And as the embers fade away,  
We wish that we might not never stray.  
But since we cannot have our way,  
We'll come again some other day.  
Hmmm..hmmm...

### **White Wings**

White wings, they never grow weary.  
They carry me cheerily over the sea.  
Night falls, I long for my deary.  
I spread out my white wings  
And sail home to thee.

### **I Wanna Linger**

Mmmm, I wanna linger  
Mmmm, a little longer  
Mmmm, a little longer here with you.  
Mmmm, it's such a perfect night  
Mmmm, it doesn't seem quite right  
Mmmm, that this should be my last with you.  
Mmmm, and come September  
Mmmm, I will remember  
Mmmm, our camping days and friendships true.  
Mmmm, and as the years go by,  
Mmmm, I'll think of you and sigh.  
Mmmm, This is good night and not goodbye.

### **Aloha-A**

"Aloha A!" We campers say!  
We love you and we hope that you'll remember  
Each heart so true,  
Each thought of you,  
Until we meet again.  
I met her on the beach in Honolulu—  
She was a girl who could do the hula.  
She was a dancer, she was a prancer.  
She was a cutie, a real beauty.  
Wasn't any need for much improvement.  
She had a need for every movement.  
Say, "Aloha!" Won't you come to Kickapoo?  
((split into tribe rounds))

### **Mary Jane**

I was shipwrecked on the Mary Jane,  
On the Isle of Eskimo, ho ho!  
You were my oochi-coochie sweetie pie,  
And I don't care if we ever get back  
'Cause we'll build a bungalow big enough for two—  
Big enough for two, my honey,  
Big enough for us together.  
And when we're married, happy we'll be  
Underneath the bamboo,  
Underneath the bamboo tree.  
Boom-boom boom-boom  
Boom boom boom boom boom boom!  
If you'll be M-I-N-E mine  
I'll be T-H-I-N-E thine.  
And I'll L-O-V-E love you  
All the T-I-M-E time.  
You are the B-E-S-T best  
Of all the R-E-S-T rest.  
And I'll L-O-V-E love you  
All the T-I-M-E time,  
Rack em-up sack em-up  
Any ole time.  
Someone's been giving you lessons in love.  
You were like an inspiration  
Sent from heaven above!  
That last kiss you gave me sure was a winner,  
You're no beginner.  
Someone's been here before!

### **Forever and Ever**

Forever and ever, our hearts will be true.  
Forever, Kickapoo, I'll dream of you.  
The friends we have made here  
We'll never forget.  
Let's seal it with a vow  
That we will ne'er regret.  
Let memories be memories forever—  
We'll live them all once again.  
So let's tell the world all the joys we have had  
This summer with you at Kickapoo.

### **Love Grows Under**

Love grows under the wide oak tree;  
Sugar flows like candy.  
Top of the mountain shines like gold,  
As you kiss your little fellow kinda handy.  
Dreams, dreams, sweet dreams—  
One for you and one for me.  
Dreams, dreams, sweet dreams  
Under the wide oak tree.  
Hey!  
((Repeat 1x faster))

### **The Happy Wanderer**

Oh, I love to go a-wandering  
    along the mountain track  
And as I go, I love to swing  
    my knapsack on my back  
((Cherries start--Chocs repeat))  
\*Valderie, Valderah  
Valderie, Valderah ha ha ha ha ha  
Valderie, Valderah  
My knapsack on my back.

I wave my hand to all I see,  
And they wave back to me.  
And black birds call so loud and clear  
From every green wood tree.

\*—CHORUS—

Oh, may I go a-wandering until the day I die.  
And as I go, I'll love to sing  
Beneath God's clear blue sky.

\*—CHORUS—

### **You are My Sunshine**

\*You are my sunshine, my only sunshine!  
You make me happy when skies are gray!  
You'll never know, dear,  
How much I love you!  
Please don't take my sunshine away!

The other night, dear, as I was sleeping  
I dreamt I held you in my arms.  
When I awoke, dear, I was mistaken.  
So I hung my head down and cried.

\*—CHORUS—

### **Swimming**

Swimming, swimming in a swimming hole—  
When days are hot, when days are cold  
In a swimming hole:  
Breaststroke, sidestroke, fancy diving, too!  
Oh, don't you wish that you could have  
Nothing else to do? But!!  
((Mmmm with motions))...but!!  
((Just motions))...but!!

### **Horsie**

Horsie, Horsie, on your way.  
We've been together for many a day.  
So let your tail go swish  
And your wheels go round.  
Giddy-up: we're Kickapoo bound!  
I like to take a horse and buggy.  
I like to ride all over kamp.  
I like to hear little KK go clip-clop.  
I like to see those wheels go round.

### **Mister Moon**

Mister moon, moon, bright and shiny moon,  
Won't you please shine down on me?  
Oh, Mister Moon, moon, bright and shiny moon,  
Hiding behind those trees—

All these girls are telling you  
To Kickapoo Kamp we'll ever be true!  
So Mister Moon, moon, bright and shiny moon,  
Won't you please shine down on—  
Talk about shine'n—  
Won't you please shine down on me? Oh yeah!

### **John Jacob's Jingle**

John Jacob Jingleheimer Schmidt:  
His name is my name too, three, four, five.  
Whenever we go out, the people always shout  
"There goes John Jacob Jingleheimer Schmidt!"  
Da da da da da da!  
((Repeat quieter each time))

### **Canoe**

Oh, what you gonna do in a little canoe  
With the moon shining all around?  
As he plied his paddles,  
Couldn't even hear a sound.  
So they talked and they talked  
'Til the moon grew dim.  
He said, "You better kiss me or  
Get out and swim!"  
So, what you gonna do in a little canoe  
With the moon shining all around?

Oh, what you gonna do in a little canoe  
With the moon shining all around?  
As he plied his paddles,  
Couldn't even hear a sound.  
So they talked and they talked  
'Til the moon grew dim.  
He said, "You better kiss me or  
Get out and swim!"  
So, what you gonna do in a little canoe  
With the moon shining all-a,  
Canoes rockin' all-a,  
Girls swimming all-a-round!  
Oh, Yeah!

### **I – I – I**

I – I – I want you to know  
I need you.  
And I – I – I want you to know  
It's true:  
There's no-no-no-no way I'd make it  
without you.  
It's so good to know  
that I've got a friend like...  
((\*Repeat and Clap\*))  
((\*Repeat and Dance\*))...  
You!

### **Wah Tah Ho**

Wah tah ho tah ho  
Wah tah ho tah ho (echo)  
Wah oot tah ho  
Nah we tahn a lo  
Wah oot tah ho  
Nah we tahn a lo  
Mah a na we  
Zoo mee tet na nee  
Mah an na we  
Zoo mee tet na nee  
Wah tah ho tah ho  
Wah tah ho tah ho (echo)

### **Kickapoo Is**

\*Kickapoo is  
Kickapoo is  
Kickapoo is, let me tell you ((clap)),  
Different things to different campers—  
That's what Kickapoo is.

To the riders, it's a long trail ride.  
To the swimmers, why it's the Turtle Creek.  
To the tribes, it's winning the blanket.  
To the counselors, it's a whole day off,  
A whole day off!

### **\*—CHORUS—**

To the Pawnees, it's a long rest hour.  
To the cooks, well it's a buffet meal.  
To the campers, it's Larry's grape ice cream.  
To Bimmie and Laura, it's a happy camp—  
A happy camp!

### **\*—CHORUS—**

### **White Coral Bells**

White coral bells upon a slender stalk,  
Lilies of the valley deck my garden walk.  
Oh, don't you wish  
That you could hear them ring?  
That will happen only when the fairies sing.  
(rounds)

### **The Princess Pat**

((Repeat every line))

The Princess Pat's  
Light infantry:  
She sailed across  
The Bering Sea.  
She sailed across  
The Channel, too.  
And she took with her  
The Ricki-dan-do.

\*The Ricki-dan-do—  
Now what is that?  
It's something made  
By the Princess Pat.  
It's red and gold  
And purple, too.  
That's why it's called  
The Ricki-dan-do.

Now Captain Jack  
Had a mighty fine crew  
He sailed across  
The Channel, too.  
But his ship sank.  
And yours will too,  
If you forget  
The Ricki-dan-do!

\*—CHORUS—

### **Sarasponda**

Sarasponda, sarasponda, sarasponda, ret-set-set  
Sarasponda, sarasponda, sarasponda, ret-set-set  
A-door-ray-oh, A-door-ray-boom-day-oh  
Ah-door-ray-boom day-ret-set-set  
Ah-say-pah-say-oh.  
Boom-da, Boom-da, Boom-da.....  
Sarasponda, sarasponda, sarasponda....  
((Split juniors and seniors))

### **Down on the Banks**

Down on the banks of the hanky-panky  
Where the bullfrogs jump from bank to banky  
With an eep, ipe, ope, op  
And an eep-sop-a-diddily and a ker-plop.

### **Cannibal King**

Cannibal King, with the big nose ring,  
Fell in love with the trusty maid.  
And every night by the pale moon light  
Across the bay he came.  
He hugged and he kissed  
His pretty little miss  
Under the bamboo trees.  
And every night by the pale moonlight  
It sounded like this to me:  
A-RUM-kiss-kiss  
A-RUM-kiss-kiss  
A-RUM-boogie woogie  
A-RUM-boogie woogie.  
It sounded like this to me.  
The years went by 1, 2, 3.  
Soon they had a family.  
And every night by the pale moonlight  
It sounded like this to me:  
A-RUM-wah-wah  
A-RUM-wah-wah  
A-RUM-boogie woogie  
A-RUM-boogie woogie.  
It sounded like this to me.  
The years went by 4, 5, 6.  
Soon they had a house of sticks.  
And every night by the pale moonlight  
It sounded like this to me:  
A-RUM-click-click  
A-RUM-click-click  
A-RUM-boogie woogie  
A-RUM-boogie woogie.  
It sounded like this to me.  
The years went by 8, 9, 10.  
Soon they were alone again.  
And every night by the pale moonlight  
It sounded like this to me:  
A-RUM-kiss-kiss  
A-RUM-kiss-kiss  
A-RUM-boogie woogie  
A-RUM-boogie woogie.  
It sounded like this to me.

### **Geraldine was a Camper**

Geraldine was a camper,  
Was a good friend of mine.  
Never understood a single word she said,  
But I helped her tie her tie.  
She always had a neat green tie.

Singing, "Joy to the camp!  
All the Kickapoo girls now!  
Joy to the fishes in the Turtle Creek!  
And the horses in the riding ring!"

If I were the queen of the kamp  
I'll tell you what I'd do:  
I'd ride and I'd swim and I'd play all day,  
And I'd have fun along the way.

Singing, "Joy to the kamp!  
All the Kickapoo girls now!  
Joy to the campers and the counselors too!  
And Joy to Kickapoo!"

### **I Thought I'd Go to Kamp**

I thought I'd go to kamp  
And so I says to Ma,  
"May I go to Kickapoo?  
It isn't very far."  
My Ma, she says to me,  
"I think that you may go.  
I wanna see how big and strong and rosy  
you can grow."  
Oh, Kickapoo, Kickapoo!  
That's the place for me—  
Where we all have lots of fun and live a  
life that's free! Oh!  
Kickapoo, Kickapoo!  
Come along and see  
How Bim and Laura make us feel  
Like one big family.

### **Junior Birdmen**

Up in the air, Junior Birdmen!  
Up in the air upside down!  
Up in the air, Junior Birdmen!  
Get your nose up off the ground!  
Nnweerr.

### **Suitors**

There are suitors at my door  
O-a lay-o-pa-ki-na  
Six or eight or many more  
O-a lay-o-pa-ki-na  
And my father wants me wed  
O-a lay-o-pa-ki-na  
Or at least that's what he said.  
O-a lay-o-pa-ki-na  
O-lay-o-la-o-lay-o-pa-ki-na.  
O-lay-o-la-o-lay-o-pa-ki-na.  
O-lay-o-la-o-lay-o-pa-ki-na.  
O-lay-o-la-o-lay-o-pa-ki-na  
And I told him that I would  
O-a lay-o-pa-ki-na  
When the rivers run up hill  
O-a lay-o-pa-ki-na  
Or the fish begin to fly  
O-a lay-o-pa-ki-na  
Or the day before I die.  
O-a lay-o-pa-ki-na  
O-lay-o-la-o-lay-o-pa-ki-na.  
O-lay-o-la-o-lay-o-pa-ki-na.  
O-lay-o-la-o-lay-o-pa-ki-na.  
O-lay-o-la-o-lay-o-pa-ki-na  
Pa-ki-na!

### **Witchcraft**

If there were witchcraft,  
I'd make two wishes:  
A winding trail, that beckons me to roam,  
And then I'd wish for a blazing campfire  
To welcome me when I'm returning home.  
But in this real world there is no witchcraft,  
And golden wishes do not grow on trees.  
Our fondest daydreams will be the magic  
To welcome back those golden memories—  
Memories that linger, constant and true,  
Bring back sweet visions, Kickapoo, of you.

### **Dewy**

Dewy was the grass on the early morn in May.  
Dewy was the admiral at Manila Bay.  
Dewy were her eyes as she bid her love adieu.  
Do we love each other? I should say we do!

### **Better Together**

There's no combination of words  
We could put on the back of a postcard—  
No song that we could sing,  
But it's deep in our hearts:  
Our dreams, and they are made out of real things—  
Like a shoebox of photographs  
Of Kickapoo Kamp lovin'.

Kamp is the answer,  
At least for most of the questions in our hearts—  
Like why are we here? And why do we leave?  
And how come that's so hard?  
It's not always easy,  
    and most times Kamp can be relieving  
I'll tell you one thing:  
    it's so much better when we're together.

\*Mmm, it's always better when we're together.  
Yeah, we'll look at them stars when we're together.  
Well, it's always better when we're together.  
Yeah, it's always better when we're together.

And all of these memories  
Can find their way into our dreams some night.  
But we know that they'll be gone  
When the morning bell rings  
And brings new things.  
For tomorrow night, you see,  
That we'll be gone too—  
Too many things we have to do.

But if all of these dreams might find their way  
Into our day-to-day scene,  
We'd be under the impression  
We were somewhere in-between  
With only two—  
Just me and you—  
Not so many things we got to do  
Or places we got to be.  
We'll sit beneath the church tree now...

\*—CHORUS—

### **Wisdom**

\*There's wisdom on this water,  
Laughter on this land.  
There's music 'round the campfire.  
Oh, love it while you can. ((Repeat))

The people here have changed me;  
They've touched my very soul.  
And when we are together  
I feel much more than whole.

\*—CHORUS—

When winter snow surrounds me,  
And I feel all alone,  
I think back to this time and place.  
I bring myself back home.

\*—CHORUS—

We've had the chance to prove ourselves.  
We've done it with such pride.  
We come back looking quite the same,  
But different deep inside.

There's freedom on these waters,  
Friendship on this land.  
There's music in each heart and soul.  
Oh, love it while you can.

### **Donut**

Well, I ran around the corner,  
And I ran around the block!  
And I ran right into the donut shop!  
And I grabbed me a donut,  
And I wiped off the grease.  
And I handed the lady a five-cent piece.  
Well, she looked at the nickel,  
And she looked at me.  
And she said, "This nickel isn't good, you see.  
There's a hole in the middle,  
And it goes right through."  
"Lady, there's a hole in your donut, too!  
Thanks for the donut! So long!"

### **Bean Song**

My dog Pinto likes to roam.  
One day Pinto left his home.  
He came back so nice and clean.  
Where—oh-where has Pinto bean?  
Pinto bean, pinto bean, pinto bean.  
((Insert different kinds of beans at underlines))

### **Today**

\*Today, while the blossoms still cling to the vine,  
I'll taste your strawberries, I'll drink your  
sweet wine.

A million tomorrows shall all pass away  
'Ere I forget all the joys that were mine today.

I'll be a dandy and I'll be a rover.  
You'll know who I am by the songs that I sing.  
I'll feast at your table, I'll sleep in your clover.  
Who cares what tomorrow may bring?

\*—CHORUS—

I can't be contented with yesterday's glories.  
I can't live on promises summer 'til spring.  
Today is my moment and now is my glory.  
I'll laugh and I'll cry and I'll sing.

\*—CHORUS—

### **Frog**

A-oomp went the little green frog one day,  
A-oomp went the little green frog.  
A-oomp went the little green frog one day,  
And his eyes went glunk-glunk-glunk.

Ssss ssss went the little green snake one day,  
Ssss ssss went the little green snake.  
Ssss ssss went the little green snake one day,  
And his tail went da-da-da-da-da-da-da-da-da-  
da-da-da.

Flap flap went the little green bird one day,  
Flap flap went the little green bird.  
Flap flap went the little green bird one day,  
And he ran into a tree! Splat!

### **Annie Mae**

Annie Mae, where are you going?  
Up the stairs to take a bath.  
Annie Mae, with legs toothpicks  
And a neck like a giraffe.  
Annie Mae stepped in the bathtub;  
Annie Mae pulled out the plug.  
Oh my goodness! Oh my soul!  
There goes Annie Mae down that hole!  
Annie Mae? Annie Mae?  
Gurgle gurgle gurgle!

### **Counselors**

Out of my cabin, looking in the night  
I can see those counselors having a fight.  
Curlers in their hair and cold cream on their face:  
They look like men from outer space!

Counselors, I would like to go with you.  
I would like to have a night off, too.  
Counselors, have you candy in your hold?  
Do you fight with workboys, brave and bold?

Out of my cabin, looking in the night  
I can see those counselors having a fight.  
Suddenly flies a pillow through the air,  
And the feathers do go everywhere.

Counselors, I would like to go with you.  
I would like to have a night off, too.  
Counselors, have you candy in your hold?  
Do you fight with workboys, brave and bold?

Out of my cabin, looking in the night  
I can see those counselors having a fight.  
\_\_\_\_\_ with the broom and  
\_\_\_\_\_ with the mop  
I can hear them going boom-bop-bop!

## Sippin' Cider

((Repeat))

The cutest boy

I ever saw

Was sippin' ci—

Der through a straw.

*The cutest boy I ever saw*

*Was sippin' ci-de-idey-ider through a straw.*

I asked him if

He'd show me how

To sip that ci—

Der through a straw.

*I asked him if he'd show me how*

*To sip that ci-de-idey-ider through a straw.*

He said, of course,

He'd show me how

To sip that ci—

Der through a straw.

*He said of course he'd show me how*

*To sip that ci-de-idey-ider through a straw.*

First cheek-to-cheek

Then jaw-to-jaw

We'd sipped that ci—

Der through a straw.

*First cheek-to-cheek then jaw-to-jaw*

*We sipped that ci-de-idey-ider through a straw.*

Then all at once

That straw did slip,

And we sipped ci—

Der lip-to-lip.

*Then all at once that straw did slip,*

*And we sipped ci-de-idey-ider lip-to-lip.*

That's how I got

My mother-in-law

And forty-nine kids

To call me ma.

*That's how I got mother-in-law*

*And forty-nine kids to call me ma.*

The moral of

This little tale

Is sip your ci—

Der through a pail.

*The moral of this little tale*

*Is sip your ci-de-idey-ider through a pail.*

Drink Ginger-ale!

## Boom Boom

\*Boom Boom, ain't it great to be crazy?

Boom Boom, ain't it great to be crazy?

Jolly, foolish all day long:

Boom Boom, ain't it great to be crazy?

A horse, a flea, three blind mice

Sitting on a tombstone shooting dice.

The horse slipped, fell on the flea.

"Oops," said the flea "there's a horsie on me!"

\*—CHORUS—

A way down south where bananas grow,

A flea stepped on an elephant's toe.

The elephant cried, with tears in his eyes,

"Why don't you pick on

Someone your own size??"

\*—CHORUS—

I love myself, I love me so.

I took myself to a picture show.

I wrapped my arms around my waist.

I got so fresh, I slapped my face!

\*—CHORUS—

Grandpa Moses shot a skunk.

Grandma Moses cooked the skunk.

Baby Moses ate the skunk.

Holy Moses! How it stunk!

\*—CHORUS—

There was a little chickie,

And he couldn't lay an egg.

So they poured hot water up and down his leg.

The little chickie cried,

The little chickie begged.

The little chickie laid a hard-boiled egg!

\*—CHORUS—

**Flea**

((Repeat))

Flea

Flea fly

Flea fly flo

Vista!

Cumalata, cumalata, cumalata vista

Oh no, no, no te vista.

Eeni-meeni-desi-meeni-

ooo-walla-walla-meeni-

Simini-salli-mini-oo-wallawalla.

A beat billy oat'n goat'n bobo ben eatn-got'n.

Shh

Shh

Vista! (all together)

**Bar of Soap**

Oh, I wish I were a little bar of soap,  
bar of soap.

Oh, I wish I were a little bar of soap,  
bar of soap.

I would slippie and a-slidey

All over people's hineys.

Oh, I wish I were a little bar of soap,  
bar of soap.

Piece of lemon...squirty, squirty, squirty  
all over people's shirties.

Fishy in the sea...I look so very cutie  
without my bathing suitie.

Acrobat...I'd go flying through the air  
and lose my underwear.

Foreign car...speedy, speedy, speedy  
all over people's feetie.

Tweety bird...I would sitty on the steeple  
and spitty at the people.

Bottle of pop...I'd go down with a slurpy  
and come up with a burpie.

Monkey in the zoo...I would eat all my  
bananas without my table manners....  
Just like you!

**Wings of an Airplane**

If I had the wings of an airplane, airplane

Back to this kamp I would fly, would fly.

Here in this dining hall I'd long remain,  
long remain,

Eating to keep me alive, alive.

Oo-la-la-oo-la-la-oola-lay. Again.

Oo-la-la-oo-la-la-lay. Once more.

Oo-la-la-oo-la-la-oola-lay. Finally.

Oo-la-la-oo-la-la-lay.

Second verse

If I had a full tank of gasoline, gasoline

Back to this kamp I would drive, would drive.

Here in this dining hall I'd long remain,  
long remain,

Eating to keep me alive, alive.

Chorus

Oo-la-la-oo-la-la-oola-lay. Again.

Oo-la-la-oo-la-la-lay. Once more.

Oo-la-la-oo-la-la-oola-lay. Finally.

Oo-la-la-oo-la-la-lay.

Third verse

If I had a new pair of tennis shoes,  
tennis shoes

Back to this kamp I would jive, would jive

Here in this dining hall I'd long remain,  
long remain,

Eating to keep me alive, alive.

Chorus

Oo-la-la-oo-la-la-oola-lay. Again.

Oo-la-la-oo-la-la-lay. Once more.

Oo-la-la-oo-la-la-oola-lay. Finally.

Oo-la-la-oo-la-la-lay.

The End!

### **She's My Friend**

\*She's my friend and she'll stay my friend,  
Doesn't matter what the other people say.  
She's my friend 'til the bitter end  
Even though the bitter end's  
A million years away-Hey!

This is \_\_\_\_\_, she's so funny,  
Wouldn't trade her for a barrel of money.  
And on those days when we're not so sunny,  
She'll come charging in-Hey!

\*—CHORUS—

This is \_\_\_\_\_, she's my sister,  
Just the price of a handsome mister.  
But if that mister ever hurt my sister,  
I'll come charging in-Hey!

\*—CHORUS—

This is \_\_\_\_\_, she's so fine,  
Here at camp she's just our kind.  
And when good friends are hard to find,  
She'll come charging in-Hey!

\*—CHORUS—

Our girls come from far and wide,  
Fill this camp full of pride.  
It's a shame for you to stand outside,  
You'll come charging in-Hey!

\*—CHORUS—

### **Apples and bananas**

I like to eat, I like to eat  
I like to eat eat apples and bananas!  
I like to eat, I like to eat  
I like to eat eat apples and bananas!  
((A, E, I, O, U))

### **Doodley-Doo**

Please sing to me that sweet melody  
Called the doodley-doo, a doodley-doo.  
I like the rest, but the part I like best  
Goes a doodley-doo, a doodley-do.  
Simplest thing, there isn't much to it:  
All you gotta do is doodley-doo-it.  
I like it so wherever I go  
It's a doodley-doodley-doo.  
Come on and  
Wah-da-lee-ah-cha Wah-da-lee-ah-cha  
Wah-da-lee-oh-wah-da-lee-oh  
Wah-da-lee-ah-cha Wah-da-lee-ah-cha  
Wah-da-lee-oh-wah-da-lee-oh.  
Simplest thing, there isn't much to it:  
All you gotta do is doodley-do-it.  
I like it so wherever I go  
It's a doodley-doodley-doo. Doo! Doo!

### **Be Kind to Your Parents**

Be kind to your parents,  
Though they don't deserve it.  
Remember that grown-up's  
A difficult stage of life.  
They're apt to be nervous and over-excited,  
Confused by the daily storm and strife.  
So keep in mind, though it seems hard I know,  
Most parents once were children long ago—  
**INCREDIBLE!**  
So treat them with patience  
And sweet understanding,  
In spite of the foolish things they do.  
Someday you may wake up  
And find you're a parent too.

(Hi, Mom!.....Hi, Dad!)

### **Lemme**

What's your name, little boy?

My name is Lemme.

Lemme what, little boy?

Lemme kiss ya'.

*What's your name, little girl?*

*My name is Ida.*

*Ida what, little girl?*

*Idan't wanna.*

What's your name, little boy?

My name is Lemme.

Lemme what, little boy?

Lemme kiss ya'.

*What's your name, little girl?*

*My name is Alla.*

*Alla what, little girl?*

*I'll ask my mamma.*

What's your name, little boy?

My name is Lemme.

Lemme what, little boy?

Lemme kiss ya'.

*What's your name, little girl?*

*My name is Leena.*

*Leena what, little girl?*

*Leena closer.*

What's your name, little boy?

My name is Lemme.

Lemme what, little boy?

Lemme kiss ya'.

*What's your name, little girl?*

*My name is Olly.*

*Olly what, little girl?*

*Olly right!*

Smack! Smack!

### **Crocodile**

She sailed away on a happy summer day,

On the back of a crocodile.

"You see," said she, "he's as tame as he can be.

I'll guide him down the Nile."

Well, the croc winked his eye

As she waved them all goodbye,

Wearing a happy smile.

At the end of the ride, the lady was inside,

And the smile's on the crocodile.

### **Cowboy's Lullaby**

Desert silvery blue beneath the pale moonlight

Coyotes yappin' lazy on the hill

Sleepy winks of light along the far skyline

Time for milling cattle to be still.

So now the lightning's far away.

The coyote's nothin' scary,

Just singing to his deary.

Yoho, tomorrow holiday.

So settle down your cattle 'til the mornin'.

There's nothing out there on the plains

That you folks see.

Nothing out there seems to catch your eye.

Still you better watch 'em

or they'll all stampede,

Plunging down arroyo banks to die.

So now the lightning's far away.

The coyote's nothin' scary,

Just singing to his deary

Yoho, to-moll-ow holiday.

So settle down your cattle 'til the mornin'.

### **No Man is An Island**

No man is an island. No man stands alone.

Each man's joy is joy to me.

Each man's grief is my own.

We need one another,

So I will defend

Each man as my brother,

Each man as my friend.

I saw the people gather,

I heard the music start.

The song that they were singing

Is ringing in my heart.

We need one another,

So I will defend

Each man as my brother,

Each man as my friend.

No man is an island. No man stands alone.

### **Down By the Old Mill Stream**

Down by the old mill stream  
Where I first met you  
With your eyes so blue  
Dressed in gingham too—  
It was there I knew  
That you loved me too.  
You were sixteen,  
My village queen,  
Down by the old mill stream.  
Hit it!  
Down by the old, not the new but the old,  
mill stream, not the river but the stream—  
Where I first, not the second but the first,  
met you, not me but you—  
With your eyes, not your nose but your eyes,  
so blue, not green but blue—  
Dressed in gingham, not satin but gingham,  
too, not one but two—  
It was there, not here but there,  
I knew, not know but knew—  
That you loved, not hate but loved,  
me too, not one but two—.  
You were sixteen, not seventeen but sixteen,  
My village queen, not the king but the queen,  
Down by the old, not the new but the old,  
Mill stream, not the river but the stream.

### **Jacob's Ladder**

We are climbing Jacob's Ladder.  
We are climbing Jacob's Ladder.  
We are climbing Jacob's Ladder.  
Soldiers of the Cross.

Every rung goes higher, higher.  
Every rung goes higher, higher.  
Every rung goes higher, higher.  
Soldiers of the Cross.

Sinners do you love my Jesus?  
Sinners do you love my Jesus?  
Sinners do you love my Jesus?  
Soldiers of the Cross.

### **Rose** ((sometimes sung in rounds))

"Rose, Rose, Rose, Rose,  
Will I ever see the wed?"  
"I will marry at thy will sire,  
At thy will."

Ding-dong, Ding-dong:  
Wedding bells on an April morn.  
Carve thy name on a moss-covered stone, dear,  
Moss-covered stone.

Love, love, love, love—  
The gospel in one word is "love."  
Love thy neighbor as thy brother.  
Love, love, love.

America, America!  
Shall I tell you how I feel?  
You have given me my freedom,  
And I love you so!

### **Three Bears**

Deep in the forest in a wee little cottage  
Lived the three bears.  
*Chhh-ch-ch-chh-ch-ch-chh-ch-ch-ch.*  
One was the papa bear, and one was the mama bear,  
And one was the wee bear.  
*Chhh-ch-ch-chh-ch-ch-chh-ch-ch-ch.*  
Along came a-walkin' a-stalkin' a pretty little  
Goldie Locks, and she came a-knockin'.  
A-knock, a-knock, a-knock knock knock'n.  
But no one was home. No, no one was home.  
So she walked right in and had herself a ball.  
She didn't care, no, she didn't care.  
Home, home, home came the three bears.  
"Someone's been eating my porridge," said the papa bear.  
"Someone's been eating my porridge," said the mama bear.  
"Bee bop a ree bear!" said the little wee bear.  
"Someone has broken my chair!" Splat!  
Just then Goldie Locks woke up,  
Broke up the party, and beat it out of there.  
"Goodbye, goodbye, goodbye," said the papa bear.  
"Goodbye, goodbye, goodbye," said the mama bear.  
"Bee bop a ree bear!" said the little wee bear.  
Story of the three little bears!  
*Chh-ch-ch-chh-ch-ch-chh-ch-ch-ch.*

### **Pizza Hut**

A pizza hut a pizza hut  
Kentucky fried chicken and a pizza hut.  
A pizza hut a pizza hut  
Kentucky fried chicken and a pizza hut.  
    McDonald's McDonald's  
Kentucky fried chicken and a pizza hut.  
    McDonald's McDonald's  
Kentucky fried chicken and a pizza hut.

A lean cuisine a lean cuisine  
Ultra slim fast and a lean cuisine.  
A lean cuisine a lean cuisine  
Ultra slim fast and a lean cuisine.  
    Weight watchers weight watchers  
Ultra slim fast and a lean cuisine.  
    Weight watchers weight watchers  
Ultra slim fast and a lean cuisine.

A burger king a burger king  
Shoney's big boy and a burger king.  
A burger king a burger king  
Shoney's big boy and a burger king.  
    Red lobster red lobster  
Shoney's big boy and a burger king.  
    Red lobster red lobster  
Shoney's big boy and a burger king.

A taco bell a taco bell  
Dairy queen and a taco bell.  
A taco bell a taco bell  
Dairy queen and a taco bell.  
    Short stop short stop  
Dairy queen and a taco bell.  
    Short stop short stop  
Dairy queen and a taco bell.

### **Ants**

The ants go marching one by one,  
    hoorah hoorah!  
The ants go marching one by one,  
    hoorah hoorah!  
The ants go marching one by one—  
The little one stops to suck his thumb.  
And they all go marching down  
To the ground  
To get out of the rain.  
Boom Boom Boom  
    Two...to tie his shoe.  
    Three...to climb a tree.  
    Four...to shut the door.  
    Five...to do a jive.  
    Six...to pick up sticks.  
    Seven...to look at heaven.  
    Eight...to shut the gate.  
    Nine...to pick up a dime.  
    Ten...to say the end.

### **Redmen**

We are the redmen,  
Strong and brave,  
In our feathers  
And war paint.

\*Pow wow, pow wow,  
We're the men of the golden cow.  
Moo!  
We are the redmen,  
Feathers in our headband,  
Down by the dead men.  
Pow wow.

We have fought with sticks and stones,  
Bows and arrows, bricks and bones.

\*—CHORUS—

We have come from hunting afar,  
Greeted by our long-nosed squaw.

\*—CHORUS—

## **My Aunt Came Back**

((Repeat))

*My aunt came back*

From old Japan

And she brought to me

A big hand fan.

*My aunt came back*

From old Algiers

And she brought to me

A pair of shears.

*My aunt came back*

From Holland too

And she brought to me

A wooden shoe.

*My aunt came back*

From the New York fair

And she brought to me

A rocking chair.

*My aunt came back*

From Arkansas

And she brought to me

A ping pong ball.

*My aunt came back*

From Kalamazoo

And she brought to me

Some gum to chew.

*My aunt came back*

From the Kickapoo Zoo

And she brought to me

A BUNCH OF NUTS LIKE YOU!

## **Camp's out**

Camp's out, Kickapoo

One more perfect summer's thru

Camp's out, Kickapoo

We've enjoyed our stay with you

We've reached the hour of parting

And we'll soon for home be starting

Camp's out, Kickapoo

Friends and pals, Farewell to you

## **Chocolate Chip Cookies**

They're made out of sugar, butter and flour

You bake 'em in the oven about a quarter hour

But the thing that gives them their magical

power

Are the chocolate chips inside.

CHORUS:

Chocolate chip cookies ya gotta have more

You can bake em' in the oven

or buy them at the store

But whatever you do,

have them ready at the door

And I'll love you till I die.

Can't eat one, can't eat two

Once you start chewin'

there's nothing you can do

But clean your plate and eat the crumbs too

And go out and find some more.

CHORUS

When I die I don't want wings, a golden halo or  
a harp that sings

Give me a book, a fire, and someone who  
brings me

Chocolate chip cookies all day.

## **WITH MILK PLEASE!!!**

### **Mercedes Benz**

Oh Lord, won't you buy me a Mercedes Benz?  
My friends all drive Porsches,  
I must make amends.  
Worked hard all my lifetime,  
No help from my friends.  
Oh, Lord, won't you buy me a Mercedes Benz?

Oh Lord, won't you buy me a color TV?  
Dialing For Dollars is dying to find me.  
I wait for delivery each day until three.  
Oh, Lord, won't you buy me a color TV?

(Clapping)

Oh Lord, won't you buy me a night on the town?  
I'm counting on you, Lord,  
So please don't let me down  
Prove that you love me and buy the next round.  
Oh Lord, won't you buy me a night on the town?

### **I Livey Uppey**

I livey uppey in a teeny weeny housey,  
I livey uppey on the thirty-first floor.

I do a washing,  
A very big-a washing.  
Ruffles on the petticoats: ten cents more.

I like a chow-chow better than a bow-wow.  
I like a little girl, and she like-a me.

Way down in Hong Kong  
A big-a man a-come along.  
He take my little girl away from me.

A boom da dee a da..... so sad.

### **I Hear Music**

1<sup>st</sup> verse

I hear music and there's no one there  
I smell blossoms and the trees are bare  
All day long I seem to walk on air  
I wonder why, I wonder why

I keep tossing in my sleep at night  
And what's more I've lost my appetite  
Stars that used to twinkle in the skies  
Are twinkling in my eyes, I wonder why

2<sup>nd</sup> verse

You don't need analyzing  
It is not so surprisin'  
That you feel very strange but nice

Your heart goes pitter-patter  
I know just what's the matter  
Because I've been there once or twice

Put your head on my shoulder  
You need someone who's older  
A rub-down with a velvet glove

There is nothing you can take  
To relieve that pleasant ache  
You're not sick, you're just in love

Cherokees sing first verse and Choctaws sing  
2<sup>nd</sup> verse simultaneously

### **I've Got a River of Life**

I've got a river of life flowing out of me!  
Makes the lame to walk, and the blind to see.  
Opens prison doors, sets the captives free!  
I've got a river of life flowing out of me!  
Spring up, O well, within my soul!  
Spring up, O well, and make me whole!  
Spring up, O well, and give to me  
That life abundantly.

repeat

## Circle Game

Yesterday some girls went out to wander, met  
some friends they shared along the way. And it  
often causes us to ponder, on just how much  
they mean to us today.

And the seasons they go round and round and  
the painted ponies go up and down. We're  
captives on the carousel of time. We can't  
return we can only look behind from where we  
came, and go round and round and round in the  
circle game.

Memories of Kamp will last forever. But we  
know that now these days are gone. We have  
learned so much through our endeavors, and  
Kickapoo has shown us a new dawn.

Repeat chorus

## Pass It On

It only takes a spark to get a fire going.  
And soon all those around  
Can warm up to its glowing.  
That's how it is with God's love:  
Once you've experienced it,  
You'll spread his love to everyone.  
You'll want to pass it on.

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'll want to sing. It's fresh like spring.  
You'll want to pass it on.

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 tops,  
"PRAISE GOD!"  
I want my world to know  
The Lord of Love has come to me.  
I want to pass it on.  
I want... to pass... it on...

## Noah's Ark

The Lord said to Noah,  
"There's gonna be a floody, floody!"  
Lord said to Noah,  
"There's gonna be a floody, floody!  
Get those children (clap)  
Out of the muddy, muddy!"  
Children of the Lord.

So Noah, he built him an arky arky arky.  
Noah, he built him an arky arky arky.  
Made it out of (clap) hickory barky barky.  
Children of the Lord.

The animals they came in  
by twos by twosy, twosy.  
The animals they came in  
by twos by twosy, twosy  
Elephants and (clap) kangaroosy-roosy.  
Children of the Lord.

It rained and rained for forty dayses dayses.  
Rained and rained for forty dayses dayses.  
Nearly drove those (clap) animals crazies, crazies!  
Children of the Lord.

The sun came out and dried up the landy, landy.  
Sun came out and dried up the landy, landy.  
Everything was (clap) fine and dandy, dandy!  
Children of the Lord.

So rise and shine and give God the glory, glory!  
Rise and shine and give God the glory, glory!  
Rise and shine and (clap)  
Give God the glory, glory!  
Children of the Lord.

## **One Tin Soldier**

Listen, children, to a story  
that was written long ago  
About a kingdom on a mountain  
and the valley far below.  
On the mountain was a treasure,  
buried deep beneath the stone.  
And the valley people swore  
they'd have it for their very own.

\*Go ahead and hate your neighbor,  
Go ahead and cheat a friend.  
Do it in the name of heaven,  
You can justify it in the end.  
There won't be any trumpets blowin'  
Come the Judgment Day:  
On the bloody mornin' after,  
One tin soldier rides away.

So the people of the valley  
Sent a message up the hill  
Asking for the buried treasure,  
Tons of gold for which they'd kill.  
Came an answer from the kingdom,  
"With our brothers we will share  
All the secrets of our mountain,  
All the riches buried there."

\*—CHORUS—

Now the valley cried with anger,  
"Mount your horses! Draw your swords!"  
And they killed those mountain people.  
So they won their just reward.  
Now they stood beside the treasure  
On the mountain, dark and red.  
Turned the stone and looked beneath it  
(1, 2, 3)  
"Peace on Earth," was all it said.

\*—CHORUS—

## **I Believe**

I believe for every drop of rain that falls  
A flower grows,  
I believe that somewhere in the darkest night  
A candle glows

I believe for everyone who goes astray,  
Someone will come to show the way.  
I believe, I believe

I believe above the storm the smallest prayer  
Will still be heard.  
I believe that someone in the great somewhere  
Hears every word.

Every time I hear a newborn baby cry,  
Or touch a leaf, or see the sky,  
Then I know why,  
I believe

## **May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You**

May the good Lord bless and keep you,  
Whether near or far away.  
May you find that long awaited golden day  
Today.  
May your troubles all be small ones  
And your fortunes ten times ten.  
May the good Lord bless and keep you  
'Til we meet again.  
May you walk with sunlight shining  
And a blue bird in every tree.  
May there be a silver lining  
'Back of every cloud you see.  
Fill your dreams with sweet tomorrows,  
Never mind what might have been.  
May the good Lord bless and keep you  
'Til we meet again.

### **We Are One in the Spirit**

We are one in the spirit,  
We are one in the Lord!  
We are one in the spirit,  
We are on in the Lord!  
And we pray that Christ's unity  
    will one day be restored.  
And they'll know we are Christians  
    By our love, by our love!  
Yes, they'll know we are Christians  
    by our love.

We will walk with each other,  
We will walk hand in hand.  
We will walk with each other,  
We will walk hand in hand.  
And together we'll spread the news  
    that God is in our land.  
And they'll know we are Christians  
    By our love, by our love!  
Yes, they'll know we are Christians  
    by our love.

We will walk with each other,  
We will walk side by side.  
We will walk with each other,  
We will walk side by side.  
We will guard each man's dignity  
    And save each man's pride.  
And they'll know we are Christians  
    By our love, by our love.  
Yes, they'll know we are Christians  
    by our love.  
(Repeat verse 1.)

### **He's Everything to Me**

In the stars, His handy work I see.  
On the wind He speaks with majesty.  
Though He ruleth over land and sea,  
    What is that to me?  
I will celebrate nativity,  
For it has a place in history.  
Sure, He came to set his people free.  
    What is that to me?  
'Til by faith I met Him face to face  
Ah ah ah ah  
And I felt the wonders of His grace  
Ah ah ah ah  
And I knew that He was more than just a  
God who didn't care  
Who lived away up there.  
And now He walks beside me day by day,  
Ever watching o're me, lest I stray,  
Helping me to find the narrow way.  
He's everything to me.

### **Jesus Walked**

Jesus walked His lonesome valley.  
He had to walk it by Himself  
For nobody else could walk it for Him.  
He had to walk it by Himself.

You have to walk your lonesome valley.  
You have to walk it by yourself  
For nobody else can walk it for you.  
You have to walk it by yourself.

You must go and stand your trial.  
You have to stand it by yourself  
For nobody else can stand it for you.  
You have to stand it by yourself

