#### This Land Is Your Land by Woody Guthrie

#### [Chorus]

This land is your land, this land is my land From California to the New York island, From the redwood forest to the Gulf Stream waters; This land was made for you and me.

As I was walking that ribbon of highway I saw above me that endless skyway; I saw below me that golden valley; This land was made for you and me.

I've roamed and rambled and I followed my footsteps To the sparkling sands of her diamond deserts; And all around me a voice was sounding; This land was made for you and me.

#### [Chorus]

When the sun came shining, and I was strolling, And the wheat fields waving and the dust clouds rolling, As the fog was lifting a voice was chanting: This land was made for you and me.

In the shadow of the steeple I saw my people, By the relief office I seen my people; As they stood there hungry, I stood there asking Is this land made for you and me?

#### [Chorus]

Nobody living can ever stop me, As I go walking that freedom highway; Nobody living can ever make me turn back This land was made for you and me.

#### Michael Row The Boat Ashore

# [Chorus]

Michael row the boat ashore, Hallelujah Michael row the boat ashore, Hallelujah

Sister help to trim the sails, Hallelujah Sister help to trim the sails, Hallelujah

# [Chorus]

Michael row the boat ashore, Hallelujah Michael row the boat ashore, Hallelujah

River Jordan is chilly and cold, Hallelujah Chills the body but not the soul, Hallelujah

# [Chorus]

River Jordan is deep and wide, Hallelujah Milk and honey on the other side, Hallelujah

# [Chorus]

Michael's boat is a music boat, Hallelujah Let's keep singing, to keep it afloat

# This Little Light Of Mine

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.

Way down in my heart...

Everywhere I go...

In my daily work...

Hide it under a bushel, NO!...

Ain't nobody gonna whoof it out...

All around the world...

# Don't Fence Me In by Cole Porter

Oh give me land, lots of land under starry skies above.

Don't fence me in.

Let me ride through the wide open country that I love.

Don't fence me in.

Let me be by myself in the evening breeze Listen to the murmur of the cottonwood trees. Send me off forever, but I ask you please, Don't fence me in.

Just turn me loose, let me straddle my old saddle,

Underneath the western skies; On my cayuse, let me wander over yonder Till I see the mountains rise.

I want to ride to the ridge where the west commences,

Gaze at the moon until I lose my senses I can't look at hobbles and I can't stand fences. Don't fence me in.

# You Are My Sunshine by Jimmie Davis & Charlie Mitchell

# [Chorus]

You are my sunshine, my only sunshine You make me happy, when skies are grey You'll never know, dear, how much I love you Please don't take my sunshine away

# [Verse 1]

The other night dear, while I lay sleeping I dreamed I held you, in my arms When I awoke, dear, I was mistaken And I hung my head and cried

# [Chorus]

# [Verse 2]

I'll always love you, and make you happy If you will only say the same But if you leave me, to love another You'll regret it all, someday

### O What a Beautiful Morning

(Oscar Hammerstein II & Richard Rogers)

Chorus: O what a beautiful morning,
O what a beautiful day
I've got a beautiful feeling
Everything's goin' my way

There's a bright golden haze on the meadow, There's a bright golden haze on the meadow. The corn is as high as an elephant's eye And it looks like it's climbin' clear up to the sky

#### Chorus

All the cattle are standing like statues,
All the cattle are standing like statues.
They don't turn their heads as they see me ride by,
But a little brown maverick is winkin' her eye!

#### Chorus

All the sounds of the earth are like music, All the sounds of the earth are like music. The breeze is so busy it don't miss a tree, And an old weepin' willer is laughin' at me!

#### Chorus

## **Down By The Riverside (**Traditional)

I'm gonna lay down my sword and shield,

Down by the riverside, Down by the riverside, Down by the riverside,

Gonna lay down my sword and shield, Down by the riverside,

Ain't gonna study war no more.

## [Chorus]

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

I ain't gonna study war no more. (Study war no more)

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

I ain't gonna study war no more.

Gonna put on my starry crown...

#### [Chorus]

I'm gonna walk with the Prince of Peace...

#### [Chorus]

I'm gonna shake hands around the world

#### America the Beautiful

Lyrics by Katharine Lee Bates (last verse: Pamela Haines) Music by Samuel A. Ward

O beautiful, for spacious skies,
For amber waves of grain;
For purple mountain majesties,
Above the fruited plain.
America! America!
God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood,
from sea to shining sea!

O beautiful for patriot dream,
That sees beyond the years;
Thine alabaster cities gleam,
Undimmed by human tears.
America! America!
God shed her grace on thee
And crown thy good with sisterhood,
from sea to shining sea!

O beautiful for working folk
Who forged the wealth we see;
In farm and mill, in home and school
Unsung in history.
America! America!
May race nor gender, nor creed,
No more divide, but side by side
All rise united, freed!

# Que Sera Sera chords by Jay Livingston and Ray Evans 1956

When I was just a little girl, I asked my mother, what will I be? Will I be pretty, will I be rich? Here's what she said to me:

[Chorus]
Que Sera, Sera,
Whatever will be, will be,
The future's not ours, to see,
Que Sera, Sera,
What will be, will be

When I grew up and fell in love, I asked my sweetheart, what lies ahead? Will we have rainbows day after day? Here's what my sweetheart said:

[Chorus]

Now I have children of my own, They ask their mother, what will I be? Will I be handsome, will I be rich? I tell them tenderly:

# **Amazing Grace**

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.

'Twas 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
We have already come
'Twas grace hath brought us safe thus far
And grace will lead us home

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

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.

#### Goodnight, Irene by Huddie Ledbetter

Chorus

Irene, Goodnight, Irene, Goodnight Goodnight, Irene, Goodnight, Irene I'll see you in my dreams.

Sometimes I live in the country, Sometimes I live in town. Sometimes I take a great notion To jump into the river and drown

#### Chorus

Stop ramblin' and stop gamblin'
Quit staying out late at night
Go home to your wife and your family
Stay down by the fireside bright

#### Chorus

I loves Irene, God knows I do Love her till the sea runs dry If Irene turns her back on me I'm gonna take morphine and die

#### Chorus

Asked your mother for you
She told me that you was too young
I wish, dear Lord, that I'd never seen your face
I'm sorry you ever was born

#### Chorus

Sometimes Irene wears a party dress
Sometimes she wears a gown
Sometimes she don't wear nothin'
And she is the talk of the town! CHORUS