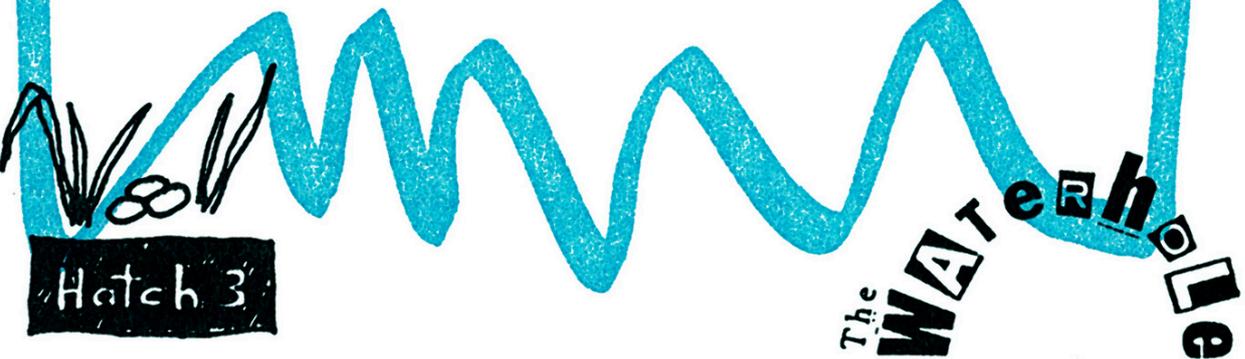


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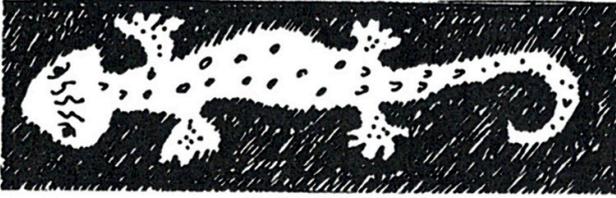
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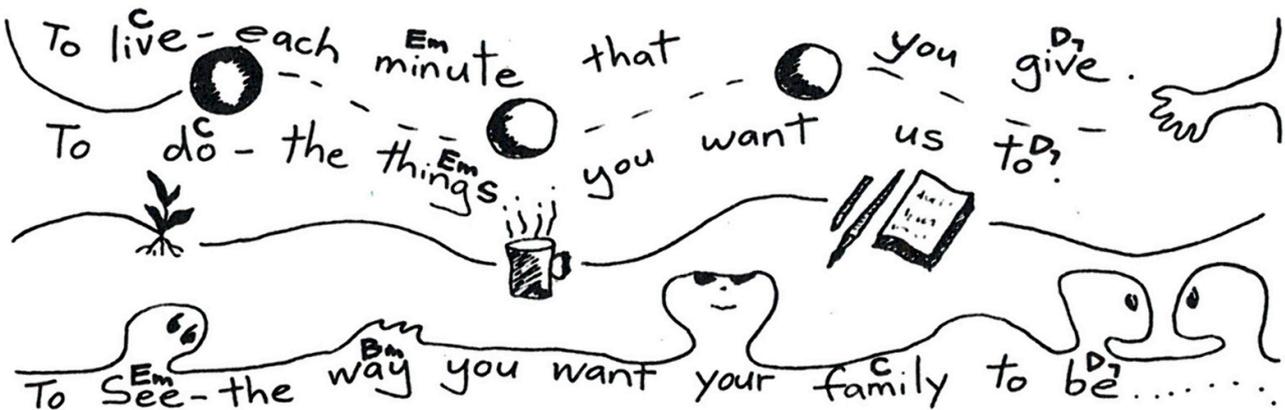
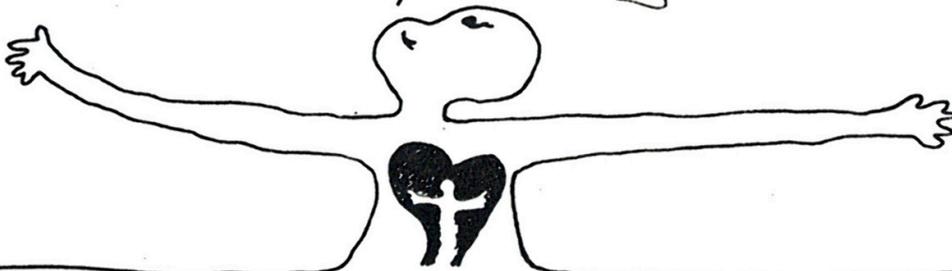
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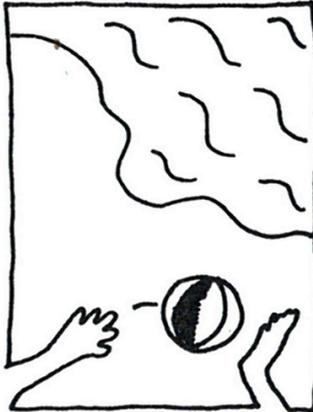
1 Jesus - Good Morning (Rod 91)

Jesus - Good morning, this ^{D₇} is your day ^G. We wouldn't have it ^{D₇} any other way ^G. END: O.K.?



2 Thanks God (Gerry 92)

In the summer-
time we can go
to the beach.
Play lots of
games; icy poles
to eat. Oh yeah!
Oh wow!
Thanks God!



In the autumn
time we can run
in the park. Play
hide 'n' seek
until it gets dark
Oh yeah! Oh
wow!
Thanks God!

Chorus A

All year around in the country or the town

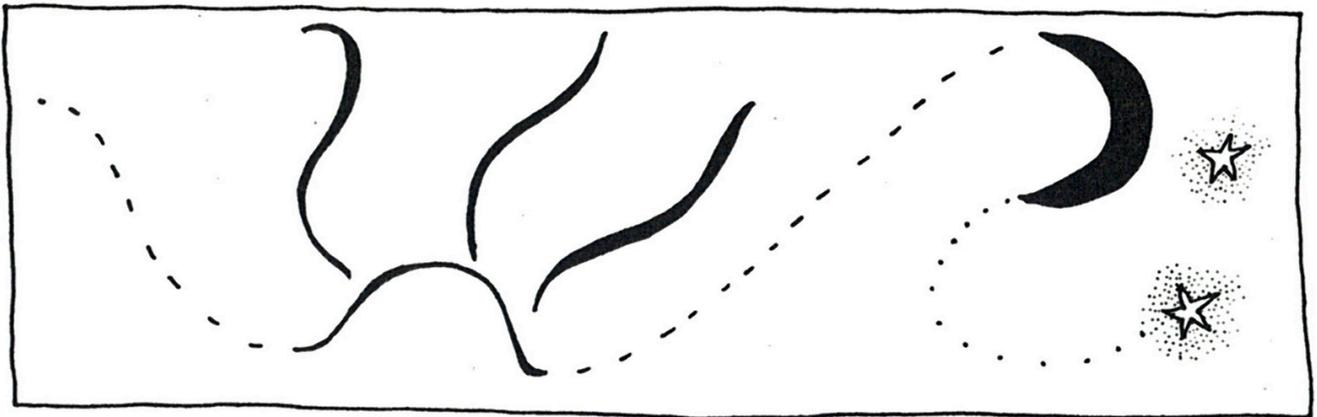
Thanks God ... (Thanks God)

Every single day we can find a little way to say

Thanks God ... (Thanks God)

And here are four more things ...

(all together now) Thanks God!



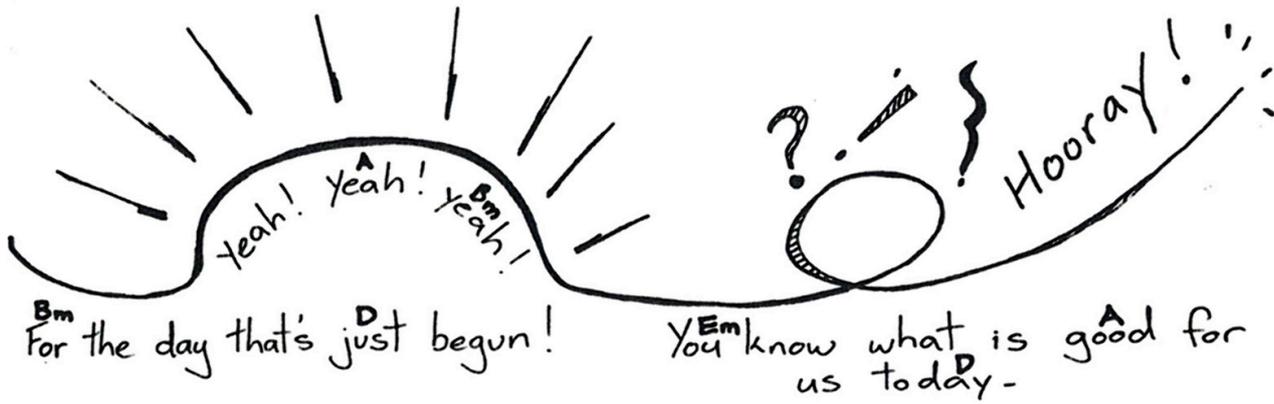
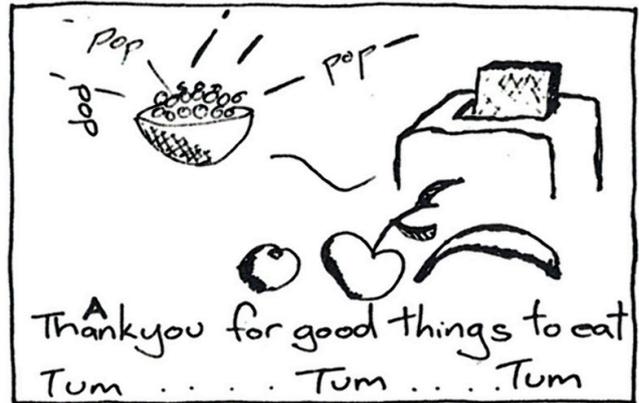
In the winter-
time we can
ski on the
snow. Isn't it
amazing just
how fast we
can go. Oh yeah
Oh wow!
Thanks God!



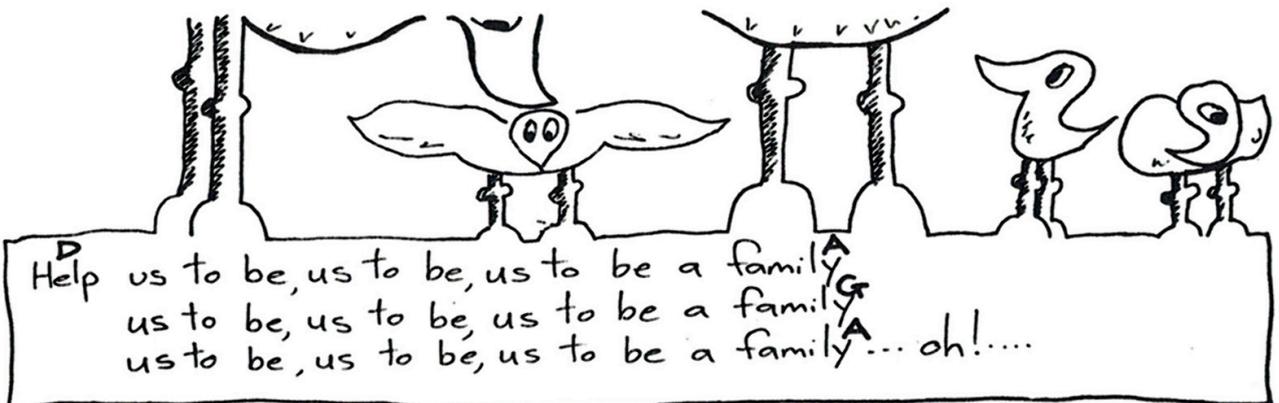
In the springtime
we can walk in
the bush. So
much to see
when we take
a good look
Oh yeah! Oh
wow! Thanks God!

3 Thank You Jesus For Our Brekky (Jo 90)

Thankyou Jesus for our brekky

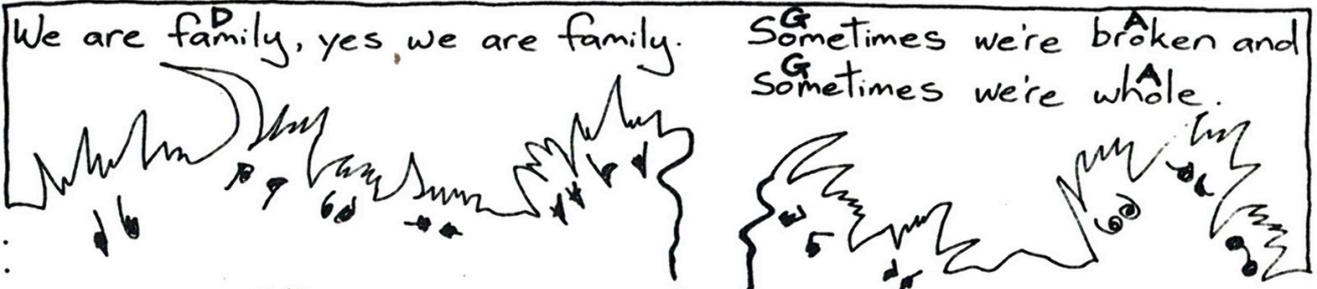


4 Family Chant (Gerry 93)



5 We Are Family Gerry 93)

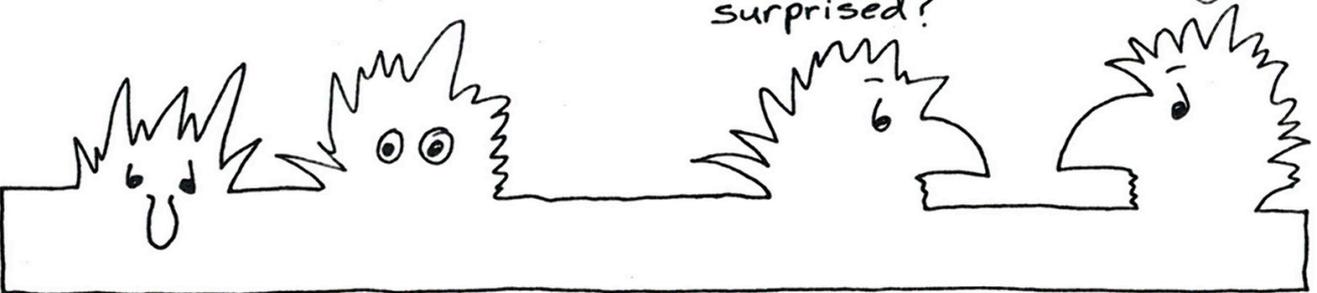
We are family, yes we are family. Sometimes we're broken and
Sometimes we're whole.



But we are family, yes we are family. Cause we all come from somewhere
and we're going somewhere else!

1. ^{Bm} Who's nose do ^{F#m} we have?
^{Bm} Who's coloured ^{F#m} eyes?

^G If we met our (Great) x 8 ^{Em} grandparents, would they be surprised?



2. ^{Bm} Why have some got ^{F#m} curly hair?
^{Bm} Why have some got ^{F#m} straight?

If ^G we met our (Great) x 8 ^{Em} grandparents, I wonder what they'd say?



3. ^{Bm} What will we turn ^{F#m} out to be when ^{Bm} we're not just kids?

If ^G we met our (Great) x 8 ^{Em} Grandparents - I wonder what they did? ^A
 Were they a convict, farmer, princess, toilet cleaner?



6 Sorry (Rod 93)

^CWe are forgiven ^F So we say ^C sorry - God gives a promise ^{G1}

Sorry

^FWe are a problem ^C But He was perfect ^{G1} We had to kill Him. ^C Jesus has saved ^F our skin ^C He showed us ^F too much ^C

^F God is so loving ^{G1} and rising ^C He saved us from ourselves ^F

^C Jesus was given-in death ^{G1}

^F We seem the same, ^C yesterday and tomorrow ^{G1} but let's be different ^F let's all say sorry.... ^{FC}

7 Everything Before Our Eyes (Gerry 92)

^G God!

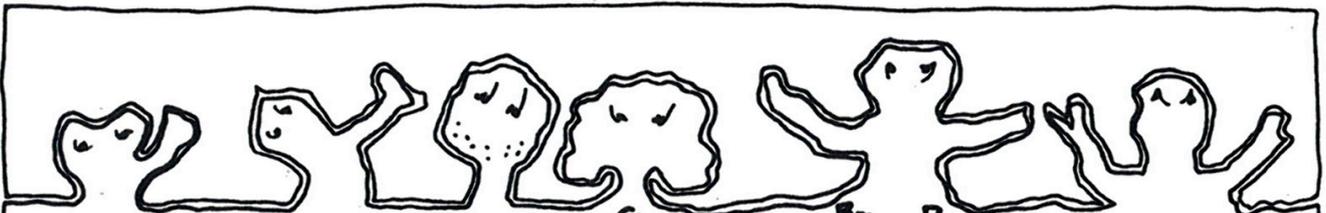
You made everything that ^F crawls and ^C swims ^G And gallops and jumps and flies. Everything before our eyes.

1. Our eyes see lizards that crawl and frogs that jump
 And mozzies that bite our skin (ow!)
 Parrots that squawk and cockies that talk, and humans
 that can sing la la la x 3 la!

..... 9 2 9 2 9 2

2. Our eyes see ^Fmice that sc^Cat when they see ^Ca cat
 and ^Gsnakes curled in a ^Cring (sss!)
 Dogs that bark and ^Cbats in the dark, and humans that
 can sing ^Gla la la x 3 la! ^{END} But why'd You have to make
 the flies?.....

8 Family Friend (Rod 93)



You ^D can be my sister,
 You ^G can be my brother,
 You ^D can be my father,
 You ^G can be my mother.
 But... ^{Bm} ^D What we really need is a ^{A7} family ^{Fm} friend.
 Yes... ^{Bm} ^D What we really need is a ^{A7} family ^D friend.

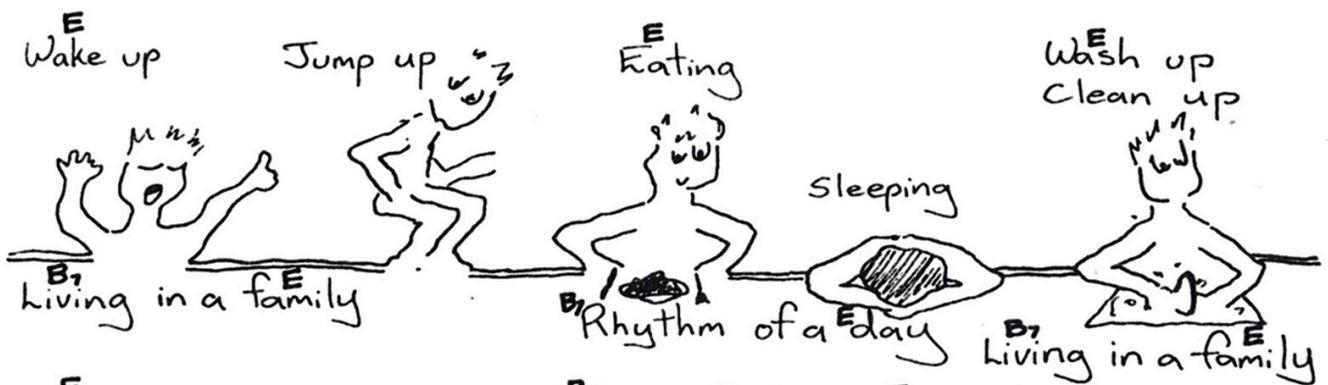
^GSisters can be caring, ^{A7}scaring, ^Ddaring!
^GBrothers can be speedy, ^{A7}needy, ^Dgreedy!
^GFathers can be happy, ^{A7}snappy, ^Dflashy!
^GMothers can be fussy, ^{A7}messy, ^Dcuddly!
 ...will you be my friend?

9 Thank You Jesus For Our Lunch (Jo 90)

Thankyou ^AJesus for our lunch. On our own or in a bunch....
 You satisfy ^{EP} us with good things on the outside and in...
 Thank you Jesus!
 Did somebody say lunch?
 Bom Bom Bom Bom!

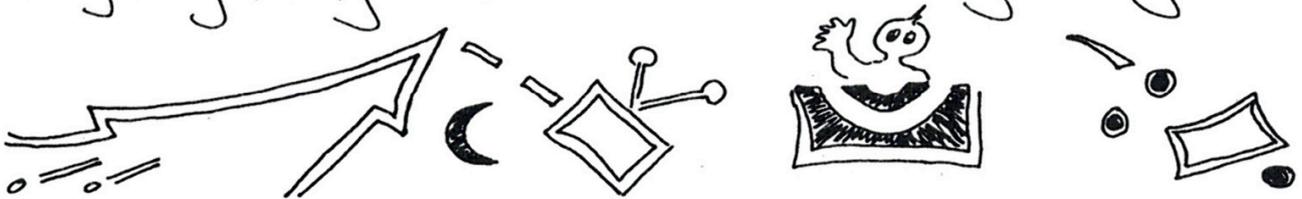
10 Things My Family Does (Gerry 93)

1. Things my family does. We get together at teatime
 Things my family does. At night we go to bed.
 Things my family does. We laugh and cry and argue.
 Things my family does. We give each other hugs.

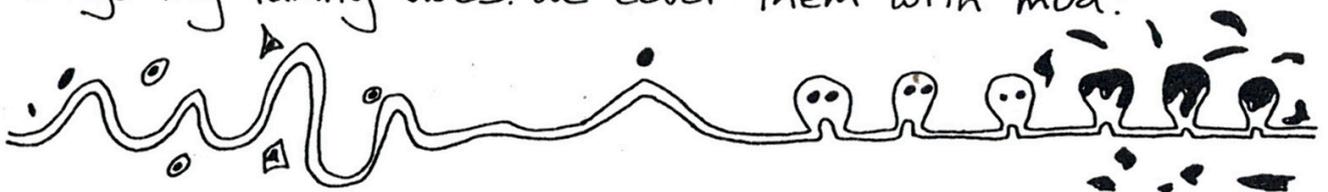


Growing..... Knowing..... We can find a way.

2. Things my family does. We go to the moon on Sundays.
 Things my family does. We never watch T.V.
 Things my family does. We buy our babies at Target.
 Things my family does. We throw our money away.



3. Things my family does. We share the good and bad times.
 Things my family does. Sometimes we're all alone.
 Things my family does. We love to have some visitors
 Things my family does. We cover them with mud!



11 Special People (Gerry 93)

Special people, special people, there are lots of special people
 in the family of God! x3
 We can name a few!



12 Our Hero (Rod 93)



When there's blood on the ground and there's mud in the air
 and our eyes have been blinded by darkness
 when there's fire in our soul and there's ice in our veins
 and our minds have been numbed with the sadness.

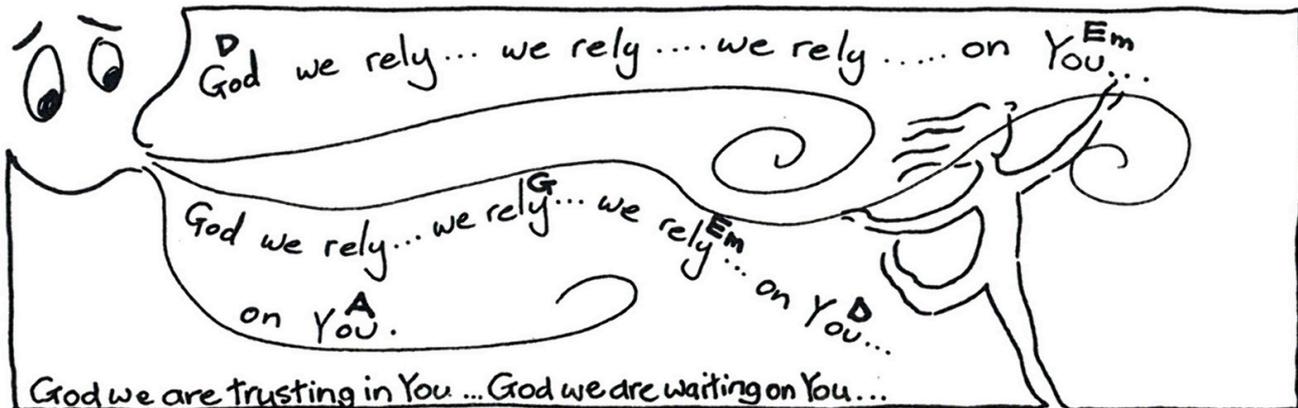
That's when the people need a hero. A hero who will die for a friend.
 A hero who knows the pain and the strife.....
 and gives us new life.



Jesus is our hero, Jesus is our friend. Because he died and rose again.
 We can have life..life...life
 That never ends... never ends.....

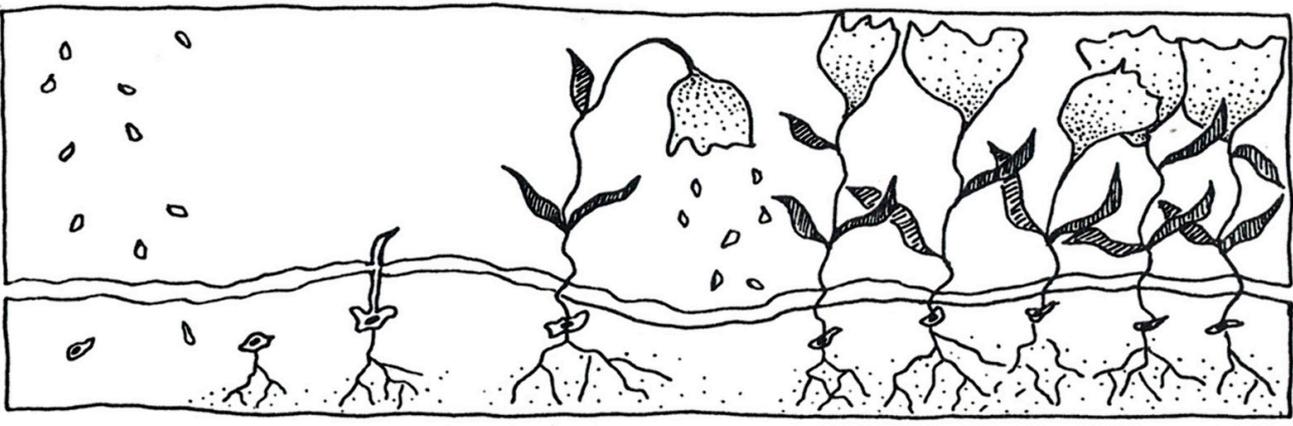


13 God We Rely (Gerry 94)



14 Unless... (Rod 93)

Unless... Unless... Unless... Unless a seed falls and is buried in the ground, it cannot be born again. So when a seed falls and is buried in the ground (it brings us) NEW LIFE (it brings us) NEW LIFE (it brings us) NEW LIFE good friend... END. UNLESS!



1. Jesus you have told us how God is working in us And when we let our worries be carried by the spirit (they will) Fall, fall down (and we will) Rise, rise up (and we will) live, live, live live, LIVE

2. Jesus you have shown us how when we do what God wants and strip off all our selfishness to leave our lives wide open (we will) Clear, clear out (and we will) Take, take in (and we will) Grow, grow, grow, grow GROW. Chorus + end.

15 Honest To God (Gerry 93)

Let's be honest to God in everything we do. Let's be honest to God and always tell the truth. For everything we cover up, and everything we hide away, will end up in the light of day.

Honest to God! x2

16 Jesus It's Time For Dinner (Jo 90)

^{Am} Jesus it's time for dinner.
 If we don't ^{E7} eat it all we might
 get ^{Am} thinner !!?

Who cooked tonight, was it ^G mum or ^{Dm} dad?
 This is the ^{E7} best meal that we've ever had.....
 Thank you ^D Jesus.. Bom. bom bom.. ^A bom.

17 Love Is Patient (Rod 94)

squark squark squark
 squark squark squark
 squark squark

^C love is patient... ^{Am} love is kind... ^C love is loyal.. ^F humble.. ^G good

^C love is helpful... ^F generous... ^G friendly
^{Am} love forgets the wrong ^{Em} ^{Am} ^{Em} ^{Am} love remembers the right.....
 and enjoys ^{G7} it.....
^C love waits for ^{G7} you ^{CFG7} ^C love believes in you.....
^C love hopes in ^{G7} you ^{CFG7} ^F love lasts forever... and ever...
 and ever... ^C ^{Am}

18 Jesus, Lover Of Wanderers (Gerry 94)



^GJesus ^Clover ^Dof ^Gwanderers ^C^D
 Daily ^Cwe seek Your ^Gvoice ^C^D
 Keep us ^Cwithin Your ^Gtenderness ^C^D
 Visit ^Cour every choice ^G

1. Oh! We need Your promises. Yes and to hear Your voice
 For our eyes are often closed. And our hearts can be like stone.
2. Goodness can be in short supply. Sadness can overcome
 For our words are often cold. And our dreams they can
 grow old.
3. Come now and take Your little ones. Hold them within Your arms.
 Take them home far from the pain
 Touch our world with love again



19 Jesus - G'day (Rod 91)

Jesus-G'day
 this is your day
 (we say) have
 your way with
 us. da da x 8

Jesus-G'day
 whatever you say
 (we know) will be
 O.K. with us.
 da da x 7

MIDDLE:
 We want, want, want (yes
 we do) to be, be, be (yes
 we do) - the people that
 you made us to be, made us
 to be x 2 END Am
 made us to
 be - free!



Jesus-G'day
 this is your life
 (that's right) no
 matter what pain
 and strife. Da da x 8

Jesus-G'day
 whatever we do
 (we bet) we know
 you won't forget.
 Da da x 7 MIDDLE:

Jesus-G'day
 we want to be true
 (and real) we need to
 be just like you.
 Da da x 8 Please?

20 Patterns (Jo & Gerry 91 & 92)

There are patterns all around us when we look

There are patterns in the people that we meet on either side ...

..if we look!

There are patterns in the Earth and in the sky.. if we look!

There are patterns in our eyes.. if we look! x2

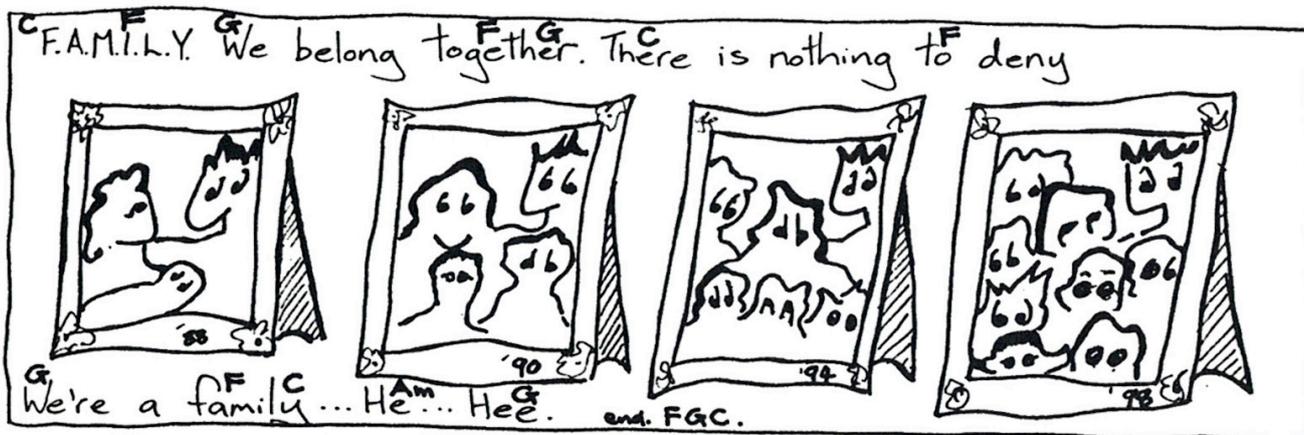
1. Hold a little shell in your hand
 See all the colours - feel all the bumps. God what a special world we have x 2... chorus
 2. Hold a lump of ice if you can
 Feel the coldness, watch as it melts. God what a special world we have x 2... chorus

3. Hold a little lizard in your hand. Feel as it wriggles, then let it go. God what a special world we have x 2... chorus



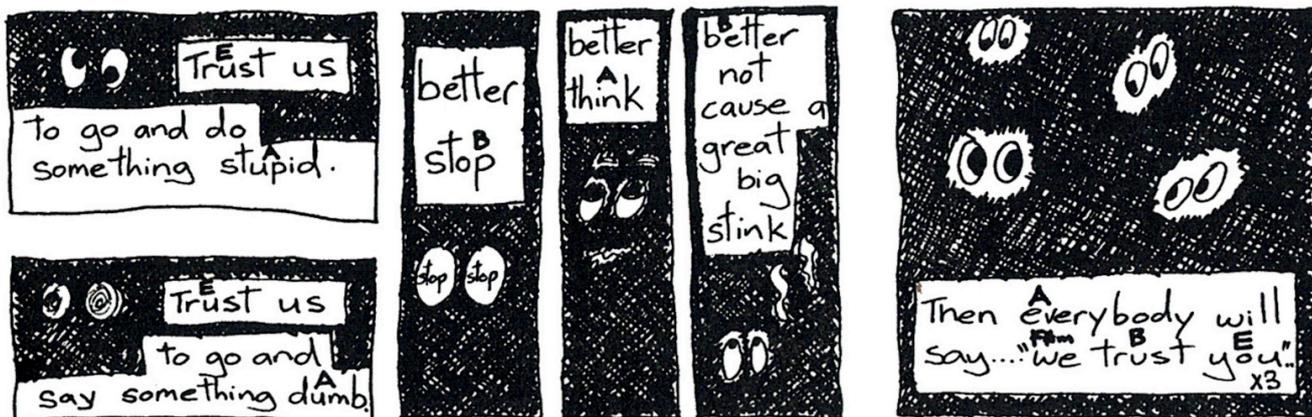
21 F.A.M.I.L.Y. (Gerry 91)

1. Squabbles in the kitchen - over washing up
 Tea towels cracking all around our ears.
 Chasey down the hallway, jumping on the beds
 Nearly always finishes in tears.
 Parents shouting, youngest pouting
 His fault - Her fault - family outing
 "I don't think I like being in a family."



2. Bad smells in the back seat, belches in the bath
 Burps 'n' slurps 'n' snotty handkerchiefs.
 Toothpaste in the basin, undies in the loo.
 Is this how it's really meant to be?
 Dog bark - skidmark - I'm scared in the dark.
 No one wants to go-to-the-park
 "I don't think I like being in a family."

22 Trust Us (Rod 94)



23 Mud (Gerry 94)

In the ^Gmud, in the mud
Up to our knees in the ^Dglug, glug, glug... In the ^Gmud x2, Whoops! We're sinking further!

In the ^Gmud... x2
Up to our tummies in the ^Dglug, glug, glug...
In the ^Gmud x2. Whoops we're sinking further!

In the ^Gmud x2
Up to our necks in the ^Dglug, glug, glug...
In the ^Gmud x2
Heeee....lp!

24 God's Gonna Give Us (Rod 91)

What ^Csorta day
Will we ^Fget today? HAPPY.. RAINY.. SCARY..
God's gonna give us a ^{G7}HAPPY day,
God's gonna' give us a ^{G7}HAPPY day,
God's gonna give us a ^{G7}HAPPY day,
a ^GHAPPY, ^{Am}HAPPY, ^{Bb}HAPPY, ^CHAPPY, ^{Dm}day.



What ^Cever we get
is what ^Fwe've got
Whether we like it or not. xx (stamp feet)
What ^Cever we get
we ^Fbet we know ^C
It's exactly what will hit the ^{G7}spot. x (big clap) ^C
Thankyou Jesus... Thankyou Jesus.. Thankyou Jesus.

25 Walk On The Straight Path (Jo 93)

^D Walk on the ^A straight path
^D Don't jump to the ^A side

^D Walk on the ^A water with
^D Jesus by our ^A side.

^D Walk on the ^A straight path
^D Don't fall off the ^A side
^D Walking with ^A Jesus

^D Then we'll ^A learn to ^D Fly

26 Yum Yum Yum (Rod 91)

^(G) For the day we've had...

Thank you Jesus
 yum, yum, yum

and the fun to come...
 Thank you Jesus
 yum, yum, yum

and the things we've done...
 For the food we eat:

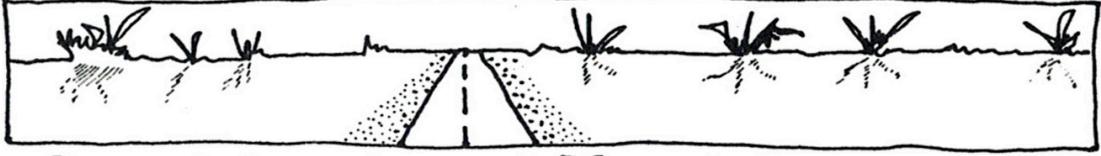
Amen...x3

27 Fog (Gerry 94)

When the ^{Em} fog comes down, it's hard to see - When the fog comes down, ... its hard to know the way.

^G Who needs to see? who needs to know? Who needs to find the straight and narrow road? ... Ba dow ba dow ba ... Yeah! Yeah!

When the sun comes up, it's plain to see - When the sun comes up, it's plain to know the way.



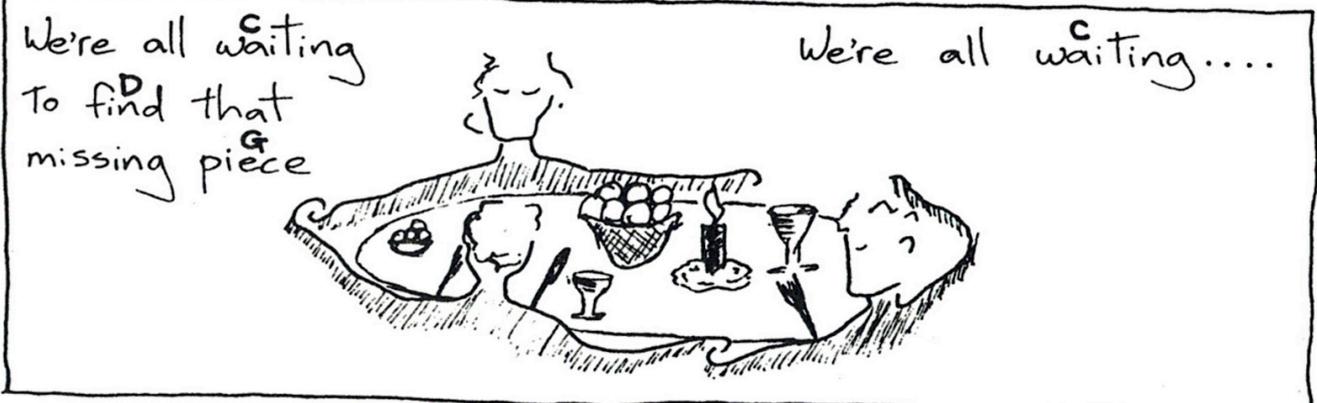
We need to see, we need to know. We need to find the straight and narrow road - - - - Ba dow ba dow ba - - - - Yeah! Yeah! end.

28 We're All Waiting (Gerry 94)



We're all waiting
It's a natural part
of life

We're all waiting for
something to arrive



We're all waiting
To find that
missing piece

We're all waiting....

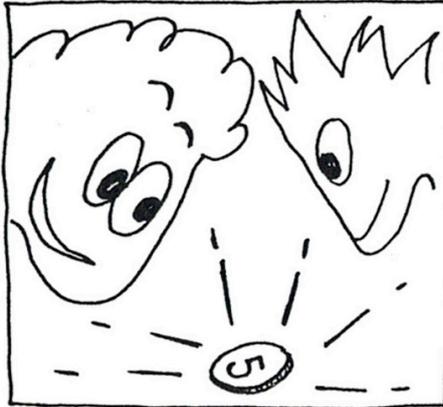
1. Baby bottle - nice new hat, Sports car throttle - cricket bat.
long lost cousin - birthday cake, Baker's dozen - batman cape!

Chorus

2. Software programme - spinning wheel
Barbie doll's pram - fishing reel,
Just one letter - holidays
Feeling better - weather change chorus

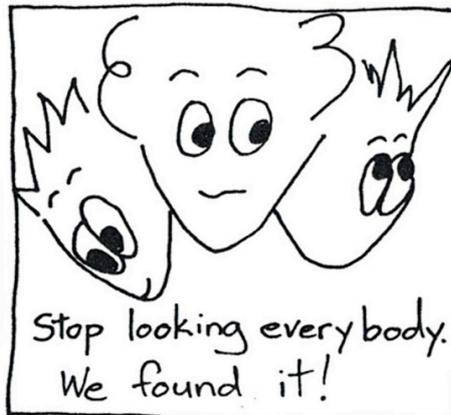
29 The Lost Coin (Gerry 93)

The ^E lost coin, the
^A lost coin, the ^{B₁} lost
 coin is ^E FOUND!
 We ^A swept and we
^{B₁} found it on the
^E ground!



Oh no!
 dropped it
 again!

^E look, look, look,
 look, where did
 it ^{B₁} go?
 Way up high?
 Way down
^{B₁} low?



^{end:}
 Now! Put it in
 our pockets!

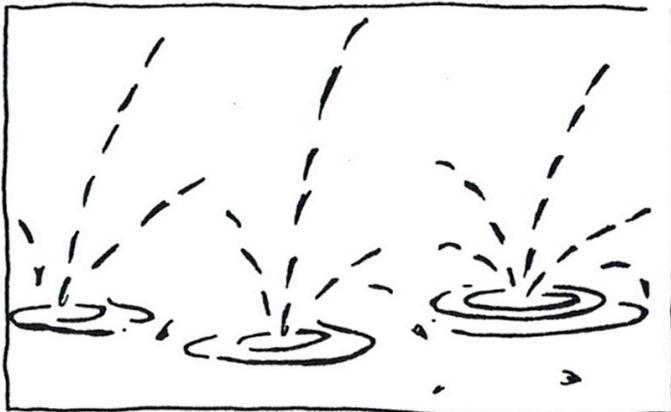
30 We Are All Family (Rod 93)

We ^G are all family ^D
 family of God ^G
^C brothers and ^G sisters
^{D₁} Working in
 faith and
 hope and love.

^G let us love God ^D
 and love each other ^G
^C as Jesus ^G loves us
 with ^{D₁} all
 our heart
 and mind
 and strength.

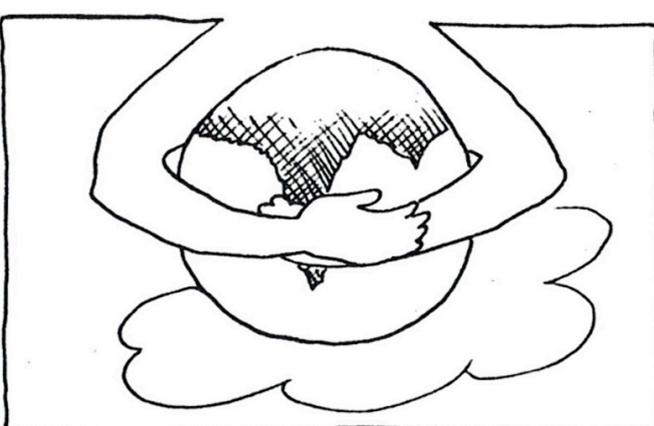
We ^G face the future ^D
 to ^G grow together ^G
 Jesus is leading
 He ^{D₁} is the
 Way
 the Truth
 the
 life.
 We are all family. ^{Em}

31 The Rain Falls (Gerry 93)



^{E E6 E6} The rain falls on dry ground
^{E E6 E6} It trickles and makes a
^{E E6} pittery, pattery ^E sound
^{A A6 A A6} Thankyou God
^{E E6 E} for the rain.....

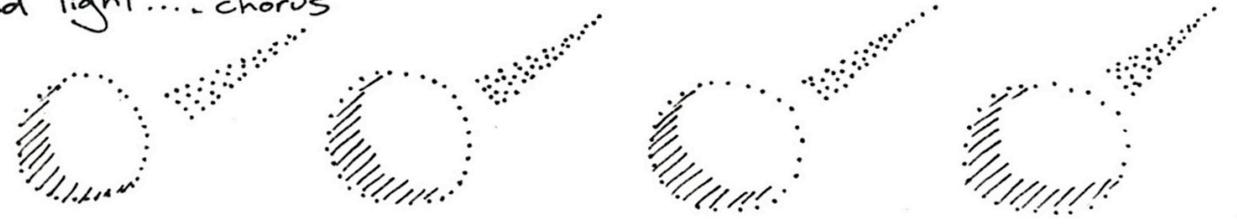
^{A A6 A A6} Thankyou God
^E that you're loving this
^{A6 E E6 x2 E A6 E B7} world again. x2
^{E E6 E} Chorus - ha doo
^{E6 EE6 EE6} doodle da doo x2
 2nd B7



2. The ^{E...}wind blows through tall trees. It whispers and makes a shivery melody. Thankyou God ^{A...} for the ^{E...}wind. Thankyou God ^{A...} for the whispery words you send... for the whispery words you send... ^{E A6 E B7}
3. The ^{E...}waves roll on blue seas. They rumble and then they tumble on you and me. Thankyou God ^{A...} for the ^{E...}waves. Thankyou God ^{A...} for the restless old sea you've made... for the restless old sea you've made.. ^{E A6 E E6 E B7}



4. The ^{E...}sun shines, the world turns. It holds us 'til the Heavenly dance we learn. Thankyou God ^{A...} for our life! Thankyou God ^{A...} that you fill it with music and light... that you fill it with music and light... chorus ^{E A6 E B7}



32 Wind Is Moving (Gerry 93)

Wind is moving over water,
Patterns shifting out across the bay.



Grass is bending on the hill side,
clouds are drifting right across the sky.

Oh Holy Spirit! Move over all our lives. x 2

33 Forgiveness (Rod 94)

Every little bit of forgiveness
Starts from God (Ah)
Comes to us (Ah)

We can pass it on I'm sorry you're forgiven x 2
That's better ah

34 Thoughts From Afar (Gerry 94)

God, you see our thoughts from afar!
Yes, you know what we're thinking before we've even thought about it,

God, you see our thoughts from afar,
and you know what we need.

35 Heaven On Earth (Mal Garvin & Rod 92)

Heaven on earth.
Heaven on earth.
That's why you came, Jesus..
You brought Heaven on earth..

No more division - above and below
No more delay about later on.
Your kingdom has come - Your will can be done right now --

We are living in...
heaven on earth.
heaven on earth.
heaven on earth.

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