

LORD OF THE DANCE

I danced in the morning when the world was begun
And I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun
And I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth,
At Bethlehem I had my birth.

Dance, then, wherever you may be,
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he,
And I'll lead you all, wherever you may be,
And I'll lead you all in the Dance, said he.

I danced for the scribe and the pharisee,
But they would not dance and they wouldn't follow me.
I danced for the fishermen, for James and John
They came with me and the Dance went on.

Chorus

I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame,
The holy people said it was a shame.
They whipped and they stripped and they hung me high
And they left me there on a Cross to die.

Chorus

I danced on a Friday when the sky turned black -
It's hard to dance with the devil on your back.
They buried my body and they thought I'd gone,
But I am the Dance, and I still go on.

Chorus

They cut me down, and I leapt up high;
I am the life that'll never, never die;
I'll live in you, if you'll live in me -
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he.

Chorus

ALL THINGS BRIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL

All things bright and beautiful
All creatures great and small
All things wise and wonderful
The Lord God that made them all

Each little flower that opens, Each little bird that sings
He made their glowing colours, And made their tiny wings

All things bright and beautiful
All creatures great and small
All things wise and wonderful
'Twas God that made them all

The purple headed mountains, The rivers running by
The sunset and the morning, That brightens up the sky

All things bright and beautiful
All creatures great and small
All things wise and wonderful
'Twas God that made them all

The cold wind in the winter, The pleasant summer sun
The ripe fruits in the garden, He made them every one

All things bright and beautiful
All creatures great and small
All things wise and wonderful
'Twas God that made them all

He gave us eyes to see them, And lips that we might tell
How great is the Almighty, Who has made all things well

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