# Live it Up!

"If you wish to experience peace, provide peace for another."-Tenzin Gyatso

# Care Actors with Characters Live It Up!

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"Every artist dips his brush in his own soul, and paints his own nature into his pictures."

Henry Ward Beecher

#### Act I

- I. The Big-o-Matic! Moral: Bigger isn't better
- II. Bigger isn't Better! Moral: Be happy with who you are!
- II. "Lessons in Babysitting" Moral: Learning Why is being responsible!
- V. "A Shark's Tale" Moral: Caring about the well being of others is being responsible!

#### Act II

- VI. "Do you have the time!" Moral: Use your time wisely
- VII. "Math Teachers!" Moral: Helping someone in need is a sign of responsibility!
- VII. "Words Hurt" Moral: Be responsible for what you do and say!
- VIII. Pretty Voice" Moral: Make your voice a positive choice!



#### WE GO TOGETHER

We go together like rama lama lama ke ding a de dinga a dong remembered for ever like shoo bop shoo wadda wadda yipitty boom de boom

Chang chang chang-it-ty chang shoo-bop That's the way it should be Wha oooh yeah!

We're one of a kind Like dip di-dip di-dip Doo-bop a doo-bee doo Our names are signed

Boog-e-dy boog-e-dy boog-e-dy Shoo-by doo-wop she-bop Chang chang chang-it-ty chang shoo-bop

We'll always be like one Wa-wa-wa-waaa!

When we go out at night And stars are shinin' bright
Up in the skies above Or at the high school dance
Where you can find romance Maybe it might be lo-oh oh oh-oh oh-ove

Ra-ma la-ma la-ma ka ding a da ding de dong Shoo-bop sha wad-da wad-da yipp-it-y boom de boom

> Chang chang chang-it-ty chang shoo-bop Dip da-dip da-dip doo-wop da doo-bee doo Boog-e-dy boog-e-dy boog-ed-y Shoo-by doo-wop she-bop

Sha-na-na-na-na-na-na yip-pit-y boom de boom Ra-ma la-ma la-ma ka ding-a de ding de dong Shoo-bop sha wad-da wad-da yipp-it-y boom de boom Chang chang chang-it-ty chang shoo-bop

Dip da-dip da-dip doo-wop da doo-bee doo Boog-e-dy boog-e-dy boog-e-dy shoo-by doo-wop she-bop Sha-na-na-na-na-na-na yip-pit-ty boom de boom

A wop ba-ba lu-mop A wop bam boom

We're for each other like A wop ba-ba lu-mop and wop bam boom

Just like my brother is Sha na na na na na yip-pit-y dip de boom Chang chang chang-it-ty chang shoo-bop

We'll always be together Wha oooh yeah!
We'll always, be together We'll always be together
We'll always be together!



# Bigger isn't better

Taller isn't braver Stronger isn't always wise

Smaller isn't necessarily the lesser Guts can come in any size

Lady luck can favor
Just a little shaver
Over one who's 6-foot-3

Brains in any tussle Mop the floor with muscle Bet your life I'm glad I'm me

(Chorus:)

Bigger isn't keener

Larger isn't bolder

Higher might be low inside

When you need to lean upon a friendly shoulder

Narrow's just as good as wide

See the mighty lion sittin there and crying bitten by a tiny flea

Mammoth was colossal what's he now? A fossil!

Bet your life I'm glad I'm me

What strong and hope they lag along
Get brains and heart
That handsome hunk might be a Lilliputian medley,
Proven consequently...
Though he shows his shoulders twice as big as boulders
If his brain's a tiny pea
When your in a pickle
He ain't worth a nickel
Bet your life I'm...Bet your life I'm glad I'm me



# The Big o Matic

Characters:

Students-- pencil
Athletes -- basketball
Bankers - money
Snackers-- candy
Kids-- themselves
Out of Order Scared Numbers, 6, 1,2,3,4,5,7 ( 7, 8, 9)

Punchline: Don't worry we will never ever run out of math

teachers. They always multiply!

Moral: Knowledge is Power!

# **Salesperson One:**

Hello, drama show shopper! Are you in search of a real show stopper?

# **Salesperson Two:**

Are you tired of living in a small world Tired of leading a small life,

# **Salesperson One:**

Had enough of always being on the short end! Had enough of settling for less!

#### **Both:**

Well, your troubles are about to disappear, With the Big-o-Matic over here!

That's right, cash, check or charge, it can turn any small item large!

But don't take our word for it,



watch our customers find it the perfect fit!

# **Problem Group One (Students):**

We can't possibly finish all the homework with this tiny pencil! We're doomed! This little thing will never do? Help us! We need something new!!

#### Salespeople:

Why, hello there people in need! Let us show you something that will surely let you succeed!

No problem is too big or too small! It's the Big o Matic, it can do it all!

Just put your item in the machine and it will answer your every dream!

(They put item in the machine machine.)

**Chorus:** (Make sound effects)

# **Problem Group One:**

Wow, now that's what we call a pencil! We're soo happy! Let's go get your homework done! Thanks Big-o-Matic!

# Salespeople:

Live it up!
There goes another satisfied customer!

# **Problem Group Two (Athletes):**

We can't possibly finish our game with this itty bitty basketball! We're doomed! This little thing will never do? Help us! We need something new!!

# Salespeople:



Why, hello there people in need! Let us show you something that will surely let you succeed!

No problem is too big or too small! It's the Big o Matic, it can do it all!

Just put your item in the machine and it will answer your every dream!

(They put item in the machine machine.)

**Chorus:** (Make sound effects)

# **Problem Group Two:**

Wow! Now that's what we call a basketball! We're soo happy! Let's go get our game on! Thanks Big-o-Matic!

# Salespeople:

Live it up!
There goes another satisfied customer!

# Problem Group Three (Bankers):

We can't possibly invest in the stock market with this microscopic amount of cash! We're doomed! This little thing will never do? Help us! We need something new!!

# Salespeople:

Why, hello there people in need! Let us show you something that will surely let you succeed!

No problem is too big or too small! It's the Big o Matic, it can do it all!

Just put your item in the machine and it will answer your every dream!

(They put item in the machine machine.)

**Chorus:** (Make sound effects)

#### **Problem Group Three:**

Wow! Now that's what we call some serious bankroll! We're soo happy! Let's go shopping! Thanks Big-o-Matic!

# Salespeople:

Live it up!

There goes another satisfied customer!

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# **Problem Group Four Snackers (candy):**

We can't possibly satisfy our sweet tooth with puny piece of candy! We're doomed! This little thing will never do? Help us! We need something new!!

# Salespeople:

Why, hello there people in need! Let us show you something that will surely let you succeed!

No problem is too big or too small! It's the Big o Matic, it can do it all!

Just put your item in the machine and it will answer your every dream!

(They put item in the machine machine.)

**Chorus:** (Make sound effects)

# **Problem Group Four:**

Wow! Now that's what we call some serious sweetness! We're soo happy! Let's get chomping! Thanks Big-o-Matic!



# Salespeople:

Live it up!

There goes another satisfied customer!

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# **Problem Group Five Kids (themselves):**

We'll never grow up! We'll always be too little for everything! We're doomed! This our snack sized selves will never do? Help us! We need something new!!

#### Salespeople:

Why, hello there people in need! Let us show you something that will surely let you succeed!

No problem is too big or too small! It's the Big o Matic, it can do it all!

Just put yourselves in the machine and it will answer your every dream!

(They put item in the machine machine.)

**Chorus:** (Make sound effects)

# **Problem Group Five:**

Wow! Now that's what we call some serious grown up-ness! We're soo happy! Let's get driving! Thanks Big-o-Matic!

# Salespeople:

Live it up!

There goes another satisfied customer!

**Salespeople!** Well, it looks like we've solved everyone's little problems!

**Group 1:** Wait a minute! But now we have big problems? This pencil's eraser ripped our paper! Now, we're in big trouble!

**Group 2:** Wait a minute! But now we have big problems? This basketball could't even fit through the hoop, so we lost game! Now, we're in big trouble!

**Group 3:** Wait a minute! But now we have big problems? This money has made us forget about important things like friends and family! Now, we're in big trouble!

**Group 4:** Wait a minute! But now we have big problems? This candy has given us a colossal stomach ache! Now, we're in big trouble!

**Group 5:** Wait a minute! But now we have big problems? We've missed childhood! Now, we're in big trouble!

Salespeople: Well, it looks like you have all learned a big

lesson!

**All Groups:** What?

**Salespeople:** Big isn't always better!

**All Groups:** Thanks Big-o- Matic!

# The Babysitter!

#### Characters:

Experienced Babysitters
Rookie Babysitter
Sleepers and Sleep walkers (blankets)
Sleepers and Sleep walkers (pillows)
Sleepers and Sleep walkers (shoes)
Sleeper and Sleep walkers (child)

# **Rookie Babysitter:**

I am so excited! The time has finally come! I am going to be a full-fledged baby sitter! Today's is my last day of training! This is a dream come true!

# **Experienced Babysitter 1:**

All right rookie! Tonight is the night that you can prove to use that you're made of the stuff it takes to be a premier babysitter.

# **Experienced Babysitter 2:**

So it's imperative that you listen up and learn the babysitting business if you want make it in this line of work!

# **Rookie Babysitter:**

I am ready! Sooo ready!!

# **Experienced Babysitter 1:**

Contain your excitement, they're already sleeping! We wouldn't want to wake them now would we!?

# **Experienced Babysitter 2:**

Now, the we're going to go through the most important rule! When, your babysitting....

**Experienced Babysitters:** Never ever, under any circumstance wake a sleep walker! It could be very dangerous! Capisce?

**Rookie:** Capisce! Never ever, under any circumstance wake a sleep walker! It could be very dangerous!

**Experienced Babysitters:** You're going to be okay, kid. You're a fast learner!

(Sleep walkers enter and begin to take the blankets of the sleeping)

**Rookie:** Whoah! Check it out! Those sleepwalkers are stealing those poor kid's blankets! We just gotta stop them!

**Experienced Babysitters:** Shh! Remember! Never ever, under any circumstance wake a sleep walker! It could be very dangerous! *Besides, they will bring em back in the morning...* 

Rookie: Okay, if you say so!

(Sleep walkers enter and begin to take the pillows of the sleeping)

**Rookie:** Whoah! Check it out! Those sleepwalkers are stealing those poor kids' pillows! We just gotta stop them!

**Experienced Babysitters:** Shh! Remember! Never ever, under any circumstance wake a sleep walker! It could be very dangerous! *Besides, they will bring em back in the morning...* 

Rookie: Okay, if you say so!

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(Sleep walkers enter and begin to take the shoes of the sleeping)



**Rookie:** Whoah! Check it out! Those sleepwalkers are stealing those poor kid's shoes! We just gotta stop them!

**Experienced Babysitters:** Shh! Remember! Never ever, under any circumstance wake a sleep walker! It could be very dangerous! *Besides, they will bring em back in the morning...* 

Rookie: Okay, if you say so!

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(Sleep walkers enter and take the child that is sleeping)

**Rookie:** Whoah! Check it out! Those sleepwalkers are stealing that poor soul! We just gotta stop them!

**Experienced Babysitters:** Shh! Remember! Never ever, under any circumstance wake a sleep walker! It could be very dangerous!

**Rookie:** I know, let me guess... <u>they will bring him back in the morning...</u>

**Experienced Babysitters:** You gotta it kid... You're going to be just fine after all!

#### A Shark's Tale!

Characters:
Fisherman

**Astronauts** 

**F**: My favorite part of winter? Ice fishing! That's right there is no place in the world I'd rather be than right here on the ice, with my pole, bait, and lonesome! Well, I'd like to chat, but we don't want to scare the fish away now do we? Oh! Oh! I forgot my line? "It next to the tackle box" Thank goodness for cue cards!

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**Astronauts:** Excuse me good sir, but we're astronauts. We've just gotten back from the moon and we're hungry!! Do you mind if we fish this pond with you!

**F:** Hold that thought! I got a bite! Whoa! It's a doozy! Why its a star, a starfish to be exact!

Astronauts: A Starfish.. that's right up our alley... may we share that fish with you!

*F:* Are out of this world?

Astronauts: Well, sometimes.

F: This fish is mine all mine! Now blast off and give me some space you astronauts!

Astronauts: I guess some people just don't have the holiday spirit!

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**Dogs:** (Barking) Excuse me good sir, but we're dogs. We've just gotten back from hunting with our owners and we're hungry!! Do you mind if we fish this pond with you!

**F:** Hold that thought! I got a bite! Whoa! It's a doozy! Why its a cat, a catfish to be exact!

Dogs: A Catfish.. that's right up our alley... may we share that fish with you!

F: Do you have rabies?

Dogs: Well, sometimes.

**F:** This fish is mine all mine! Now, leave me alone are I will send you to the pound!

**Dogs:** I guess some people just don't have the holiday spirit!

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**Bodybuilders:** Excuse me good sir, but we're bodybuilders. We've just gotten back from the gym, and we're hungry!! Do you mind if we fish this pond with you!

**F:** Hold that thought! I got a bite! Whoa! It's a doozy! Why its a mussel, a strong one to be exact!

Bodybuilders: A mussel.. that's right up our alley... may we share that fish with you!

**F:** Are you dehydrated.

Bodybuilders: Well, sometimes!

**F:** This fish is mine all mine! Now, go pump some iron you bodybuilders!

**Bodybuilders:** I guess some people just don't have the holiday spirit!

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**Carpenters:** Excuse me good sir, but we're carpenters. We've just gotten back from building a home, and we're hungry!! Do you mind if we fish this pond with you!

**F:** Hold that thought! I got a bite! Whoa! It's a doozy! Why its a WALL, a walleye to be exact!

Carpenters: A walleye.. that's right up our alley... may we share that fish with you!

F: This fish is mine all mine! Now, go build something you carpenters!

**Carpenters:** I guess some people just don't have the holiday spirit!

**F:** Well. it looks like I am finally alone on this lake! Mmmm.... seems like is plump out of fish. Why, there's gotta be a little something left! Wait, second, I got a pull..

(Shark.... comes)

**Shark:** Hey, where are all the fish in my sea? Are there any left?

Chorus: Yes! One! It is a SELfish!

**Shark:** How, tantalizing!



#### Do You have the time?

Characters:
Late People
Director
Runners
Kids
Bakers
Grandfather clocks
Random Actor

#### Late Person 1 -

Finally, we get a break! I am so tired!! Drama is hard work!

#### Late Person 2 -

You said it! ... all those hours and hours of acting and rehearsing!

#### Late Person 3 -

Not to mention, hours and hours of memorizing lines!

#### Late Person 1 -

You said it, and don't forget all those hours and hours of working on props!

#### Late Person 2 -

Not to mention, hours and hours of memorizing lines!

#### Late Person 2 -

... and let's not forget about the hours and hours of working on costumes!

#### **Late Person 1 -**

Right on, and what about all those hours and hours cleaning the stage and getting ready for the show!

# **All Late People-**

We need a break, we're exhausted! Let's get some shut eye!

#### **Director**

There you three are! You're late... intermission is already over and time to get on with the show! You really all should be more responsible!

Late 2-- but we're exhausted!

Late 3-- and we're so tired!!

**Late 1-** we'd feel better **if** we just had a little break"

**Director--** Well, you all have been working pretty hard... I guess I could give a little break. Okay, get some sleep.

**But** then I want you all ready to go at 7:00pm sharp. No ifs, and, or buts! If you're not bright eyed and bushy tailed. Your all through! And I mean through, you'll never work theater business again! Do we have an understanding... am I making myself clear?

**Lates--** Crystal! Thanks director, you won't regret this.

#### **Director-**

I already am!

#### Late Person 1 -

All right, let's get some sleep! you know what she said we need to be bright eyed and busy tailed... that means well rested!

#### Late 2

Excuse us audience, while we get some well needed sleep!

#### Late 3

If you wouldn't mind, could you keep it down?

Chorus: Sweet Dreams... Don't let the bedbugs bite!

**Runners:** Keep up the pace! Oh no! my watch is broken? I wonder what time it is? Maybe they could help us? Excuse us! Hi there!! Excuse us!!

**Startled Late people:** Whoah...ohhh What... what's going on?

#### **Runners** -

We're sorry we didn't mean to wake you!

**Startled Late people:** Don't worry about it... we weren't sleeping **yet**! What do you need?

**Runners-:** We were just wondering if you know what time it was?

**Startled Late people:** Yes, why it's 6:55pm.

**Runners:** Why thank you, now you guys better get some sleep! You look tired! See you next time!

**Startled Late people:** Boy, what do people have to do to get some sleep around here?

Chorus: Sweet Dreams... Don't let the bedbugs bite!

**Bakers:** We don't want our buns to burn! Oh no! Our timer is broken? I wonder what time it is? Maybe they could help us? Excuse us! Hi there!! Excuse us!!

**Startled Late people:** Whoah...ohhh What... what's going on?

#### Bakers -

We're sorry we didn't mean to wake you!

**Startled Late people:** Don't worry about it... we weren't sleeping **yet**! What do you need?

**Bakers-:** We were just wondering if you know what time it was?

**Startled Late people:** Yes, why it's 6:56pm.

**Bakers:** Why thank you, now you guys better get some sleep! You look tired! See you next time!

**Startled Late people:** Boy, what do people have to do to get some sleep around here?

Chorus: Sweet Dreams... Don't let the bedbugs bite!

**Students:** We're hungry! Is it lunch time yet? I wonder what time it is? Maybe they could help us? Excuse us! Hi there!! Excuse us!!

**Startled Late people:** Whoah...ohhh What... what's going on?

#### Students -

We're sorry we didn't mean to wake you!

**Startled Late people:** Don't worry about it... we weren't sleeping **yet**! What do you need?

**Students-:** We were just wondering if you know what time it was?

**Startled Late people:** Yes, why it's 6:56pm.

**Students:** Why thank you, now you guys better get some sleep! You look tired! See you next time!

**Startled Late people:** Boy, what do people have to do to get some sleep around here?

Chorus: Sweet Dreams... Don't let the bedbugs bite!

**Grandfather Clocks:** We're old grandfather clocks and we forgot the time? I wonder what time it is? Maybe they could help us? Excuse us! Hi there!! Excuse us!!

**Startled Late people:** Whoah...ohhh What... what's going on?

**Grandfather Clocks: -**

We're sorry we didn't mean to wake you!

**Startled Late people:** Don't worry about it... we weren't sleeping **yet**! What do you need?

**Grandfather Clocks:** We were just wondering if you know what time it was?

**Startled Late people:** Yes, why it's 6:58pm.

**Grandfather Clocks:** Why thank you, now you guys better get some sleep! You look tired! See you next time!

**Startled Late people:** Boy, what do people have to do to get some sleep around here?

**Late 1:** This just isn't working?

**Late 2:** We'll never get any sleep!

**Late 3:** Wait, I got it! I have the perfect plan. Let's just write a sign that says... We don't know what it is!

**Late 1:** Excellent... then they won't try to wake us to find out the time!

Late 2: Brilliant!

Late 3: Well, let's get some sleep! Finally!!

**Chorus:** Sweet Dreams... Don't let the bedbugs bite!

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**Random Actor:** Wait a second, what does that say? We don't know the time! Mmm, that's horrible... I wouldn't want those poor souls to be late for anything... Excuse me.... Excuse me.... WAKE UP!!!!!!

#### **Late People:**

What... What is it? What now?

**Random Actor:** I just thought I would tell you it's 6:59 pm since you didn't know the time!

# **Late People:**

Thanks.... Well, I guess it's **time** to go...

Moral: Use your time wisely!



# **Math Heroes**

Characters:
Math Teachers
Salesperson
Geometry -Geometrees (Out of shape)

#### **Geometry Geome trees! -**

Help were geometrees and were out of shape! We desperately need help! We need a hero!

**Chorus:** This sounds like a job for math teachers!

Math teachers: Have no fear a math teacher is here!

**Chorus:** I think this is the beginning of a beautiful equation!

#### Math Books -

Help were math books and we've got pages and pages of problems! We desperately need help! We need a hero!

Chorus: This sounds like a job for math teachers!

Math teachers: Have no fear a math teacher is here!

**Chorus:** I think this is the beginning of a beautiful equation!

#### Bakers-

Help were bakers and we've for got the recipe for pi! We desperately need help! We need a hero!

**Chorus:** This sounds like a job math teacher!

Math teachers: Have no fear a math teacher is here! Pi is

roughly 3.14!

**Chorus:** I think this is the beginning of a beautiful equation!

#### Scared numbers -

Help were scared numbers and we fear the number 7, because it ate(eight) nine!

**Chorus:** This sounds like a job for math teachers!

**Math teachers:** Have no fear a math teacher is here!

**Chorus:** I think this is the beginning of a beautiful equation!

**Concerned Citizen:** Wait a second! We got to stop this

madness!

**Chorus:** What are you talking about?

Concerned Citizen: With all the problems in the world, were

going to run out of math teachers to help!

Chorus: Run out of math teachers?

Concerned Citizen: Yeah, run out of math teachers!

Chorus: That's impossible!

Punchliner: Don't worry we will never ever run out of math

teachers. They always multiply!

**Chorus:** Math teachers always multiply!

Moral: Knowledge is Power!



#### **Words Hurt**

Characters:
Narrator
Bully
Friends
<b>Little Brothers and Sisters</b>
<b>Mother and Fathers</b>
911 people
Neighbors
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**Narrator:** They say the stick and stones may break your bones but words will never hurt.... But what if they did? Would we think before we speak? What if we didn't? Would we find ourselves all alone in the Twilight Zone? Watch and learn as our friend teaches us a valuable lesson: *Words can hurt!* 

Bully: Excellent!, my rents are gone and that means I'm home alone!  Well, almost except for my annoying brothers and sisters!  It's time for a little company! (Calls friends) Hello,! Come on over, my rents are gone! And I am going to throw a party!
Siblings: Hey, Look at our beautiful drawings! We did drew it just for you!
<b>Bully:</b> Get lost, you little brats I am expecting company! (Siblings pass out)
<b>Bully:</b> Nice, quit playing I want you guys out of here Well, fine then as long as you don't make a sound! Mmm, perhaps, I should order a pizza! (Calls) One pepperoni pizza, hold the pepperonis!
(Friends arrive)  Friends: Hey! What's up! Are you ready to party hearty!!??
<b>Bully:</b> I was born ready! (doorbell rings) It must be the pizza! (answers door) What took you so long! And the pizza cold! I want this free you ice cold pizza delivering turtle! (Pizza person passes out) Nice, quit playing Well fine then, but I am not paying for it!
<b>Friends:</b> Do you think the pizza boy is okay?



**Bully:** What's it to you? You should be more concerned about your style! I can't believe how ridiculous you all look! You all look like a bunch of clowns!! (Friends pass out)

Okay, quit playing! Everyone quit playing? I get it Now stop this right now! (Parents arrive home)
<b>Parents:</b> , what are you doing! Why are all these people sleeping? I thought we told you that couldn't have a sleepover!
<b>Bully:</b> Leave me alone, you drill sergeants! (Parents pass out) I know not again! What's happening here! I didn't mean it! You guys I'm sorry for my hurtful words!
I better call 911!
Emergency People: We got here as fast as could! What's the problem!
<b>Bully:</b> Well, look around Einsteins, it doesn't take a rocket science to see they all need help!

Wait, I didn't mean it! I am sorry! I take it all back! Everyone, I am so sorry! I should have told them how much they mean to me instead of being mean! Now, look what I did! *I am such as idiot!* (Bully passes out)

#### Narrator:

So be careful what you and how you say it, because words really do hurt! These poor characters? Well, all they need is a little love!

Cast: Be responsible on what you say and do!

Now get to it! (Emergency people pass out)



# **Pretty Voice!**

# **Chorus:**

So the next time you have a choice, use kind words, use your pretty voice

# Live it Up!

"If you wish to experience peace, provide peace for another."-Tenzin Gyatso

A scene begins
With our next melody
Sung by a bashful bird
Humming a violet sky
There are no words
But there is understanding
It's been so long
Since I've heard that pretty voice

Raise up our lights
And enter hero girl
She makes me calm
Yeah she makes me calm
When she hears a song
And she starts singing
It's been so long
Since I've heard that pretty voice

Strike up the band
Here comes the storyline
Of the usual struggle
Between fear and love
This is the lifelong song
We're all singing
It's been so long
Since I've heard that pretty voice

Now it begins
I miss your hollering
But you're so sure
Such a bashful bird
Here's a song
But no one's singing
It's been so long
Since I've heard your pretty voice