

Bobby Susser Songs For Children WO

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NOTE TO PARENTS AND TEACHERS OF YOUNG CHILDREN: All dancing and exercising to songs should be done in a safe and appropriate setting and environment, with adult supervision. Proper clothing should be worn when dancing or exercising (not too big, bulky or conflining). Each child's age and personal readiness should be taken into account for any dance or exercise, before he or she is getting ready to begin. If there is the slightest doubt, regarding a child's health in relationship to a dance or exercise, the parent, teacher or other supervising adult should receive the approval of the child's physician.

1. Any Time Of Day

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Purpose: To encourage a sing along, and to help appreciate songs, as well as to understand how easily available they are to us, throughout the day.

There is always a song to sing We have songs about everything Any time of day Any time of day So many songs are standing by We can give any one a try Any time of day You can sing to the moon In the morning or the afternoon Or sing the night away To the milky way And any Christmas song in June Any song that you sing Has a very very special ring Singing it your way Any time of day Is like a baby bird in Spring

Any time of day I just love to sing songs with you There is nothing like a song or two Any time of day INSTRUMENTAL: When you're singing a song It never feels like it's too long Everything feels right Morning noon and night Just sing on and on Yeah take it all the way Any single time of day You know you can't go wrong With a simple song Singing any time of day Any time of day I just love to sing songs with you There is nothing like a song or two Any time of day (FADE) Any time of day Any time if day I just love to sing songs with you There is nothing I'd rather do Any time of day

2. The Wo Wo Song

Purpose: To create a togetherness, while having fun, and singing along with the chorus, "Wo Wo."

Everybody get ready
We're all gonna sing together
Yeah everybody get ready
We can try to sing forever
So we're all gonna sing it right now
Let's get up and sing it out loud.....right
now..right now
Right now.... right now
CHORUS:
Wo wo wo wo wo
Wo wo wo wo wo
Wo wo wo wo wo

It might sound a little funny We're gonna have a good good time And you don't need to worry Sing along and you'll feel fine This is a song that's gonna make you smile Get on up and try a while.....vou'll smile..vou'll smile You'll smile.....vou'll smile CHORUS: (Two Times) Wo all around town You can wo it upside down And then wo spinning around Just let me hear that wo wo sound You know there's nothing like a wo wo time It's for sure a wo wo time.....feels fine..feels fine Feels fine feels fine

3. Smiling Face

You can face it all

Feeling ten feet tall

With a smile you can't go wrong

CHORUS: (Two Times and FADE)

Purpose: To encourage a positive outlook on life, and to "Get right up", and smile.

There are times when you might stumble And there are times when you might fall But you can get right up And say "I've had enough" When you're smiling ten feet tall And when it's raining all day Or even hotter than you ever thought Yeah you can sail along And you can sing the song Whenever you are smiling Absolutely Keep on smiling CHORUS: Smiling face Feels so good to wake up with a Smiling face Nothing much can shake up any Smiling face Anytime you're feeling troubled And you feel there's something wrong

There's nothing you can't do Not a thing is gonna get in the way 'Cause a smile can do More than you ever knew So won't you keep on smiling Absolutely Keep on smiling CHORUS: Smiling face Feels so good to wake up with a Smiling face Nothing much can shake up any Smiling face Feels so good to wake up with a Smiling face Nothing much can shake up any Smiling face Here's the final verse to this song There's one thing we all can say A little smiling face Will always find a place Somewhere along the way And oh veah what a difference When a frown becomes a smile Yeah just a little curl Can really change the world So let's start smiling Absolutely Keep on smiling CHORUS: Smiling face Feels so good to wake up with a Smiling face Smiling face Feels so good to wake up with a Smiling face

Nothing much can shake up any

Smiling face

(FADE)

4. Qooh Good Morning

Purpose: A song to greet the morning, with enthusiasm.

Oooh Good morning Oooh Good morning to you I can hear the birds sing Singing songs I never knew Oooh what a morning Oooh nice and sunny today Sure looks to me Like a perfect day said to me INSTRUMENTAL Oooh what a morning Oooh nice and sunny today Sure looks to me Like a perfect day night Oooh Good morning Oooh Good morning Oooh Good morning right out

5. A Party Today

Purpose: A party song to create a feeling of togetherness, by joining in the singing, and dancing to the song. It may be used for a specific party or for simply, a good time for

I woke up in the morning And I felt so good Everybody could hear me say We oughta get on up and dance right now And have a party today Oh we can dance all day And we can sing all day Yeah we might even start a parade And without a doubt you can shout right out

We're gonna have a party today CHORUS:

A Party today I really must say A party today We can break the news In our dancing shoes You just can't refuse So let's have a party today Well I asked my brother And my sister too "You coming to the party today?" The both of them smiled and they "You couldn't keep us away They'll hear us in Bombay We'll sing the day away We'll sing and dance all day and

And without a doubt you can shout We're gonna have a party today" CHORUS: Oh it would be so nice

To see everyone In a world wide party one day Just imagine what a great big party Singing and dancing away And everybody there Would say "I do declare

I'm so happy to be right here" And without a doubt they would Your birthday is here shout right out "We're having a party today" Loud and clear CHORUS: (Fade) "I wish you good luck

6. Today Is Your Birthday

Purpose: A fun birthday song, to be sung by all, at, and for, all ages.

The big balloons Are all around And you can hear The happy sounds The music's right It's right for you And everyone Is singing to you CHORUS Today today is your birthday Another birthday another year Today today is your birthday Another birthday another year Your birthday is here Friendly faces Are all right here Smiling at you A birthday cheer Birthday candles Are burning bright Blow them out With delight CHORUS: BRIDGE: Have a good good time Your birthday is here Have a good good time All your friends are saying Throughout the year" Good good wishes Are everywhere Happy Birthday! Your birthday is here

Your birthday is here Your birthday is here Your birthday is here CHORUS: (Fade)

7. Let's Dance And Dance Forever

Purpose: This is a dance, and/or exercise sona. Listeners may follow the singer's instructions, dance in their own creative way, and sing along. The song also encourages togetherness.

Let's get on up Move around To the side Up and down Shake it up Spin around In place Way down Hey hey hey yeah To the left To the right In between Alright Shake it up Down again Shake it all To the end Hey hey hey yeah CHORUS: Let's dance Let's dance Let's dance and dance forever Every one of us together Jump in place Up and down Here we go All around

Reach on out

Hey hey hey yeah Shake it more Left and right Stay loose That's right Shake your arms All around Shake it all Up an down Hey hey hey hey yeah CHORUS: Let's dance Let's dance Let's dance and dance forever Every one of us together Let's dance Hey hey hey yeah Let's dance Hey hey hey hey yeah Let's dance Hey hey hey yeah Let's dance Hey hey hey hey yeah Hey move your hips All around Move your feet Turn around Once again Turn around And move your feet On the ground Hey hey hey yeah One more time Yeah let's go Shake it down To your toes

And shake it up

And down again

Give me five

Turn around

One more time

Shake it all To the end Hey hey hey yeah CHORUS: (TWO TIMES and FADE) Let's dance Let's dance Let's dance and dance forever Every one of us together

8. I'm Ready To Rock N' Roll

Purpose: This song is an introduction to rock n' roll. Listeners may hand clap, dance, and/or sing along with the chorus, or sing the entire sona.

When I heard Chuck Berry And Elvis Presley I wasn't even three years old Yes I really felt it I knew they meant it The music and the stories they So I started playing I kept on saving Nothing's gonna hold my song down And it's been the reason That I'm believing That I can really sing it out now CHORUS: I'm ready To rock n' roll Been ready Since I was three years old I'm ready To rock n' roll I'm ready ves I'm ready I just love rock singing

And tambourine ringing

And when the Beatles shouted I never doubted It felt like I could not get enough So I kept on singing And tambourine ringing So I'd be good and ready for you The time has come now I believe I know how To sing every note just for you CHORUS:

Oh I love every note of that stuff

BRIDGE: Are you ready? Are you ready?

Are you ready to rock n' roll? Are you ready? Are you ready? Are you ready to rock n' roll? CHORUS: INSTRUMENTAL: So I started playing I kept on saying Nothing's gonna hold my song down And it's been the reason That I'm believing That I can really sing it out now CHORUS: (Fade)

9. The Music Gets Us Going

Purpose: This song is to help develop and appreciate a sense of rhythm, and music. All may sing, and dance to the song.

Suddenly we can hear all the music everywhere We can sing and we can dance anywhere from here to there All at once we can feel everybody in the room

Ready now joining in with every single tune CHORUS: And the music Oh it gets us going The music

Yeah it gets us going From our heads down to our feet We can feel the heat And the music we hear

Just aets us aoina Every sound fills the room just like

magic in the air Everyone jumping up to the music everywhere

What a sight what a feel so much happiness is here

All because every sound of the music loud and clear CHORUS:

BRIDGE:

Music music music music Music aets us going Music music music music Music aets us going

INSTRUMENTAL: CHORUS: (Fade)

10. On A Train Ride (The Friendship Train, Clickity

Clackin')

Purpose: To create a feeling of togetherness, and friendship, while singing along.

On a train ride On a train ride It was another Saturday A nice day to take a ride I felt this was a lucky day And I stepped inside As we rode down the track everybody looked around

And togetherness grew from town to town All the different faces were pretty

much the same And we started singing "The

Friendship Train* CHORUS:

On a train ride On a train ride

Clickity clackin', clickity clackin' Clackin' clackin' wohh

On a train ride We rode to every station

And through the countryside The sun was there embracin' The friendly ride

As we rode together there was so much we could see

Together is the way it ought to be The friendship that was there was

simply telling me We're rolling along so naturally

CHORUS: INSTRUMENTAL:

As we rode down the track everybody looked around And togetherness grew from town

to town All the different faces were pretty much the same

And we started singing "The Friendship Train"

CHORUS:

11. You Ought To Have Fun (Fun Fun Fun)

Purpose: This rhythmic sona is meant to encourage children to dance, sing, and FEEL the rhythm. It is also meant to teach children. that during the course of our working day, whatever may come our way. "We Ought To Have Fun."

No matter what you say No matter what you do Working hard all day And when you're resting too One thing that you should know Forever and a day Wherever you may go Whatever comes your way CHORUS: You ought to have fun You ought to have fun Fun fun fun....lots of fun Fun fun fun.....lots of fun On any sunny day On any starry night If you decide to stay If you turn left or right And on a snowy day And when you feel the rain Remember what we say It's pretty much the same CHORUS: BRIDGE: We've been singing singing singing about fun fun fun And it feels like the time has truly come Time for us to have lots of fun fun

Time for us to have lots of fun

Now we know the way

And what it's all about On any given day Whether we're in or out On a foggy day We all can see Having fun some way Is how it ought to be CHORUS: (Fade)

12. Good Night Purpose: For rest period, nap, or

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Here together Here together feels right Happy days forever Right into a perfect night The sky is so clear All the stars are out tonight See them wink See them wink 'Good night' INSTRUMENTAL: The sky is so clear All the stars are out tonight See them wink See them wink 'Good night' INSTRUMENTAL: (Fade)

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