

Songs and Singing I: Mostly Rounds and Part-Songs

Led by Jacki Breger

ACA Camp Staff Training Day

June 4, 2011 in San Diego

June 11, 2011 in Los Angeles

2 or 4 Parts (Start with 2 parts, then move to 4 parts)

Row Row Ro Your Boat

As a two-parter: Row row row your boat, gently down the stream
Merrily, merrily, merrily merrily, life is but a dream

As a four-parter: Row row row your boat
Gently down the stream
Merrily, merrily, merrily, merrily
Life is but a dream

Make New Friends

As a two-parter: Make new friends, but keep the old
One is silver and the other gold

As a four parter: Make new friends
But keep the old
One is silver and the
Other gold

2 Parts (Los Angeles session only)

Father Father Good-bye (remember the syncopation and the “calypso-style” beat)

Father father good-bye and farewell mother
I leave you now to begin with another

4 Parts

Little Tommy Tinker

Little Tommy Tinker sat on a clinker
He began to cry
Maaaa! Maaaa!
What a poor fellow am I

Rose

Rose, rose, rose, rose
Will I ever see thee wed
I will marry at thy will, Sire
At thy will

Old Abram Brown (Los Angeles only)

Old Abram Brown is dead and gone
You'll never see him more
He used to wear a long brown coat
That buttoned down before

Johnny (Los Angeles only) (remember the 1-2-3 triangle to keep the beat)

Johnny, Johnny
Oh! Oh!
Here we come singing and
Here we come calling for... (back to the beginning)

Peace Round, by Jean Ritchie (San Diego only)

Oh what a goodly thing
When the children of the world
Shall live together
In peace

3 Parts (San Diego only)

Oh How Lovely

Oh how lovely is the evening, is the evening
When the bells are sweetly ringing, sweetly ringing
Ding dong, ding dong, ding dong