

# Irish Song Lyrics

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A Place In The Choir  
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Listen to the bass it's the one at the bottom  
Where the bullfrog croaks and the hippopotamus  
Moans and groans in the big tattoo  
And the old cow just goes "moo"  
The dogs and the cats they take up the middle  
Where the honey bee hums and the cricket fiddles  
The donkey brays and the pony neighs  
And the old grey badger sighs oh

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Listen to the top with the little birds singing  
And the melodies and the high notes ringing  
And the hoot-owls cries over everything  
And the blackbird disagrees  
Singing in the night-time, singing in the day  
And the little duck quacks and he's on his way  
And the otter hasn't got much to say  
And the porcupine talks to himself

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It's a simple song, a little one sung everywhere  
By the ox and the fox and the grizzly bear  
The dopey alligator and the hawk above  
The sly old weasel and the turtle-dove

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