

## My Rainbow Race

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### Chorus:

One blue sky above us  
One ocean lapping all our shore  
One earth so green and round  
Who could ask for more  
And because I love you  
I'll give it one more try  
To show my rainbow race  
It's too soon to die.

1. Some folks want to be like an ostrich,  
Bury their heads in the sand.  
Some hope that plastic dreams  
Can unclench all those greedy hands.  
Some hope to take the easy way:  
Poisons, bombs. They think we need 'em.  
Don't you know you can't kill all the unbelievers?  
There's no shortcut to freedom.  
(Repeat chorus)

2. Go tell, go tell all the little children.  
Tell all the mothers and fathers too.  
Now's our last chance to learn to share  
What's been given to me and you.  
(Repeat chorus one and a half times)