

# Whats The Good Of A Birthday The Birthday Song

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Whats the Good Of A Birthday (The Birthday Song) Lyrics

I've had a birthday come today, it's been a bit of a washout too  
Though I had presents from everyone of the useful kind  
Without much fun and a bit of a party do  
Birthdays are jolly my mummy said  
Ha-ha, mine's finished up being sent to bed  
What's the good of a birthday if you can't have what you like  
What's the good of a handkerchief to a fellow who wants a bike

They gave me a brush to clean me teeth and a tube of paste as well  
And it wasn't the paste with the peppermint taste, it was a nasty carbollicky smell  
So I squeezed all the paste on the carpet for fun  
And I stood on the toothbrush so that break was done  
And I won't use me hanky I'll just let it run  
What's the good of a birthday

And the birthday party too it wasn't much good to me  
I'd honey sandwiches, then some ham, some trifle jelly with cream and jam  
And seven big cups of tea  
And just then I noticed a big pork pie - I couldn't have it - now I ask you why  
What's the good of a birthday if you can't eat till you're sick  
What's the good of a piece of cake if a fella can't have his pick

They told me I'd be a P.I.G. and that I'd best beware, ha-ha  
I said P.I.G.'s are happier than me, so why should I bloomin'well care  
Then I crept in the larder and guess what I got  
A tin of sardines and I et all the lot, he-he  
Then I showed them if I could be sick or not, ha-ha-ha-ha-ha, hoo-hoo  
It was awful - all over the place

When I'd been sick they said that's that and me birthday they said was done  
They washed me hands and washed me face, I was sent to bed  
I was in disgrace - just as if being sick was fun  
They took all me clothes from the bedroom  
'Cause then they