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**Watermelon on the vine**

See that watermelon a'hanging on the fence  
How I wish that melon was mine  
Some folks are foolish, they just don't have no sense  
Or they wouldn't leave that melon on the vine

Hambone it is sweet, chicken it is good  
Rabbit is so very, very fine  
But give me, oh give me, oh how I wish you would  
That watermelon hanging on the vine

You may talk about your peaches, your apples and your pears  
Simmons growing on the tree  
Folks have their favorites just most every where  
But that watermelon is the best for me

\* Refrain

I went to get that melon, I thought I'd have some fun  
The stars they had just begun to shine  
But when I heard some moving, I left there on the run  
But I didn't leave that melon on the vine

\* Refrain