Out In The Forest

Track 1: full version
Track 12: backing track

1 Something is happ'ning here tonight,

You might have heard that things aren't right.

Out in the forest singing songs, Someone's busy righting wrongs. Out in the forest, out in the night, Things are happ'ning, happ'ning tonight.

He's always trying to do some good.

He takes from the rich and gives to the poor

So check your wallet, lock the door ...

Something is happ'ning, something is happ'ning,

Something is happ'ning in here tonight.

2 Something is happ'ning here today, Maybe the Sheriff's had his day.

Times are a changing, wait and see.
Sometimes things are meant to be.
Out in the forest, out in the night,

Things are happ'ning, happ'ning tonight.

Chorus Is it our hero Robin Hood?

He's always trying to do some good.

He takes from the rich and gives to the poor

So check your wallet, lock the door.

Something is happ'ning, something is happ'ning,

Something is happ'ning in here tonight.

Are We Happy?

Track 2: full version
Track 13: backing track

1

2

Ask us are we happy; no, we're not! Ask us what's the matter; quite a lot! Never a day that's without a care, Never a problem that isn't there. We want to say, "Life isn't fair, Life isn't fair at all".

Ask us are we happy; no, we're not!
Ask us what's the matter; quite a lot!
So many taxes we have to pay,
Eighty percent we all give away.
We are so poor we have to say,
"Life isn't fair at all, life isn't fair at all.
Life isn't fair at all".

Robin, Robin Hood

Track 3: full version Track 14: backing track

Robin, Robin Hood, Always doing good.

Help us to follow your example,

Robin, Robin Hood.

2 Help us learn today There's a price to pay;

Helping the people who are troubled,

Robin, Robin Hood

Chorus (Robin) I try to do my best

To help the poor oppressed,

Give ev'ryone a chance to succeed.

I'm tired of that man,
I'll stop him if I can;

Together we'll be strong indeed.

Robin, Robin Hood

Always doing good.

Help us to follow your example,

Robin, Robin Hood.

Chorus (All) He tries to do his best

To help the poor oppressed,

Give ev'ryone a chance to succeed.

He's tired of that man, 'He'll stop him if he can;

Together we'll be strong indeed.

4 We will all be true

In the things we do,

Trying to follow your example,

Robin, Robin Hood.

Amen, Amen

full version backing track Track 15:

We are gathered here to eat our luncheon, amen. 1 We like tender tasty things to munch on, amen.

But whenever there's a call

To help our brothers one and all,

We just think of eating and we find it hard to function.

Chorus

We know that we should help the needy, Why are we so very greedy? God forgive us here today, Help us change our selfish way. Amen, amen, amen, say it again. Amen, amen, amen, amen. We know that we should help the needy, Why are we so very greedy? God forgive us here today, Help us change our selfish way.

We are gathered here because we're greedy, amen. 2 Hungry stomachs come before the needy, amen.

If we thought that we could be The answer to your poverty,

We would try to change our ways and help you, yes

indeedy!

Chorus

We know that we should help the needy, Why are we so very greedy? God forgive us here today, Help us change our selfish way. Amen, amen, amen, say it again. Amen, amen, amen, amen.

(Part 2) We know that we (Part 1) Amen, amen,

should help the needy,

Amen, say it again.

Why are we so very greedy? God forgive us here today,

Amen, amen, Amen, amen.

Help us change our selfish way.

(Repeat)

(Repeat)

Amen, amen, amen, amen.

Maid Marian's Ladies

Track 5: full version ► backing track

1

We are Maid Marian's ladies,
We care for her needs ev'ry day,
Brushing and combing her tresses
And helping in any old way.
If there's a pimple that shows,
We powder her nose,
We smarten and straighten her clothes.
If there's a shoe that won't fit,
We stretch it a bit,
So nobody here would ever, ever know.

2

We are benevolent ladies,
Supportive in every way.
We give advice and assistance
And keep all those problems at bay.
If there's a dip in her slip,
We hitch it a bit,
Then get out the needle and thread.
If there's a hair gone astray
We never delay
To comb ev'ry hair on her pretty little head.

Instrumental

3

If there's a pimple that shows,
We powder her nose,
'We smarten and straighten her clothes.
If there's a shoe that won't fit,
We stretch it a bit,
So nobody here would ever, ever know.

We are Maid Marian's ladies, We care for her needs ev'ry day, Brushing and combing her tresses And helping in any old way.

What A Man

Track 6: full version
Track 17: backing track

Chorus

(Solo) What a man, what a guy.
He's our knight in shining armour,
No-one can deny.
He's a friend doing good,
He's the greatest, Robin Hood.

(All) What a man, what a guy. He's our knight in shining armour, No-one can deny. He's a friend doing good, He's the greatest, Robin Hood.

1

He fights against oppression,
Justice for the poor,
He's the kind of man that Sheriff can't ignore.
Vict'ry for the workers,
Standing for the right;
He is now our champion,
We'll stand with him and fight.

Chorus

(Part 1) (Part 2)
What a man, what a guy. Robin, Robin
He's our knight in shining armour, You are
No-one can deny, Our guy.
He's a friend doing good, Robin, Robin
He's the greatest, Robin Hood. Friend, Robin Hood.

2

He'll beat that wicked Sheriff,
Show him to his face,
Show that being greedy is a real disgrace.
He's the man for freedom,
He will stand for right,
He is now our champion,
We'll stand with him and fight.

Chorus

(Parts 1 & 2 as above)

(Part 3, in addition)
Robin, quite a guy,
You're a friend
Don't deny.
Robin, doing good,
Friend, Robin Hood

(All repeat part 1)

I'll Make Them Pay

Track 7: full version Track 18: backing track

1

(Sheriff) I'll make them pay, I'll make them pay, I'll line my pockets and I'll make them pay. I'll make them pay, I'll make them pay, I'll line my pockets and I'll make them pay. 'Cause I'm the meanest sheriff ever to live, I like to take from the poor in order to give More to the rich, the grand, the mighty; And who are the rich? Why, me; why, me!

2

(All others) He'll make us pay, he'll make us pay, He'll line his pockets and he'll make us pay. He'll make us pay, he'll make us pay, He'll line his pockets and he'll make us pay. 'Cause he's the meanest sheriff ever to live, And he will take from the poor in order to give More to the rich, the grand, the mighty; And who are the rich? Not, me; not, me!

3 (Sheriff & all others sing in unison)

(Sheriff) I'll make them pay, I'll make them pay, I'll line my pockets and I'll make them pay. I'll make them pay, I'll make them pay, I'll line my pockets and I'll make them pay.

(All others) He will make us pay. He will make us pay. Ev'ry single day, He will make us pay.

Day after day he'll make us pay.

Robin Of Locksley

Track 8: full version Track 19: backing track

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4

(Robin) My name is Robin of Locksley And they call me Robin Hood. I've tried my hand at arch'ry And they say I'm pretty good. I practise ev'ry day With my companions in the wood, Oh, my name is Robin of Locksley And they call me Robin Hood.

(All) His name is Robin of Locksley And we call him Robin Hood. He's tried his hand at arch'ry And we say he's pretty good. We practise ev'ry day With his companions in the wood, Oh, his name is Robin of Locksley And we call him Robin Hood.

(Robin) My name is Robin of Locksley And they call me Robin Hood. I try to do my best Although I'm quite misunderstood. When I get to the tournament I'll win it like I should, Oh, my name is Robin of Locksley And they call me Robin Hood.

(All) His name is Robin of Locksley And we call him Robin Hood. He tries to do his best Although he's quite misunderstood. When he gets to the tournament He'll win it like he should, Oh, his name is Robin of Locksley And we call him Robin Hood.

Marian's Lament

Track 9: full version Track 20: backing track

1 I can't believe what I have done,

Could I have ever known?

Painful the thoughts that he's the one,

Bound by the love I've shown.

Chorus (All) I cry to God above

For the sake of the one I love.

How can I find a way?

(Marian) It seems all I can do is wait here and pray.

2 (All) If I'd pretended not to care, ,

Would he have stayed away? How could I be so unaware, Foolish the part I've played.

Chorus (All) I cry to God above

For the sake of the one I love.

How can I find a way?

It seems all I can do is wait here and pray.

3 (All) Tell me that all has not been lost.

Here on this fateful day.

Tell me there's still a hope for us,

Robin will find a way.

Stop The Fighting

Track 10: full version
Track 21: backing track

1

We've got to stop the fighting,
It may seem quite exciting
But this will get us nowhere at all.
There is nothing to be gained
When we cause each other pain,
We can work it all together for sure!

Chorus

Standing for the right is the name of the game, Learning to respect ev'ry person the same; For if we treat one another like sister and brother, We're sure to work it out okay. Standing for the right is the name of the game, Learning to respect ev'ry person the same; For if we treat one another like sister and brother, We're sure to work it out okay.

2

You might think that it's trendy,
But why be so unfriendly?
This fighting isn't really so cool.
If we take the time to talk,
Listen to each other's thoughts,
We can work it all together for sure!

Chorus

Standing for the right is the name of the game, Learning to respect ev'ry person the same; For if we treat one another like sister and brother, We're sure to work it out okay. Standing for the right is the name of the game, Learning to respect ev'ry person the same; For if we treat one another like sister and brother, We're sure to work it out okay.

No need to fight, get it right Let's not fight on this night.

Out In The Forest (Finale)

Track 11: full version Track 22: backing track

1

Something has happened here tonight, We have begun to put things right. Out in the forest singing songs, Great excitement all night long. Out in the forest, to our delight, It's been happ'ning, happ'ning tonight.

Chorus

It was our hero Robin Hood. He's always trying to do some good. He stole from the rich to give to the poor But now he needs to steal no more. It's all been happ'ning, it's all been happ'ning It's all been happ'ning in here tonight.

2

Greater rejoicing through the land; Robin has won Maid Marian's hand. Congratulations, what a man. Things have changed in Nottingham. Out in the forest, out in the night, It's been happ'ning, happ'ning tonight.

Chorus

It was our hero Robin Hood.
He's always trying to do some good.
He stole from the rich to give to the poor
But now he needs to steal no more.
It's all been happ'ning, (claps)
It's all been happ'ning, happening tonight.