



Rhythm of the Rocks - MaryLee and Nancy

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Musicians:

Nancy Stewart: guitar, keyboards, vocals
Marylee Sunseri: recorders, dulcimer, percussion, voice
John Beron: bongos, cymbals, bells, waterphone
Adam Brown: vocals Emily Brown: vocals
Margie Dally: cello, Dave Dally: violin,
Bob Langford: bass and animal sounds
Rachel Marotta: vocals
MaryAnn Schaupp: operatic voice
Frank Sunseri: Romanian panpipes

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I. Can You Imagine (words & music Nancy Stewart)

Can you imagine, living in another land
Close your eyes, and imagine

Picture yourself in a castle in Spain
Or deep in a jungle warm in the rain
Out in a rain forest, high in a tree
Where rainbow colored birds are flying free

Paint me a picture, make me a song
Teach it to me and I'll sing along
Tell me a story, make me a rhyme
Then when I hear it, you'll know that I
Can imagine...

2. A Rum Sum Sum (from Morocco with additional words & music by Nancy Stewart)

In the little country of Morocco
At the top of North Africa
You can hear the sound
Of the children all around
A'singin' a rum sum sum

Chorus:

A rum sum sum, a rum sum sum
Guli, guli, guli, guli, guli, rum sum sum
A Raffi, a Raffi,
Guli, guli, guli, guli, rum sum sum

In the little country of Morocco
At the top of North Africa
You can hear the sound
Of the children all around
A' singin' a rum sum sum

In Morocco you can ride on a camel
Out across the desert sun
And sing a little song
As you're moving right along
Through this mysterious land

And under the shade of a palm tree
You can catch a little rest from the sun
Hear the flute and tambourine
As the children start to sing
A song of a rum sum sum

And if you go to Marrakech
You can visit the marketplace
Where there's magic in the air,
And the dancers everywhere
Will put a smile upon your face.

3. **Tocan Las Maracas** (words & music by Nancy Stewart)

Si tiene una maraca roja
Toca, toca, toca, toca, toca
Si tiene una maraca verde (azul, amarilla...)
Toca, toca, toca, toca, toca

Todos tocan las maracas
Todos tocan las maracas
Todos tocan las maracas
Todos maracas aqui

4. **Mango Fandango** (words & music by MaryLee Sunseri)

Mama, mama, I want a mango
Papa, papa, please papaya
No, no, nana, a ripe banana
Kiwi, kiwi, kiwi, kiwi, quince!

Red berries, berries blue
These are fruits so good for you
Cheery cherries, sweet and new
And coconuts, yes they're fruits too

Orange oranges, lemons yellow
Fill my tummy sweet and mellow
Vitamins grow on a tree
In a pretty package for you and me

Oh they travel many miles
Fill the world with happy smiles
Sweet delicious tasty treat
From Mother Nature, a gift to eat

5. **Fra Michele** (Italy)

Fra Michele a ve va un gallo
Mezzo rosso, mezzo jallo
Que a ve va una gallina
Que di ce va "cococote"
Michael's rooster is a fine fellow
A little bit red and a little bit yellow
And he has a very fine hen friend
And she calls him "Cococote"

6. My Singing Bird (Ireland)

I have seen the lark soar high at morn
To sing up in the blue
I have heard the blackbird pipe its song
The thrush and linnet too
But none of them can sing so sweet
My singing bird as you
Ah.....
My singing bird as you

If I could lure my singing bird
From its own cozy nest
If I could catch my singing bird
I would warm it on my breast
And on my heart my singing bird
Would sing herself to rest
Ah.....
Would sing herself to rest.

7. Kookaburra (Australia)

Kookaburra sits in the old gum tree
Merry, merry king of the bush is he
Laugh, kookaburra, laugh kookaburra,
Gay your life must be

Kookaburra sits in the old gum tree
Eating all the gumdrops he can see
Stop, kookaburra, stop, kookaburra
Leave some there for me

8. Children Are Singing All Around the World (words & music by Nancy Stewart)

Children are singing all around the world
Making music wherever they go
In their houses in Canada, oochis in Japan
And haciendas in Mexico

Though the words sound different to you and me
Children are the same across the sea
Children are singing all around the world
Making music wherever they go

Well they're' singing while they work
and while they play
Early in the morning and all through the day
Children are singing all around the world
Making music wherever they go

You know the world's getting smaller everyday
'Cause children are the same in so many ways
Children are singing all around the world
Making music wherever they go

9. International Fives

(words & music by MaryLee Sunseri)

1,2,3,4,5, (English) 1,2,3,4,5, (Spanish)

This is not a waltz, it's not a fling
Not a swing, not a cha cha
This is a dance called "Five"

This is not a reel, it's not a twist
Not a jig, not a tango
This is a dance called "Five"

Come and feel the music
Turning round and round
Come and take the first step
And then jump up and jump,
Jump up and jump,
Jump up and jump, jump up and jump
Jump up and jump,
Jump up and jump,
Jump up and jump, jump

1,2,3,4,5 (Thai) 1,2,3,4,5, (French)

This is not the blues, it's not a rock
Not a rap, not the opera
This is a dance called "Five"

Come and feel the music
Turning round and round
Come and take the first step
And then jump up and jump,
Jump up and jump,
Jump up and jump, jump up and jump
Jump up and jump,
Jump up and jump,
Jump up and jump, jump

10. Rhythm of the Rocks (Ghana with additional words & music by Nancy Stewart)

Listen to the rhythm of the rocks
What would they say if they could talk
So many years down under the ground
Listen to the sound, listen to the sound

Obwisanna, sa na, obwisanna, sa
Obwisanna, sa na, obwisanna, sa

Find me a rock that's smooth and round
Find me a rock down under the ground
Find me a rock that I can pound
Listen to the sound, listen to the sound

(additional verse not on recording)
Rocks in your pockets and rocks in your hand
Rocks from the water and rocks from the land
Rocks that have traveled many a mile
Rocks making music, making us smile

11. Mi Chacra (Argentina)

Vengan a ver mi chacra que is hermosa
Vengan a ver mi chacra que is hermosa
El burrito (donkey) hace a si
El burrito hace a si

Oh va camarad, oh va camarad
Oh va, oh va, oh va
Oh va camarad, oh va camarad
Oh va, oh va, oh va

Repeat with:
Gato (cat)
Perrito (little dog)
Vaquita (cow)

12. Pichi, Pichi (Japan)

Pichi pichi, chapu, chapu, ran, ran, ran
Pichi pichi, chapu, chapu, ran, ran, ran

Underneath the weeping willow stands a little child
No umbrella, child is waiting, rain is falling down

Falling, falling rain is falling on the little child
Mother comes to bring umbrella, rain is falling down

13. Rice Harvest Lullaby (Vietnamese with additional words & music by MaryLee Sunseri)

Tiny child, sleepy one
See the moon shining soft and bright
Voices sing in the night
By the fields of rice, by the fields of rice

Little love, child of mine
Harvest dreams in the bonfire light
Soft and low singing songs
By the fields of rice, by the fields of rice

Long stalks are beaten on the ground,
On the ground
See the hulls flying in the wind
Rice is our life, our life is the rice
And we sing as we beat the rice

14. Everybody Loves Saturday Night

Everybody loves Saturday night
Everybody loves Saturday night
Everybody, everybody, everybody
Everybody, Everybody loves Saturday night

Boga watta fero Saboday (African)
Tout le monde aime Samedi soir (French)
Todo el mundo ama Sabado noche (Spanish)

15. Make New Friends (Girl Scout Song)

Make new friends, but keep the old
One is silver and the other is gold

A circle's round, it has no end
That's how long I want to be your friend

16. Hello, Goodbye Song (words & music by MaryLee Sunseri)

Oh my friends you are traveling far away
And I know I may not see you for a long time
But as sure as the sun lights up the day
Your memories will shine within my mind

So goodbye, I'll see you down the road
Though we may fly like birds in spring
To homelands far away
So goodbye, auf wiedershen, aloha
Sayanara, au revoir, ciao, shalom
Adios, dasvedanya

So goodbye, I'll see you down the road
Though we may cry we know
That endings are beginnings
We'll say hello, guten tag, aloha, konichiwa
Bonjour, bongiorno, shalom
Hola, straswitcha

Oh my friends you are traveling far away
And I know I may not see your for a long time
But as sure as the sun lights up the day
Your memories will shine within my mind
So goodbye, goodbye, goodbye

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