

Songs Words for Robin Hood

* = Includes juniors

1 Things ain't what they used to be (Chorus)

They changed our local city and made it eco-friendly
and fings ain't what they used t' be.

They took what was a common
and put big houses on 'em
and fings ain't what they used t' be.

There used to be paths, lovely and straight,

Gotcha from place to place,

But now there's just bars and a locked gate;

Who wants a Shipwright's Way? gor blimey,

Our post office counters have gone away without us

Now Fings ain't what they used t' be.

2 Reviewing the situation (Sheriff & Co)

I'm reviewing the situation,

If you want to eat you've got to earn a bob!

Is it such a humiliation for a robber to perform an honest job?

So a job I'm getting possibly, I wonder how the boss'll be?

I wonder if he'll take to me? What bonuses he'll make to me?

I'll start at eight and finish late, at normal rate and all, but wait!

I think I'd better think it out again.

What happens when I'm seventy? Must come a time, seventy.

When you're old and it's cold and who cares if you live or die

Your one consolation's the money you may have put by.

I'm reviewing the situation,

I'm a bad 'un and a bad 'un I shall stay,

You'll be seeing no transformation,

But it's wrong to be a rogue in every way,

I don't want nobody hurt for me, or made to do the dirt for me,

This rotten life is not for me, it's getting far to hot for me,

I don't care what they've got for me

But who will change the plot for me?

I think I'll have to think it out again.

3 Seigfried Line (Chorus)

We're going to hang out our washing on the Sheriff's Line,
Have you any dirty washing mother dear?
We're going to hang out our washing on the Sheriff's Line,
So let's get out all our gear!
Whether the weather will be rain or shine,
We'll just hang our undies on it never fear!
We're going to hang out our washing on the Sheriff's Line,
While the Sheriff isn't here!

4 Getting to Know You (MH & Marion)

Getting to know you, getting to know all about you,
Getting to like you, getting to hope you like me,
Getting to know you, putting it my way but nicely,
You are precisely, my cup of tea.
Getting to know you, getting to feel free and easy,
When I am with you, getting to know what to say.
Haven't you noticed, suddenly I'm bright and breezy?
Because of all the beautiful and new,
Things I'm learning about you, Day by day.

5 Roll out the barrel (Merry Men)

Roll out the barrel, we'll have a barrel of fun,
Roll out the barrel, we've got those blues on the run,
Zing! Boom! Ta-rar-rel! Ring out a song of good cheer,
Now's the time to roll out the barrel, For the gang's all here.

6 Consider yourself (Robin, Marion, etc)

Consider yourself at home, consider yourself one of the family,
We've taken to you so strong, it's clear we're going to get along.
Consider yourself well in, consider yourself part of the furniture,
There isn't a lot to spare.
Who cares? What-ever we've got we share.
If it should chance to be we should see some harder days,
Empty larder days, why grouse?
Always a chance we'll meet somebody to foot the bill,
Then the drinks are on the house!
Consider yourself our mate, we don't want to have no fuss,
For after some consideration we can state,
Consider yourself one of us!

7 * Robin Hood (Chorus)

Robin Hood, Robin Hood, riding through the glen,
Robin Hood, Robin Hood, with his band of men,
Feared by the bad, loved by the good,
Robin Hood, Robin Hood, Robin Hood.

He called the greatest archers to a tavern on the green,
They vowed to help the people of the King,
They handled all the trouble on the English country scene
And still found plenty of time to sing.

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Robin Hood, Robin Hood, with his band of men,
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Robin Hood, Robin Hood, Robin Hood.

8 Best years of our lives [Shrek] (Robin & Marion)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O6dfQIuyA9o>

I get such a thrill when you look in my eyes,
My heart skips a beat, girl, I feel so alive,
Please tell me baby if all this is true,
'Cause deep down inside all I wanted was you.

Chorus

Ohhhh... Makes me wanna dance,
Ohhhh... It's a new romance,
Ohhhh... I look into your eyes,
Ohhhh... Best years of our lives.

When we first met I could hardly believe,
The things that were happening we could achieve,
So let's stay together for all of our time,
Girl I'm so grateful that you are still mine.

Chorus

9 * Off to see the Wizard (MH & Chorus)

Follow the forest green road, follow the forest green road,
Follow, follow, follow, follow, follow the forest green road –
We're off to see the Sheriff, the nasty old Sheriff of Notts,
We hear he's got a terrible plot, if ever a plot there was,
If ever, oh ever, a plot there was,
The Sheriff of Notts has one because,
Because, because, because, because, because –
Because of the horrible things he does.
We're off to see the Sheriff, the nasty old Sheriff of Notts.

10 * Nice Cup of Tea (Q. Fay)

I like a nice cup of tea in the morning,
For to start the day, you see!
And at half past eleven, well my idea of heaven
Is a nice cup of tea!
I like a nice cup of tea with my dinner,
And a nice cup of tea with my tea,
And when it's time for bed, there's a lot to be said
For a nice cup of tea!

11 Holding out for a hero [Shrek] (Chorus)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OBwS66EBUcY>

Where have all the good men gone, and where are all the gods?
Where's the street-wise Hercules to fight the rising odds?
Isn't there a white knight upon a fiery steed?
Late at night I toss and I turn and I dream of what I need.

I need a hero–

I'm holding out for a hero till the end of the night,
He's gotta be strong, and he's gotta be fast,
And he's gotta be fresh from the fight.

I need a hero–

I'm holding out for a hero till the morning light,
He's gotta be sure, and it's gotta be soon,
And he's gotta be larger than life.

13 Working 9 to 5 [Dolly Parton] (MH & Chorus)
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T-gqMpZroy8>

Tumble outta bed and I stumble to the kitchen,
Pour myself a cup of ambition,
And yawnin', stretchin', try to come to life;
Jump in the shower and the blood starts pumpin',
Out on the streets, the traffic starts jumpin',
With folks like me on the job from 9 to 5.

Chorus

Workin' 9 to 5, what a way to make a livin',
Barely gettin' by, it's all takin' and no givin',
They just use your mind and they never give you credit,
It's enough to drive you crazy if you let it.
9 to 5, for service and devotion,
You would think that I would deserve a fair promotion,
Want to move ahead but the boss won't seem to let me,
I swear sometimes that man is out to get me.
They let you dream, just to watch 'em shatter,
You're just a step on the boss man's ladder,
But you got dreams he'll never take away;
In the same boat with a lot of your friends,
Waitin' for the day your ship'll come in,
And the tide's gonna turn an' it's all gonna roll your way.

Chorus

14 Happy Days are here again (Chorus)

Happy days are here again, the skies above are clear again,
Let us sing a song of cheer again, happy days are here again.
All together, shout it now! There's no-one who can doubt it now,
So let's tell the world about it now, happy days are here again.
Your cares and troubles are gone;
There'll be no more from now on,
Happy days are here again, the skies above are clear again,
Let us sing a song of cheer again, happy days are here again.

15 * Archers theme (Merry Men + Chorus)

Robin's shot his arrow here
From the Sheriff's castle,
Faster than the first class post,
Cuts out all the hassle,

Now we're knowing, we must be going
With all the help we can muster,
When we meet the Sheriff's men (we'll)
Put them all in a fluster.

Though the forest is thick, we know
The secret places where we can go,
We won't be stopping at the Bull,
We don't want our bladders full,
Round the coppices, down the tracks,
Our shirts are woolly, but not like Jack's,
We'll move so fast, we'll shift our arsenal
On towards the foe!

Robin's shot his arrow here
From the Sheriff's castle,
Faster than the first class post,
Or a Red Star parcel,

Now we're ready, we're also steady,
We're off on speedy departures,
When we get there you will see (that)
We're the Nottingham Archers!

16 Great Big Saw (Sheriff & Co)

Now he was a castle proprietor,
And she a fair maid yet unkissed,
One evening he winked his squint eye at her,
But she said, "Nay, nay sir, desist!"

So he dragged her into the dungeon, poor Marion,
Chained her to the wall, then he started to carry-on.

And the great big saw came nearer and nearer, the gap was
increasingly narrowing
"Spill the beans, or you'll be cut into two", said the Sheriff in
tones that were harrowing.

But she said, "Nay, nay, if you cut me in twain,
Robin will come and ask you to explain",

And the great big saw came nearer and nearer and nearer and
nearer and nearer,

And the great big saw came nearer and nearer and nearer and
nearer and nearer ...

17 I've got rhythm (Chorus)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZAKPQ1Hzcek>

I got rhythm, I got music, I got my gal
Who could ask for anything more?
I've got daisies in green pastures, I've got my man
Who could ask for anything more?
 Old man trouble I don't mind him
 You won't find him round my door
I've got starlight, I've got sweet dreams
I've got my gal, who could ask for anything more?
Who could ask for anything more?

18 Ask a Policeman (merry men)

The p'lice force is a noble band that safely guards our streets,
Their valour is unquestioned and they're noted for their feats,
If anything you wish to know, they'll tell you with a grin,
In fact each one of them is a complete Enquire Within.
If you want to know the way, ask a p'liceman,
The proper AA way, ask a p'liceman,
Every member of the force has a book of maps of course,
If you want to know the way, ask a p'licemen.

19 * Giddy up a ding dong

Giddy up, giddy up a ding dong,
Giddy up, giddy up a ding dong,
Giddy up, giddy up a ding dong,
Giddy up, giddy up a ding dong,
Giddy up, giddy up a ding dong,
Giddy up, giddy up, giddy up.

20 Till there was you

There were bells on a hill, but I never heard them ringing,
No, I never heard them at all till there was you—
There were birds in the sky, but I never saw them winging,
No, I never saw them at all till there was you.
 Then there was music and wonderful roses, they tell me
 In sweet fragrant meadows of dawn and dew;
There was love all around, but I never heard it singing,
No, I never heard it at all till there was you.

21 Get me to the Church on time (All)

I'm getting married in the morning,
Ding dong the bells are going to chime,
Pull out the stopper, let's have a whopper,
But get me to the church on time.
I've gotta be there in the morning,
Spruced up and looking in my prime,
Girls come and kiss me, show how you'll miss me,
But get me to the church on time.

If I am dancing, roll up the floor,

If I am whistling, whisk me out the door.

For, I'm getting married in the morning,
Ding dong the bells are going to chime,
Kick up a rumpus, but don't lose the compass,
And get me to the church, get me to the church,
For Pete's sake get me to the church on time.

22 * Run rabbit run (Q. Fay, L. John, Much B)

Run, rabbit, run rabbit, run, run, run,
Run, rabbit, run rabbit, run, run, run,
Bang, bang, bang, bang, goes the farmer's gun,
Run rabbit, run rabbit, run-run-run.
Run, rabbit, run rabbit, run, run, run,
Don't give the farmer his fun, fun, fun,
He'll get by without his rabbit pie,
So, run rabbit, run rabbit, run-run-run.

23 * Night they invented champagne (Chorus)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X7Lx6c3qRSU>

The night they invented champagne,
It's plain as it can be, they thought of you and me,
The night they invented champagne,
They absolutely knew that all we'd want to do,
Is fly to the sky on champagne, and shout to everyone in sight,
That since the world began, no woman or a man,
Has ever been as happy as we are tonight!