

CBBC Online Choir Week 5 September 9th, 2021

Australian Folk Song Zoom for Canada Bay Community Choir

- 1. Warm Ups**
- 2. Botany Bay**
- 3. Bound for South Australia**
- 4. The Road to Gundagai**
- 5. Brisbane Ladies**
- 6. I am Australian (Led by Robert on Ukulele)**
- 7. The Plains of Emu (A new song)**
- 8. Waltzing Matilda segue into**
- 9. I Still Call Australia Home**
- 10. The Carnival is Over**

<p>Botany Bay</p> <p>Farewell to old England forever, Farewell to our rum skulls as well. farewell to the well-known Old Bailey Where I always did look such a swell.</p> <p>Singing too-ra-li oo-ra-li ad-dy, Singing too-ra-li oo-ra-li ay, Singing too-ra-li oo-ra-li ad-dy, For we're bound for Botany Bay.</p> <p>Now there's the Captain, he's our commander, There's the bosun and all of the crew, There's the first and second class passengers, Know what we poor convicts go through</p>	<p>Singing too-ra-li oo-ra-li ad-dy, Singing too-ra-li oo-ra-li ay, Singing too-ra-li oo-ra-li ad-dy, And I'll see you in Botany Bay.</p> <p>Now take warning you Dukes and you Duchesses, Pay close attention to what I say. Just make sure it's you own what you touchesses, Or you'll join us in Botany Bay.</p> <p>Singing too-ra-li oo-ra-li ad-dy, Singing too-ra-li oo-ra-li ay, Singing too-ra-li oo-ra-li ad-dy, And I'll see you in Botany Bay.</p>
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<p>Bound for South Australia</p> <p>In South Australia I was born Heave away, haul away In South Australia, 'round Cape Horn We're bound for South Australia</p> <p>Haul away your rolling king Heave away, haul away Haul away, you'll hear me sing We're bound for South Australia</p> <p>And as we wallop 'round Cape Horn Heave away, haul away You'll wish to God you've never been born We're bound for South Australia</p>	<p>The Road to Gundagai</p> <p>There's a track winding back to an old fashioned shack Along the road to Gundagai Where the gum trees are growin' and the Murrumbidgee's flowin' Beneath the sunny sky There's my mother and daddy are waitin' for me And the pals of my childhood once more I will see And no more will I roam 'cos I'm headin' right for home Along the road to Gundagai</p>
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Brisbane Ladies

Farewell and adieu to you Brisbane ladies
Farewell and adieu to you girls of Toowong
For we've sold all our cattle and have to be moving
But we hope we shall see you again before long

Chorus

We'll rant and we'll roar like true Queensland drovers
We'll rant and we'll roar as onward we push
Until we get back to the Augathella station
It's flaming dry going through the old Queensland bush

Then fill up your glasses and we'll drink to the lasses
We'll drink this town dry then farewell to all
And when we return once more to Augathella
We hope you'll come by there and pay us a call

<p>I am Australian</p> <p>1. I came from the dream-time From the dusty red-soil plains I am the ancient heart The keeper of the flame I stood upon the rocky shores I watched the tall ships come For forty thousand years I've been The first Australian</p> <p>2. I came upon the prison ship Bowed down by iron chains I bought the land, endured the lash And waited for the rains I'm a settler, I'm a farmer's wife On a dry and barren run A convict, then a free man I became Australian</p>	<p>3. I'm a teller of stories I'm a singer of songs I am Albert Namatjira And I paint the ghostly gums I'm Clancy on his horse I'm Ned Kelly on the run I'm the one who waltzed Matilda I am Australian</p> <p>CHORUS We are one, but we are many And from all the lands on earth we come We share a dream and sing with one voice "I am, you are, we are Australian" "I am, you are, we are Australian"</p>
<p>Waltzing Matilda</p> <p>Once a jolly swagman camped by a billabong Under the shade of a coolibah tree And he sang as he watched and waited 'til his billy boiled "You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me"</p>	<p>Waltzing Matilda, Waltzing Matilda "You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me" He sang as he watched and waited 'til his billy boiled "You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me"</p>

I Still Call Australia Home

I've been to cities that never close down
From New York to Rio and old London town
But no matter how far
Or how wide I roam
I still call Australia home.

I'm always travelin'
And I love bein' free
So I keep leavin' the sun and the sea
But my heart lies waiting over the foam
I still call Australia home.

All the sons and daughters spinning
'round the world
Away from their families and friends
Ah, but as the world gets older and colder
It's good to know where your journey ends.
And someday we'll all be together once more
When all the ships come back to the shore
Then I realize something I've always known
I still call Australia home.

No matter how far or how wide I roam,
I still call Australia home.

The Carnival is Over

Say goodbye, my own true lover
As we sing a lover's song
How it breaks my heart to leave you
Now the carnival is gone
High above the dawn is waking
And my tears are falling rain
For the carnival is over
We may never meet again
For the carnival is over
We may never meet again

Like a drum my heart was beating
And your kiss was sweet as wine
For the joys of love are fleeting
For Pierrot and Columbine

Now the harbor light is calling
This will be our last goodbye
Though the carnival is over
I will love you till I die
Say goodbye, my own true lover
As we sing a lover's song
How it breaks my heart to leave you
Now the carnival is gone