Maureen McGovern, Ac-Cent-Tchu-Ate The Posit

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You got to spread joy up to the maximum And bring gloom down to the minimum And have faith or pandemonium's Liable to walk upon the scene

To illustrate my last remark, Jonah in the whale, Noah in the ark, What did they do just when everything looked so dark? Man, they said we better

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The sun is shinin', c'mon, get happy The Lord is waitin' to take your hand Shout Hallelujah, c'mon, get happy We're goin' to the Promised Land

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