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da dot ta da da dot
ta da dadadadot
dot dot da dot ta dot
Well I read in the papers
da dot ta da da dot
just the other day

that the freedom fighters

were on their way

they was coming by bus

and airplane to

they would even walk

if we asked them to

ohhh wallace you never can jail us all
ohhh wallace segregation is bound to fall

Now listen here wallace
Cause I want you to hear
I want my freesom.
and I want it this year
don't want no shucking
don't want no jive
cause I want my freedom ~~xxxxx~~
in sixty five

Now Crenshaw county
so they say
segregation
is here to stay
now listen here folks
cause I'm telling you
that that aint so
because of me and you

now jack and jill
went up the hill
and they came down
with the civil rights bill
and just in case
you don't understand
this even goes
for the klu klux klan

14.

I'm gonna do what the spirit say do
I'm gonna do what the spirit say do
and if the spirit say do I'm gonna do oh lord
I'm gonna do what the spirit say do

I'M gonna vote if the spirit say vote 3X
and if the spirit say vote I'm gonna vote oh lord
i'm gonna vote if the spirit say vote.

I'm gonna march if the spirit say march 3X

I'm going to jail if the spirit say jail

etc.

15.

come by here m'lordy come by here
come by here m'lordy come by here
come by here m'lordy come by here
oh lord come by here

We need freedom lordy

people are suffering

Wallace is crazy etc.

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Freedom now my lord, freedom now
 Freedom now my lord freedom now
 Freedom now my lord freedom now
 Oh, lord, freedom now

Children are crying for
 People are hungry for
 we are fighting for
 Medgar Evers died for
 Rev. Reeb died for
 4 girls died for
 we are marching for
 we are sitting for
 do you want your
 yes I want my
 will you fight for
 will your picket for
 will you go to jail for
 etc.

11. Well Joshua was said to be a mighty foe
 he walked right up to old Jericho
 Blew his horn and the walls came down
 better not build a wall around your own home town
 You better run run run
 your better run run run
 run to city of refuge
 you better run run run

Long time ago down in Egypt's land
 people were oppressed by old Pharaohs hand
 Moses led his people into the sea
 but the water won't part for you and me
 chs
 Well long time before the cotton gin
 thought we'd better bring a lot of working people in
 brought them over in a slavery boat
 but if you bring people in you gotta let them vote
 chs
 Well we look at our neighbors and we judge them hard
 but we'd better take a look in our own back yard
 Black or White, Red or Brown
 there's got to be freedom in every town.

run

12.
 wade in the water
 wade in the water children
 water in the water
 gods gonna trouble the water
 Well whos that yonder alldressed in red?
 Gods gonna trouble the water
 Must be the children that king led
 Gods gonna trouble the water

whos that yonder dressed in black
 must be the hypocrites turning back

whos that yonder dressed in blue
 must be the policeman come to arrest you

whos that yonder all dressed in white
 must be the klan cause their coming by night