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da dot ta da da dot
ta da dadadadot
dot dot da dot ta dot
We'll I read in the papers
da dot ta da da dot
just the other day
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that the freedom fighters
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were on their way
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they was coming by bus
----
and airplane to
----
they would even walk
----
if we asked them to
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ohhh wallace you never can jail us all.

ohhh wallace segregation is bound to fall

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Now listen here wallace
cause I want you to hear
I want my freedom
and I want it this year
don't want no shucking
don't want no fines
cause I want my freedom 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'll 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 gonna 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 m'lordy
people are suffering.
Wallace is crazy etc.
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
Nedgar 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
eo.

11. Well Joshua was said to be a mighty foe
he walked right up to old Jericho
Elew 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 Pharaoh' hand
Moses led his people into the sea
but the water won't part for you and me

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

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.

12.

wade in the water
wade in the water children
water in the water
gods gonna trouble the water
Well who's that yonder dressed in red?
gods gonna trouble the water
Must be the children that king led
gods gonna trouble the water

who's that yonder dressed in black
must be the hypocrites turning back

who's that yonder dressed in blue
must be the policeman come to arrest you

who's that yonder all dressed in white
must be the klan cause their coming by night