



# Lyrics for **Singalong with Trudi Salute to July!!!**

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*Thanks for joining me for  
a July Mini-Singalong!  
Have fun!!*

In this program, we'll be happily singing to simplified-unedited-living room-versions of some patriotic favorites. The harmony and backup accompaniment are tracks I pre-recorded.

Songs include: **1. In the Good Old Summertime; 2. When You Wish Upon a Star; 3. You're a Grand Old Flag!; 4. I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy; 5. America, the Beautiful; 6. My Country, Tis of Thee; 7. God Bless America!; and 8. Battle Hymn of the Republic.**

## **1. IN THE GOOD OLD SUMMERTIME**

1902. Music: George Evans; Lyrics: Ren Shields.  
Became the title song for the 1949 Judy Garland movie.

In the Good Old Summertime,  
In the Good Old Summertime.  
Strolling through the shady lanes with your baby mine.  
You hold her hand, and she holds yours,  
And that's a very good sign.  
That she's your tootsie-wootsie,  
In the Good Old Summertime!



## 2. WHEN YOU WISH UPON A STAR

1940. Written by Leigh Harline and Ned Washington for Walt Disney's film *Pinocchio*. Original version sung over the credits and at the end of the film by Cliff Edwards as Jiminy Cricket. Now used as the theme song for the Walt Disney Company. *When You Wish Upon a Star* © Walt Disney Music Co. Ltd.

When you wish upon a star,  
Makes no difference who you are,  
Anything your heart desires will come to you.  
If your heart is in your dream, no request is too extreme.  
When you wish upon a star as dreamers do.  
    Fate is kind. She brings to those who love,  
    The sweet fulfillment of their secret longing...  
Like a bolt out of the blue,  
Fate steps in and sees you through.  
When you wish upon a star, your dreams come true!

## 3. YOU'RE A GRAND OLD FLAG

1906. Words and Music by George M. Cohan for his stage musical *George Washington, Jr.*  
Became the first song from a musical to sell over a million sheet music copies!

You're a grand old flag! You're a high flying flag,  
And forever in peace may you wave.  
You're the emblem of the land I love.  
The home of the free and the brave.  
Ev'ry heart beats true for the Red, White and Blue,  
Where there's never a boast or brag.  
Should auld acquaintance be forgot,  
Keep your eye on the grand old flag!



#### **4. I'M A YANKEE DOODLE DANDY**

1904. Words and Music by George M. Cohan for his Broadway musical *Little Johnny Jones*. The song was later performed by James Cagney in the 1942 film *Yankee Doodle Dandy* in which he played Cohan.

I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy, a Yankee Doodle, do or die.  
A real live nephew of my Uncle Sam,  
Born on the Fourth of July.  
I've got a Yankee Doodle sweetheart.  
She's my Yankee Doodle joy.  
Yankee Doodle went to London, just to ride the ponies.  
I am a Yankee Doodle Boy!!!



#### **5. AMERICA, THE BEAUTIFUL**

From poem by Katharine Lee Bates, 1895. Music by Samuel Ward, 1882. Bates' lyrics were combined with the Ward hymn tune and first published in 1910, under the title "America the Beautiful."

O beautiful for spacious skies, for amber waves of grain,  
For purple mountain majesties, above the fruited plain!  
America! America! God shed His grace on thee,  
And crown thy good with brotherhood,  
from sea to shining sea!

O beautiful for patriot dream that sees beyond the years.  
Thine alabaster cities gleam, undimmed by human tears.  
America! America! God shed His grace on thee,  
And crown thy good with brotherhood  
from sea to shining sea.



## **6. MY COUNTRY, 'TIS OF THEE**

1831. Lyrics by Samuel Francis Smith written for the same melody used for the United Kingdom's national anthem, *God Save the Queen*, a melody from Muzio Clementi's Symphony No. 3.

My country, 'tis of thee, sweet land of liberty, of thee I sing.  
Land where my fathers died, Land of the pilgrims' pride,  
From every mountainside, let freedom ring!

Our fathers' God, to Thee, author of liberty, to Thee we sing;  
Long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light.  
Protect us by thy might, great God, our King.



## **7. GOD BLESS AMERICA!**

1918. Music and Lyrics: Irving Berlin.

The song was revised by Berlin in 1938 and became Kate Smith's signature song.

God Bless America, Land that I love.  
Stand beside her, and guide her  
Through the night with a light from above.  
From the mountains, to the prairies,  
To the oceans, white with foam!  
God bless America, My home sweet home.  
God bless America, My home sweet home!



## **8. GLORY, GLORY HALLELUJAH!**

1861. Lyrics Julia Ward Howe. Music Traditional.

### **Chorus:**

Glory, glory, hallelujah!  
Glory, glory, hallelujah!  
Glory, glory, hallelujah!  
His truth is marching on.

### **Verse:**

Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord.  
He is trampling out the vintage  
Where the grapes of wrath are stored;  
He hath loosed the fateful lightning  
Of His terrible swift sword:  
His truth is marching on.

### **Chorus.**



*Thanks for singing along!! Hope you'll join me again soon! Trudi*