ONE LIFE TO LIVE

(words to chorus Unknown/verse words and melody Beth Frack)

Chorus: Dream what you want to dream.
Go where you want to go.
Be what you want to be.
'cause you only have one life to live.

Verse: Never stop believing in what you can do.

Day by day, paye the way to make your dreams come true.



IF I CATCH A FALLING STAR

If I catch a falling star, or pick a four leaf clover, or find a shiny penny and put it in my shoe, Would it be my lucky day? Would my loneliness be over? Would I find a friend, and could that friend be you? Yooo hooo hooo Yooo hooo hooo Anybody out there want to be my friend? Yooo hooo hooo Yooo hooo hooo Anybody out there want to be my friend?

BE YE KIND

Chorus: Be ye kind one to another,
To your fathers, mothers, sisters, and brothers,
To your friends, and strangers, too!
Let kindness flow from you.

- If someone is lost, help them find their way.

 One big smile from you could be what brightens someone's day!
 - Always be polite, by saying "please" and "thank-you." Do for others what you'd like for them to do for you!

Bridge

KINDNESS, gives me joy I must confess-fess. But I do it 'cause it is the right thing to do.

THE DAY THE COWS TOOK OVER THE FARM

- It might have been the full moon that shone the night before.
 Or maybe simple farm life had just become a bore.
 There was no explanation, no reason, or no rhyme.
 The farmer woke to do his chores like any other time.
- 2. He never quite expected what he was bound to see. He knew something was wrong when a cow was in the tree. The farmer called the firemen. They sounded the alarm. But it was too late. It was the day the cows took over the farm.

Chorus

The day the cows took over the farm the Bovine Band played a song. The day the cows took over the farm, all the animals sang along. The day the cows took over the farm, there was dancing everywhere. The day the cows took over the farm, moooosic filled the air.

- 3. The farmer's wife, she fainted when she heard the cow choir sing. They did a line dance boogie that made their cowbells ring. The Holstein sang soprano with the Jersey's harmony. The Brown Swiss tried a solo but she sang too far off key.
 - 4. The rooster started crowing "cockadoodle doo."
 The lambs and goats and chickens sang "la la la's" and "moo's."
 The bull joined in the chorus a-blowin on his horn.
 This joyful noise it grew so loud it hurt the ears of corn!

Bridge

Until the farmer said, "Stop! I've had enough of this!"
The animals froze in their tracks when he shook his fist.
"You get back in that pasture, and stop this nonsense now!"
"You're not a big time chorus line. You're just a bunch of cows!"



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BIRDS OF A FEATHER

Cluck 4x...

1 egg, 2 eggs, 3 eggs, 4---Don't let your eggs fall on the floor. 5 eggs, 6 eggs, 7 eggs, 8---Hurry up sister, the farmer won't wait!

Chorus:

We're birds of a feather and we flock together, No matter if it's work or play. We all stick together through all kinds of weather, 'Cause birds of a feather wouldn't have it any other way!

5. 1

Hens are chickens who lay the eggs, then sit on the nest to keep them warm. A mother's loving wing must cover her babies when they're born.

Don't forget the roosters, too.
They have so much work to do, Protecting the brood, and waking the farm with cockadoodle doos. (crow)

Vs. 2

Friends are sort of like roosters are: they hang around you through thick and thin.
When one crows they all crow to be sure that you know something's 'bout to begin.
Friends are just like chickens, too.
When you're down and feeling blue
They gather 'round to pick you up and show their love for you-oo-oo.

Chorus....then Cluck 4x



PLAYING IN THE DIRT

Vs.

What are you doing today? I'm playing in the dirt.
Oh tell me, what did you say? I'm playing in the dirt.
Oh no, you're playing in the dirt,
and you've got it on your ears,
you'll have to go inside and clean it up!
(repeat Vs....aot it on your feet.)

Chorus:

Dirt, dirt, dirt, I've been playing in the dirt.
Look at me, I've got it everywhere.
Dirt, dirt, dirt, I've been playing in the dirt.
It's fun to throw it in the air.
Dirt, dirt, dirt, I've been playing in the dirt,
Making mud pies and sand castles, too.
You ask me why I'm such a mess.
You want to know so I'll confess
That playing in the dirt is fun to do.

Vs. 2 ...got it on your shoulders....
....got it on your nose (or snout).....

DOWN AT MY GRANDPA'S CREEK

Chorus

Salamanders, minnows, dragonflies, and willows, Down at my Grandpa's creek. Katydids and snake holes, crawdads and tadpoles, Down at my Grandpa's creek.

- I love to lie there like a turtle,
 Out on a log in the sun.

 I close my eyes and dream of eating bugs.
 Now, doesn't that sound like fun?
- I love to fish down by the creek bank
 Using earthworms as my bait.

 It would be nice to catch a Bass or a Blue-gill
 But catching a Trout would be great!
- I love to play right in the water, And catch a critter in the stream.
 Then put it in a jar and take it to the house, And listen to my mama scream! "eeekk"

Bridge:

I love to hike along the creek bank
And see all there is to see.

I love to spend time down at Grandpa's creek.
There's not another place I'd rather be.

IT'S MORE IMPORTANT TO BE NICE

Chorus:

Listen my brothers, it's nice to be important but, it's more important to be nice.

Listen my sisters, it's nice to be important but, it's more important to be nice.

- You might be good at soccer.
 You might be good at baseball but you play dirty just to win.
 What good are all your trophies if you don't have any friends?
- You might be good at science.
 You might be good at singing but you put other people down.
 What good is all your knowledge?
 What good is all your talent if you have no friends around?

Bridge: Yes, it's nice to be important but it's more important to be nice!

LET'S BE FRIENDS

Chorus:

Let's be friends. Let's be kind to one another.
I'll treat you the way that I want you to treat me.
Let's be friends. Let's be kind to one another.
Let's be just as nice as we possibly can be.

Pushing and shoving and ditching in line.
 Taking your stuff and saying "That mine!"
 These are things I must never do
 If I want to be a friend to you.

Pouting and crying to get my own way. Hurting your feelings with what I say. These are things I must never do If I want to be a friend to you.

Bridge: If I should forget and I make a mistake,
I'll be sure to say, "I'm sorry!"

SHARING LOVE

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What a great world to live in. What a great place to care. What a great world to give in. What a great place to share. We're sharing love, love. We're sharing love, sharing love.

Vers

One small voice in a big world, one small voice like mine, Calls people to come together. Come let the light of your love shine. Let is shine.

Bridge

And let's give thanks up above,
Thanks that we've been blessed with love.
Thanks for the sun, and the moon, and the stars.
Thanks for the dogs, and the bikes, and the cars.
Thanks for the snow, and the bugs, and the bees.
Thanks for the friends, and the families,
Oh thanks, yes, let's give thanks.

Let's Be Friends is dedicated to my husband, Kevin. Without his crazy brainstorming and his constant support, I wouldn't be where I am today. I am so blessed. This project is another "dream come true." May these songs add a bright spot to your day every time you listen. -Beth

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