WE SAY NO! (Anti-Fascist Version)

Tune: "We're Gonna Roll the Union On," original words by John Handcox. Words: Paula Rogovin, Bennet Zurofsky and the Solidarity Singers Key G

Chorus (after each verse)
We say NO! (We say NO!)
We say NO! (We say NO!)

Fascism's got to go! (Got to go!)

We say NO! (We say NO!)
We say NO! (We say NO!)

Fascism's got to go!

Don't trash the Constitution

That ain't good for us That ain't good for us That ain't good for us

Don't trash the Constitution

That ain't good for us Fascism's got to go!

Chorus

No arrests without due process

No one should disappear!
No one should disappear!
No one should disappear!

No arrests without due process

No one should disappear!

Fascism's got to go!

Chorus

We believe in Freedom

We will not comply!

We will not comply!

We will not comply!

We believe in Freedom

We will not comply!

Fascism's got to go!

Chorus

HOLIDAY ANTI-FASCIST SING-A-LONG

Sunday, December 7, 2025, 4 p.m. Puffin Cultural Center 20 Puffin Way, Teaneck, NJ 07666

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ALL YOU FASCISTS ARE BOUND TO LOSE

Words and Music by Woody Guthrie.

Key: E

I'm gonna tell all you fascists, you may be surprised People all over this world are getting organized You're bound to lose You fascists are bound to lose.

Chorus:

All you fascists are bound to lose All you fascists bound to lose All you fascists bound to lose You're bound to lose, you fascists Are bound to lose.

Race hatred cannot stop us, this one thing I know Poll tax and Jim Crow and greed have got to go You're bound to lose You fascists are bound to lose.

Chorus

People of every color marching side by side We're gonna stop you fascists, there's no place you can hide! You're bound to lose You fascists are bound to lose.

Chorus

People of every color marching side by side We're gonna stop you fascists, there's no place you can hide! You're bound to lose You fascists are bound to lose.

Chorus (2x)

WE'VE HAD IT WITH YOUR PIGGISH PLUNDERLAND

Lyrics: Bernie Sanders campaign 2016, updated by Bennet Zurofsky 2025 Tune: Winter Wonderland by Felix Bernard (music) and Richard B. Smith (lyrics) (1934) Key: C

Oligarchs, are you listening? Yeah, your coins sure are glistening... A sickening sight, prepare for a fight... We've had it with your piggish Plunderland;

We're fed up, with your corruption, And your end-less obstruction, The wheel's gonna turn, get ready to learn, We've had it with your piggish Plunderland;

We know how you love to build a straw-man, And say Mamdani's out of control, But we're gonna overturn your world, man... The Left surges more in every poll...

You'll no longer conspire... No more shills you'll acquire... We're calling your bluff, enough is enough! We've had it with your piggish Plunderland!

AWAY IN A MANGER

New Lyrics: Don Caron & The Parody Project; Acapella, first note A.

Away in a manger, no crib for his bed And no crib is coming, the Congress has said. No comfort for poor people not any more. We'll teach 'em a lesson by slamming the door

The stars in the sky looked down where he lay His parents are lazy; his dad might be gay. Well, they are a burden and we've had enough. We're cutting off access to all that free stuff

The baby grew up and he taught peace and love. There are many believers in Congress—sort of. They claim to embrace the example he taught. To witness their actions we think they do not.

Away in a manger, no crib for his bed, With Congress concerned "Merry Christmas" was dead. They focused on that and ignored all the rest, Devising new ways to oppress the oppressed.

Away in a manger is where he must stay
Or else his teachings might get in their way.
There's money to grub and there's wars to sustain.

That they believe in—their faith they just feign.

To them we now say you are not what you claim. It's apparent that profit is your only aim. Whatever you say and whatever you do, We don't want to hear about Christmas from you!

LET MY PEOPLE STAY!

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Tune: "Go Down Moses" (variant), Traditional African American Spiritual

Key: Dm

Immigrants helped build this land. Let my people stay! Hear our voices, we demand, Let my people stay!

Chorus (sung after every verse)

No ICE! [No ICE!] No ban! [No ban!] Welcome all with love each day! Take a stand throughout the land Let my people stay!

See our faces proud and strong. Let my people stay! All faiths and colors, we belong. Let my people stay! [chorus]

Detention is a travesty. Let my people stay! ICE, set our friends and families free! Let my people stay! [chorus]

Give me your tired, give me your poor Let my people stay! Refugees flock to our shore. Let my people stay! [chorus]

MAOZ TZUR/ROCK OF AGES (RESISTANCE VERSION)

Lyrics: Dave Lippman; Melody: Traditional

Key: D Sung a cappella

Mighty stronghold is our land

Immigrants together

Those who work our fields and homes

Those who've slipped their tether

Furious, Trump assails them

As our nation fails them

They must stay / safe with us

We shall not be silent

They must stay / safe with us

We shall not be silent

Out of Egypt came the Jews

Persecution endured

Israel has gone astray

Failure is assured

Ethnic demolition

But there's no submission

Palestine will persevere

We will not be silent

Palestine will persevere

We will not be silent

When a people is enslaved

And then persecuted

Africans who came in chains

Families uprooted

Men in blue may kill them

Justice must fulfill them

We proclaim, say her name

We say Black lives matter

We proclaim, Say her name

We say Black lives matter

To respect first people's rights

Listen to their demands

Use the pow'r of sun and wind

Leave oil in the earth and sands

For our sons and daughters

We defend the waters

Let our words break their swords

We sing in resistance

Let our words break their swords

We sing in resistance

DECK OUT ICE IN RIOT GEAR

Lyrics: Julie McCall and Bo Stauffer (1994), adapted by BDZ (2025)

Key: C

Deck out ICE in riot gear
Antifa la la, la la la la
Spread some fascist Christmas cheer
Antifa la la, la la la la
Don we now our masks and mace
Antifa, Antifa, la la la
Don't forget aim for the face
Antifa la la, la la la

Immigrants are out of hand
Antifa la la, la la la la
Crowd control's what we got planned
Antifa la la, la la la la
Protestors we must subdue
Antifa, Antifa, la la la
Yes, the kids are outlaws too
Antifa la la, la la la la

Pepper gas just can't be beat
Antifa la la, la la la la
Law and order in the street
Antifa la la, la la la la
We want no unruly groups
Antifa, Antifa, la la la
This is war – bring in the troops!
Antifa la la, la la la la

FASCIST USA

Lyrics: Sing Out, Louise, 2025

Tune: Yellow Submarine (Lennon & McCartney, 1966); Key D

In the land where we were born, We fought wars for equality. We defended human rights In the land of liberty.

But the country took a turn, Voted in...a crime machine And we fell beneath the thumb Of a fascist tangerine

We won't live in a fascist USA! A fascist USA! A fascist USA! (2x)

Well the Nazis scream & shout, As they work to feed his greed But the band begins to play KAZOO BREAK

We won't live in a fascist USA! A fascist USA! A fascist USA! (2x)

We won't live a life of fear, Though he's gro-owing more obscene. Skies are blue, while we resist! Screw the fascist tangerine!

We won't live in a fascist USA! A fascist USA! A fascist USA! (Etc.)

We Will Defend Democracy

Tune, chorus & last verse by Woody Guthrie (1949) New lyrics by Sharleen Leahey (2025) Key: C

In '76 we defied a king
In '25 we're lettin' freedom ring
Let's raise our voices to proudly sing
We will defend Democracy.

Chorus

This land is your land this land is my land From California to the Jersey Pinelands From the Redwood forest to the Gulf of Mex-i-co This land was made for you and me

In '76 we fought a Revolution Now we fight / for our Constitution People power is our solution We will defend Democracy.

Chorus

So rise up healers do not comply With a wheeler-dealer who thrives on lies When we band together our power magnifies We will defend Democracy.

Chorus

Nobody livin' can ever stop us As we go walkin' our freedom highway Nobody livin' can make us turn back We will defend Democracy.

This land is your land this land is my land From California to the Jersey Pinelands From the Redwood forest to the Gulf of Mex-i-co This land was made for you and me We will defend Democracy

SHARE THE DOUGH

Tune: "Let it Snow" by Jule Styne, 1945 (Sammy Cahn lyrics)

New Lyrics: Julie McCall

Key: C

While the minimum wage is frightful, For the wealthy, life's delightful. Tell those billionaire CEO's Share the dough, share the dough!

The battle around us rages, As we fight for living wages, And we want to get what we're owed. Share the dough, share the dough!

Bridge

We leave families home at night; Working two jobs is the norm. And we know that it's just not right. / This system needs reform!

The economy's oligarchizing; In the streets we're organizing, And we're making our movement grow. Share the dough, share the dough! (2X)

IT'S A SMALL WAGE AFTER ALL

Bennet Zurofsky & Dottie Gutenkauf, 2000; Jean Romsted (Wal-Mart verse) Tune: It's a Small World After All by Richard M. & Richard B. Sherman Key: D

It's a world of laughter, a world of tears. It's a world of hope and a world of fears. There's so much we can share, That it's time we're aware It's a small wage after all.

It's a small wage after all!
It's a small wage after all!
Around the world, working people sweat
For a small, small wage.

Children sweat all day for 28 cents, And they can't buy food or pay the rent, While the Disney CEO Makes a whole bunch of dough; It's exploitation after all!

It's exploitation after all! (2x) Down in Haiti the children sweat For a small, small wage.

In the Marianas, the women toil, And they don't set foot on American soil, But the labels all say, "Made in USA,"

It's deception after all! (2x) In Saipan the women sweat For a small, small wage.

It's deception after all!

Out in Chinese prisons and labor camps, They make women's clothes, children's toys and lamps. US firms make a heap, For slave labor is cheap; It's oppression after all!

It's oppression after all! (2x)
Out in China, the prisoners sweat
For a small, small wage.

Here, the Wal-Mart workers must watch their step;

They have no health insurance, no union rep;

And if they should complain, There's a pink slip with their name; Intimidation, after all!

Intimidation, after all, No union voice, no one to call. We all lose when the Wal-Marts gain. It's a small wage after all!

In the crowded cities of Pakistan Children work all day as fast as they can. They make surgical tools, and they don't go to schools. It's injustice after all.

It's injustice after all, (2x) Medical tools made by children's sweat For a small, small wage

Repeat first verse and chorus

GREEN UNION MAID (CLIMATE EMERGENCY)

Lyrics: Diane Beeny 2019

Melody: "Red Wing"/"Union Maid" Key: C

Chorus:

Oh you can't stop us —
We're fighting for our planet (3x)
Oh you can't stop us —
We're fighting for our planet
We're fighting for our planet
So we all survive!

With pipelines everywhere,
Poisons in the sea and air;
We'll soon be extinct if we don't think
And fight for this Earth that we all share.
It's time to turn the tide,
From climate suicide
With a Green New Deal, let the planet heal
And make our future bright.

Chorus

The Arctic's feeling heat
With glaciers in retreat
Storm surge and floods keep rising higher
Drought-lands going ever drier
Species in decline
Higher ground is hard to find
If we don't reverse CO₂
It will only get more dire.

Chorus

Plastics filling up the seas,
We're losing all the bees;
The danger is real, we need a Green New Deal
Time to take responsibility!
Action's what we need
To save the reefs and trees
Whales and polar bears
Let's show we care
[And] fight to set things right.

Look To The People

By: Ruth Pelham Key: C

We're gonna look to the people for courage
In the hard times coming ahead
We're gonna sing and shout
We're gonna work it out
In the hard times coming ahead

With people's courage We can make it

We're gonna look to the people for wisdom
In the hard times coming ahead
We're gonna sing and shout
We're gonna work it out
In the hard times coming ahead

With people's courage With people's wisdom We can make it

We're gonna look to the people for justice
In the hard times coming ahead
We're gonna sing and shout
We're gonna work it out
In the hard times coming ahead

With people's courage With people's wisdom With people's justice We can make it

We're gonna look to the people to struggle . . .

(the Chorus accumulates with each verse)

We're gonna look to the people for laughter . . .

We're gonna look to the people for loving . . .

We're gonna look to the people for courage . . .

Final chorus:

With people's courage With people's wisdom With people's justice With people's struggle With people's laughter With people's loving With people's courage We can make it

WE SHALL OVERCOME

Adapted in 1960 by Zilphia Horton from Black Gospel Singers of the Charleston Food & Tobacco Workers Union and the Southern Civil Rights Movement (Key: C)

We shall overcome We shall overcome someday. Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe That we shall overcome someday.

We'll walk hand in hand We'll walk hand in hand We'll walk hand in hand someday. Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe That we shall overcome someday.

We are not afraid We are not afraid We are not afraid today. Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe That we shall overcome someday.

The whole wide world together
The whole wide world together
The whole wide world together now
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe
That we shall overcome someday.

We shall live in peace
We shall live in peace
We shall live in peace someday
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe
That we shall overcome someday.

We shall overcome We shall overcome We shall overcome someday. Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe That we shall overcome someday.

SOLIDARITY FOREVER

Tune: John Brown's Body; Lyrics: Ralph Chaplin, 1915 Key G

When the Union's inspiration
Through the workers' blood shall run,
There can be no power greater
Anywhere beneath the sun.
Yet what force on earth is weaker
Than the feeble strength of one?
But the Union makes us strong.

Chorus:

Solidarity forever!
Solidarity forever!
Solidarity forever!
For the Union makes us strong.

Is there aught we hold in common With the greedy parasite Who would lash us into serfdom And would crush us with his might? Is there anything left to us But to organize and fight? For the Union makes us strong.

Chorus – Spanish Solidaridad pa' siempre! (3X) Con la fuerza syndical.

It is we who plowed the prairies,
Built the cities where they trade;
Dug the mines and built the workshops,
Endless miles of railroad laid.
Now we stand outcast and starving
'Midst the wonders we have made;
but the Union makes us strong.

English Chorus

All the world that's owned by idle drones
Is ours and ours alone.
We have laid the wide foundations,
Built it skyward stone by stone.
It is ours, not to slave in,
But to master and to own,
While the Union makes us strong.

Spanish Chorus

They have taken untold millions
That they never toiled to earn,
But without our brain and muscle
Not a single wheel can turn.
We can break their haughty power,
Gain our freedom when we learn
That the Union makes us strong.

English Chorus

In our hands is placed a power Greater than their hoarded gold; Greater than the might of armies Magnified a thousand fold. We can bring to birth a new world From the ashes of the old. For the Union makes us strong.

Spanish Chorus

English Chorus

WE SHALL NOT BE MOVED

Adaptation of traditional African-American Hymn based on Psalm 1:3 Key: G

Chorus:

We shall not, we shall not be moved. (2x) Just like a tree that's standing by the water, We shall not be moved.

We'll save the Constitution, we shall not be moved. (2x) Just like a tree that's standing by the water, We shall not be moved.

No <u>más</u> deportaciones, ino nos moverán! (2X) Porque estamos bien organizados, iNo nos moverán!

Spanish Chorus:

¡No, no, no nos moverán! (2X) Porque estamos bien organizados, ¡No nos moverán!

Unidos en la lucha ...

Unidos por los niños...

Donald Trump's a fascist, he must be removed (2x) Just like the garbage floating on the water, He must be removed

We'll build a better future, we shall not be moved (2x) Just like a tree that's standing by the water, We shall not be moved

Fuertes, fuertes, ifuertes somos yá! (2x) Porque estamos bien organizados, ¡Fuertes somos yá!