Frogs

Leaping like a frog, over rocks and logs Frogs stay out of sight by jumping in the fog Hopping up and down, leaping all around Frogs make a point of staying out of town

They are slimy creatures with camouflaging features Blending in to catch their prey Slipping, sliding, dipping, there's no time for stopping Tongues flick out to catch a little fly

Leaping like a frog, croaking in a bog
When frogs are out of sight they swim without their togs
Hopping up and down, leaping all around
Frogs make a point of staying out of town

Sitting on a lily, looking kind of silly Frogs stay fit by swimming in a pond Climbing up an old log, singing their own bold songs Frogs find each other by croaking out their sounds

They start out as tadpoles after eggs have hatched Swimming with their little tails, they are hard to catch

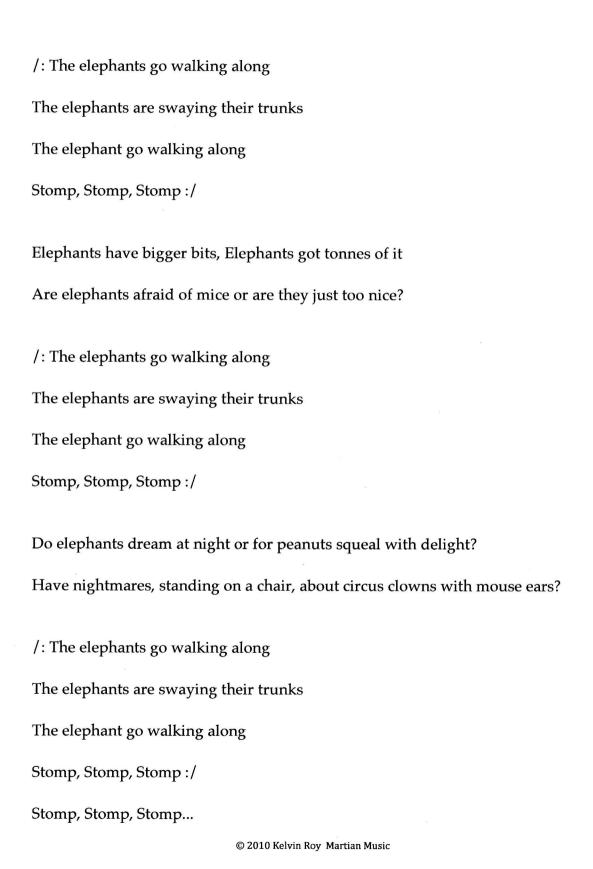
Hopping on a big rock, doing belly flip flops Frogs make waves by diving in the pond Climbing up the odd tree so that they can foresee Frogs look out to guard their families

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Elephants



Alligators and Crocodiles

Alligators and crocodiles, crocodiles, crocodiles Alligators and crocodiles, snap, snap, snap

When you're in the tropics the sun is very hot But don't go in the water or you'll be in a spot They are out somewhere, somewhere, somewhere Waiting in the water for another meal

Alligators and crocodiles, crocodiles, crocodiles Alligators and crocodiles, snap, snap, snap

They like to be in the sun, in the sun, in the sun Cold and scaly reptiles warming their cold blood Using their big legs and feet crawling in the mud Suddenly their enormous tails come down with a thud

In the swamps and rivers lie refugees from dinosaur times They survived while others tried catching fish by opening wide Then snap, snap, snap, snap, snap, snap

When you're in the tropics it's hard to keep your cool But if you want some water use a swimming pool They are in the rivers, ponds and billabongs And when you think about it they've been there for so long

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Sheep

When sheep go walking on the hill, on the hill Like puffs of cotton on a drill, on a drill, on a drill Their white lights up the green hillside and it seems bright

Wool is what they grow so well, grow so well, grow so well Even while they're standing still, standing still, standing still Or milling 'round with many other sisters and brothers

You can hear them say ba, ba, why do they say ba, ba, ba Calling to their friends ba, ba, so they stay close together

Sun comes up, moon goes down, moon goes down, moon goes down Sheep still make their funny sounds, funny sounds, funny sounds Earth goes round and round and round, it's a sheep's life

Sun goes down moon has a peak, has a peak Sheep still count for going to sleep, going to sleep, going to sleep, Bleating out their lullaby 'til the dawn light

You can hear them say ba, ba, why do they say ba, ba, ba Calling to their friends ba, ba, so they stay close together

Is that a grin we see, that puts us so at ease As pillows and billows drift by

Sheep hair grows day and night, day and night, day and night Wool keeps us warm like sunlight, like sunlight We know sheep are always there in the clothes that we wear

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Oysters, Mussels and Clams

Oysters, mussels and clams rockin' in the sand Oysters, mussels and clams feet give them a hand Doin' the one foot rock then forming a band

So many creatures living in the sea
Some of them are very big, some are so tiny
The worlds is a story of creatures great and small
Some of them are mollusks less than two inches tall

Oysters, mussels and clams rockin' in the sand Oysters, mussels and clams feet give them a hand Doin' the one foot rock then forming a band

They know there's strength in numbers, that's why they huddle so Against the force of natures waves and waterflows

Some of them have green lips, others have a foot

Their shells are made of protein and calcium carbonate

They have gills to live and breathe & catch rides on live submarines They don't care just where they go if they can get a firm foot hold

Oysters, mussels and clams Doin' the one foot rock Oysters, mussels and clams have feet that don't need socks Doin' the one foot rock then forming a band

Rock oysters and mussels hold on rocks, clams are in the sand In the mud bluff oysters settle in Chile and New Zealand The clam can be a giant on a coral reef Living with the algae, growing to four feet

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Oysters, mussels and clams...

Snakes & Lizards

Snakes & Lizards slither through the grass Over there and hither to find a catch They are very quiet as they creep You will never know until they leap

Snakes are like a living rope coiling up while they soak
Up the rays of sunshine before they unwind
Lizards like to scurry around, undergrowth is where they're found
They keep themselves out of sight looking for some bug delights

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A snake is dangling from a tree, hanging out like you and me Waiting for a little taste and eating it whole, there will be no waste Lizards like to laze around and blend in with their surrounds Hiding from the birds of prey even when they play

Snakes & lizards can be found under rocks and on the ground Near the water where they came, amphibians by any other name

Snakes & Lizards are very old, they survived by not being bold Waiting for the time to come, snatching it and holding on...

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Rabbit

Why does a rabbit hop, hop, hop, because he can not stop Why does a rabbit hop, hop, hop, he must like it a lot

It takes so many carrots to give them energy And eating all those vegetables helps their eyes to see

Why does a rabbit hop, hop, hop, to give his ears a flop That's why a rabbit hop, hop, hops, he must like it a lot

They hop around the garden to find themselves some food They've got to find enough of it to feed their hungry brood

That's why a rabbit hop, hop, hops, he can't afford to stop

It's hard to find a way to catch a rabbit any day But at least one day of the year he appears

Easter time is coming, it's always very near As close as a rabbits flippy, floppy ears

That's why a rabbit hop hop, hops, to give his ears a flop

They do not need a lot of tools to do the gardening Hopping, digging with their feet, munching everything

Why does a rabbit hop, hop, hop, he likes to eat a lot That's why a rabbit hop, hop, hops, so he does not get caught

It's hard to find a way to catch a rabbit any day But at least one day of the year he appears

That's why a rabbit hop, hop, hops, to give you lollipops, he must like it a lot, to give his ears a flop, so he does not get caught, he likes to eat a lot

Birds

Did you ever wish you could fly like a bird up in the sky? Did you ever want to glide so gracefully? When you look up to the sky do you see them flying by? On the wings and the wind like a dream

Higher and higher they fly into the deep blue of the sky Some go as far as the pole, for some the next watering hole

Did you ever wake up to the cooing of a dove Or the song of a tufted Tui? Did you ever dream at night of a Kiwi taking flight Or an owl hooting out at the moon?

Birds soar so high, birds kiss the sky Before the sun's up their singing starts

Birds are flying 'round making funny sounds Singing chirpy songs as their wings flap along Scratching for some food in their playful mood Birds of a feather stick together

Before the sun's up their singing starts Birds make gravity seem like a lark

Higher and higher they fly in patterns across the blue sky Some go as far as the pole, for some it's a tree down the road

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Tuatara

You can find a dinosaur in your own back yard When you live on an island it won't be very hard Tuatara, it's an ancient reptile, Tuatara, not a lizard seen for miles Tuatara, after eons of survival, Tuatara, it's a dinosaur revival

When they started roaming earth 200 million years ago There were many Sphenodontia going to and fro They outlived their relatives by 60 million years And anyway you look at it that's a lot of zeros

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Can you imagine why it is they lasted for so long There were lots of sea bird eggs to eat for a song What would it be like for them to celebrate a birthday Cake would not be on the menu at the weta party

Tuatara, three sets in its head, Tuatara, those teeth fill bugs with dread Tuatara, after eons of survival, Tuatara, it's a dinosaur revival

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Crab

Walk like a crab, crawl like a crab, bury your body in the sand Walk like a crab, crawl like a crab, In the ocean or on the land

Drumming with their legs on hard shell carapace All 5000 kinds escaping just in time Burrowing a cave for a place to stay Always walk sideways when scurrying away

Walk like a crab, crawl like a crab, bury your body in the sand Walk like a crab, crawl like a crab, In the ocean or on the land

Waving with their pincers to see who is the flincher Standing up to fight, it's all for show tonight

Paddle 'til they're blue, kings and spiders too Hermits find a shell, horseshoes have a tale to tell

Walk like a crab, crawl like a crab, bury your body in the sand Walk like a crab, crawl like a crab, In the ocean or on the land

Snapping with their claws, doing deep knee crevice crawls Going out tonight for dinner or a bite

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Cheetah

Who's the fastest animal, the fastest of them all The one who always wins the race, the one who sets the pace

It's the cheetah, he'll cheat ya, when he's on the chase you won't even see his face It's the cheetah, he'll cheat ya, but this wild cat is losing his habitat

They sprint faster than 100 k's per hour Threatened with extinction, they won't throw in the towel Other types of wild cats are in danger too Lions, tigers, pumas, just to name a few

It's the cheetah, he'll cheat ya, when he's on the chase you won't even see his face

So many people in the world today Not many places for a cheetah to play He looks like a leopard who has changed his spots But man is catching up to him so he just runs a lot

Run like a cheetah on two feet or four, run like a cheetah on the forest floor Think like a cheetah, let out a cheetah roar, run like a cheetah some more

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Jellyfish

Wobble, wobble, wobble like a jellyfish, wobble, wobble, and catch the drift Wobble, wobble, wobble like a jellyfish, floating on the ocean

Tentacles hang like ropes, umbrellas are made to float Wandering the ocean tides, going for a ride Brown and blue and pink and white, moon jelly is shining bright Some of them have green protein, fluorescent, glowing, gleams

Wobble, wobble, wobble like a jellyfish, wobble, wobble, and catch the drift Wobble, wobble, wobble like a jellyfish, under your umbrella

There are 200 kinds of them, been around 400 million Years have not done much to change their bodies or their range

By the shore where there's runoff they may come to feed So the best thing that we can do is keep the water clean

The feed on prey the same as fish, medusas, jellies, cnidarias They are known by all these names and wobble just the same

Wobble, wobble, wobble like a jellyfish, wobble, wobble, and catch the drift Wobble, wobble, wobble like a jellyfish, floating on the ocean

Some are big and some are small, wash up on beaches near and far Just so you don't find one of them in your bikini bottom

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Wobble, wobble like a jelly fish, keep the water clean...

Monkey

A tale is a story, a play with many acts The tail of a monkey goes something like that

Monkey swinging on a vine has some time for play Monkey climbing up a tree working to feed the family

They swing from tree to tree like Tarzan on a water ski They use their arms like you and me but their tails let them hang hands free

Monkey swinging on a vine has some time for play Monkey climbing up a tree working to feed the family

They live in forest canopies, chatter and shout much like you and me We hear their voices singing out, it is time that we saved more trees

Swing like a monkey, hold on to that line Swing like a monkey, you'll fly so high Yes you'll soar right up to the sky

A tale is a story, a play with many acts The tail of a monkey goes something like that

They swing from branch to branch, take a break to have a scratch They cuddle together, huddle together and hatch a plan Come and join them to save more trees

Swing like a monkey, hold on to that line (vine) Swing like a monkey, you'll fly so high Yes you'll soar right up to the sky...

Cows

Cows like grass, tall green grass, They eat it once and then they eat again (x2)

Sticking out their tongues, such a funny face Looking at you sideways, chewing on their cuds They make a squish tromping with their hooves Slowly making tracks tromping through the grass

Cows like grass, tall green grass, They eat it once and then they eat again

Tromp, tromp, tromp, chew, chew, chew Cows in the field, they know what to do

They have all day to make some hay In the sun or rain it's all the same

Cows like grass, tall green grass, They eat it once and then they eat again

To a cow in the dawn there is milk in the lawn And it comes everyday when they eat

Tromp, tromp, tromp, chew, chew, chew Cows in the field, they know what to do

How now brown cow, half past next calf 'til then penguin, sure we'll meet again

As they head to the shed you see milk with your bread And it comes everyday like the sun

Tromp, tromp, tromp, chew, chew, chew Cows in the field, they know what to do (x2)

Sticking out their tongues, such a funny face
Looking at you sideways, chewing on their cuds
How now brown cow, half past next calf
'til then penguin, sure we'll meet again, sure we'll meet again