



Projet musical : « Redemption song » Bob Marley (1980)

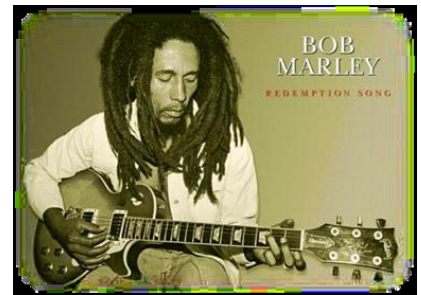
Couplet 1:

Old pirates yes they rob I
Sold I to the merchant ships
Minutes after they took I
From the bottom less pit
But my hand was made strong
By the hand of the Almighty
We forward in this generation
Triumphantly



Refrain:

Won't you help to sing
These songs of reedom
Cause all I ever have
Redemption song
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Couplet 2:

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Redemption song, est une chanson de Bob Marley

La chanson est considérée comme l'une des œuvres fondatrices de Bob Marley. Certaines paroles clés sont issues d'un discours prononcé par l'orateur Panafricaniste Marcus Garvey.

Au moment où il a écrit la chanson, il avait été diagnostiqué avec le cancer de l'orteil qui plus tard devait prendre sa vie.

Selon Rita Marley, « Il était déjà secrètement atteint de douleurs et a parlé de sa propre mort, en particulier dans cette chanson. »