

# **Redemption Song**

By Bob Marley

Old pirates, yes, they rob I;  
Sold I to the merchant ships,  
Minutes after they took I  
From the bottomless pit.  
But my hand was made strong  
By the 'and of the almighty.  
We forward in this generation  
Triumphantly.  
Wont you help to sing  
These songs of freedom? -  
'Cause all I ever have:  
Redemption songs;  
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None but ourselves can free our minds.  
Have no fear for atomic energy,  
'Cause none of them can stop the time.  
How long shall they kill our prophets,  
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