A Matter of Time

Grisha Stewart, 2023

It's **only**a **matter** of time before we
Come together and
Find our way

Oh
It's only only
A matter of time before we
Come together and
And find our way

[At the end both harmonize on] Home

Ancestors / Future Ones

For Community Grief Ritual Grisha Stewart, 2024

Part A:

An**cestors**, we do this for you Future Ones we do this for you too

Part B:

All generations, we **need** you Feelin our way through the shadow to the source of **light**

Ancestors Remind Me

Grisha Stewart, 2024

X Ancestors remind me We do not do this work alone

X Ancestors remind me
We do not do this work alone

Awkward Has Time

Grisha Stewart, 2024

Awkward has time
To **turn** to tender
X When we slow down [2 bars]

A fire burns
From the embers
When we lean into the now

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Beating Heart Chorus

Grisha Stewart, 2018

[Whole group]

I've got a beating heart, just like you, just like you
I've got a beating heart, just like you, just like you

Rounds

I need to BELONG...

I need to Be SAFE...

I need to Be FREE...

I've got a beating heart...

More info on dogs being S.A.F.E. at grishastewart.com/safe

A Being Being Guided

Grisha Stewart 2023

A part

(I'm a) **being** being guided (A) **being** being guided Being being guided When I **pause** to feel

Being being guided Being being guided Being being guided when I Pause to feel

Being being guided Being being guided Being being guided when I Pause to feel

I let **go**Of the **wheel**Spirit knows the way when I
Pause to feel

B part
I let **go**Of the **wheel**Spirit knows the way when I
Pause to feel

I let **go**Of the **wheel**Spirit knows the way when I
Pause to feel

I let **go**Of the **wheel**Spirit knows the way when I
Pause to feel

Being being guided
Being being guided
Being being guided when I
Pause to feel

Best Case Scenario Chorus

Grisha Stewart & Tom Clark 2020

A Part:

- (X) I believe in the best case
- (X) Holding on to the best case
- (X) I believe in the best case
 Best case scenario
 pause 4 beats

B Part:

Best case Scenario Best case Scenario Best case Scenario Best case Scenario pause 4 beats

Butterfly Wings

Grisha Stewart, 2021

CHORUS:

Try flappin your butterfly wings Can you feel the flow? Of the river of life around you And the ground below?

VERSES:

Mother of time, you sent me Love To hold me through my tears Daughter of time, I send you Faith To fly you through your fears.

Brother of time, you set me free To feel my way to simple Sister of time, you shared your trust Breathing in your tempo

Father of time, you sent me Hands
To learn what I can do
Son of time, I send you Trust
To see the world anew

Mother of time, you sent me Hands To learn what I can do Daughter of time, I send you Trust To see the world anew

Circle of Trees

Grisha Stewart 2023

In a circle of trees
Weaving melodies
May wisdom ripple through me
for us all

All beings everywhere,
May we dare to care
(X) Remember to remember
We belong
Remember to remember we
belong

Day by Day

Grisha Stewart 2022

Day by day,
Drop by Drop,
Water fills a jar.
Turn by turn,
Yes by yes,
Becoming who we are

Every Dawn

Grisha Stewart 2022 (Part 1 is a round)

Part 1:

Every dawn comes a brand new day
A chance to say hello, Here I am

Part 2:

Hello-oh here I am Hello-oh here I am

Part 3:

Here I am, Here I am, Here I am

Feel Free to Release

Grisha Stewart & Tom Clark 2021 Do the chorus as a Round

Chorus:

Feel feel to release What holds you back What's holdin you back? What holds you back?

Feel free to let go All you think you know We're all stars in this show Feel free to let go

Verses:

Glad I'm walkin home beside you I'm afraid of this dark road too The only way out is bravely through My Love

Befriend your **dragons** in the dark Discourage the **hunter** who seeks to harm Distinguish the **present** from the false alarm My love

Grateful to **grace** that you're with me
Our **four** eyes are better to see
Together we **set** our spirits free
My Love

The only way *home* is bravely through
Only way home is *bravely* through
Only way home is bravely *through*My Love



Giggle in the Middle

Grisha Stewart 2020 Zipper song

We're born, we die, we *giggle* in the middle The work gets done when we all do a little

Circle back, circle back Circle back, on back, circle back

We're born we die, we *_____* in the middle The work gets done when we all do a little

Good Morning

Grisha Stewart, 2023

It's a **good** good morning
I love you I see you
Grateful every day I wake up
By your side

It's a gooooood morning
I love you I see you
Grateful every time I look
Into your eyes

Grisha Stewart, 2020

Gone forever Gone forever, somehow

Gone forever Gone forever, til now

Gone Forever

Grief

Grisha Stewart 2024

Grief

Grief is a journey to the Wounded parts of me Grief is a reckoning Of reality

Grief take me Down to the place where the sadness lives Release Release

Grief is what's buried in my Anger, blame, and shame Grief is the truth when I Feel into the pain

Grief take me
Down to the place where my
sorrow lives
Release
Release

Grief is a time to let a New story begin Grief is remembering How to love again Grief

Take me down to the

Place where my music lives

Release

Release

Free

Free

[keep singing free, quieter and quieter]

Happy Happy Birthday

Grisha Stewart 2022

Happy happy happy Birthday Happy happy birthday to you-oooh-ooh

Happy happy happy
Birthday
May all your dreams come
True

Home Wherever I Go

Grisha Stewart 2022

Round (Got my) arms open wide, (X) Feet in the dirt.

Grateful that my body and my spirit walk the earth.

Home! Wherever I go. I'm letting that air flow.

Through my belly, down to my toes.

Home wherever I go.

We share this planet
We aren't the only ones,
Pain, Joy, Sorrow
Water in the river that runs
Oh we share

(Got my) arms open wide, (X) Feet in the dirt.

Grateful that my body and my spirit walk the earth.

I Choose to Be Here

Grisha Stewart 2023

I choose to be here, I choose, Oh I do
I choose to be here, I do

Intergenerational Healing

Grisha Stewart 2023

Intergenerational healing
Feeling our way through the shadow to the source of the
Light

It's Okay

Grisha Stewart & Tom Clark 2022

It's okay to teach me how to love you.

It's okay to teach you how to love me.

It's okay to teach me how to love you.

I don't know your story this time 'round.

It's okay to teach you how to love me.

It's okay to teach me how to love you.

It's okay to teach you how to love me.

You don't know my story this time 'round.

Inside Outside

Grisha Stewart 2024 Zipper song

The bright full moon is calling me

(X) Outside, outside

My warm tea mug is calling me

(X) Inside, inside

Kettle Song

Grisha Stewart 2023 Could be a Zipper Song (replace put kettle on)

I'll put the kettle on darlin
Happy for a way to care for you
I'll put the kettle on darlin
Grateful every day you're mine
Grateful every day you're mine
Grateful every day you're mine

Kinship Tending

Grisha Stewart 2024

Kinship Tending
Is the bedrock
Of a village that remembers
X We all belong

Lean In

Grisha Stewart 2024

Lean in to the / pain Let tears flow like / rain. That's why we have them x4

Salty sorrow sacred as the ocean Floating our way home on a river of **tears**That's why we **have** them x4

Aching, buried /deep

Keening cries release That's why we have them x 4

The **tears** that we /cry melt what's **frozen** inside (Breathe life back inside?)
That's why we **have** them x 4

Light Upon the World

Grisha Stewart 2024

May I be free, may you be free May we be free of enmity

Elders, we need you Ancestors, we need you All generations it's Time to Feel

It's our **turn** to shine Light upon the world It's our **turn** to shine Light upon the world

Children we need you All beings, we need you People of all nations, it's Time to Heal

It's our **turn** to shine Light upon the world It's our **turn** to shine Light upon the world

May I be free, may you be free May we be free of enmity

It's our **turn** to shine Light upon the world It's our **turn** to shine Light upon the world

Love is a River

Grisha Stewart 2020

A Part: (River)
Love is a river flowing
Love is a river flowing through
Love is a river flowing through us
all

B Part: (The Land)
X
Strong as a river
Wild as a river
Deep as a river
Love flows through us all

Mama's Love

Grisha Stewart & Marcel Robicheaux, 2019 Dedicated to Dani

Thankful for the sunshine
Thankful for the blue skies
Grateful for the rainbows
That come out after the hard times

Thankful for the green trees
Thankful that we've still got bees
Grateful for the love of dogs
And multicolored memories

Thankful for clean mountain air

Thankful for the life up there Grateful for my mama's love I take it with me everywhere

Thankful for the sunshine

Thankful for the blue skies Grateful for the rainbows That come after the hard times

May I Be Free

Grisha Stewart 2022

Definition
Enmity (en·mi·ty) The state or
feeling of being actively opposed
or hostile to someone or

something. Feeling like one has an enemy, externally or internally.

A Part:

Breathe In
Let Love In
Breathe Out
Let Love Out

B Part:

May I be free May I be free May I be free From enmity

My Body is Calling Me

Grisha Stewart 2022

My body is
Calling me
Mother nature is
calling me
What I carry
I now set free
My body is calling me
home
My body is calling me
home
My body is calling me
home

Never Alone

Grisha Stewart & Tom Clark, 2020 Dedicated to Bean

Chorus:

Never alone Never alone

Wherever you go may you know

your way home

Never alone Never alone

Wherever you go may you know

your way home

Verses:

In a **forest** lost
Deep **in** the trees
May **you** discover
Your way **back** to me

Though your path is steep

And shadows fall

May you **feel** my love May you **hear** my call

On a mountaintop, I

Coyote howl

May you **feel** my love Like I **feel** yours now.

Flower to flower

Nimble **bumble** bean oh **may** you gather

All that you need

When sun returns, violet

Digitalis grows

May you **feel** my love Oh I **know** you know

Outro:

(You're) Never alone

Never alone

Wherever you go may you know

Wherever you go may you know

Wherever you go may you know your way

home

New Day Dawning

Tom Clark 2021 Zipper song

I just wanna sing about a new day dawnin'
I just wanna sing about a new day dawnin'
I just wanna sing about a new daaaaay

Givin' rise to delight in my eyes Givin' rise to delight in my eyes

I just wanna sing
I just wanna sing about
I just wanna sing about breezes
blowin
'bout breezes blowin
'bout breezes blowin
Givin' rise to delight in my eyes

Onto Something Big

Grisha Stewart 2023 Round (also can throw in words of joy and resilience strategies)

Onto something, onto something Big, big Onto something, on to something Big

Permission

Grisha Stewart, 2023 Round

I give myself
Permission
To heal to feel to find a way to
Shine, shine, shine
To heal to feel to find a way to
Shine

Now In This Moment

Grisha Stewart 2024 Zipper song, process song

Now in this moment
X In this present moment
Now in this moment
I breathe in
[pause to breathe]

Clap or snap the 4 to restart

Plenty

Grisha Stewart & Tom Clark 2024

There's **plenty**, plenty Plenty to go around Plenty, plenty Plenty to be found

When we share x 2

There's **plenty**, plenty Of ways to get along Plenty, plenty We are soft and strong

When we share x 2

Pocket Hug Chorus

Grisha Stewart & Tom Clark 2022

On this journey you will laugh
On this journey you will cry
With every breath, may you learn to
be
kind

May you find peace Feel the power of love May you get what you need May you know you're enough

Salty Sorrow

Grisha Stewart 2024

Salty sorrow, sacred as the **ocean**Floating our way home on a river of tears

That's why we have them x4

Sanctuary Song

Grisha Stewart 2022

Butterfly
Flutter by
Sipping flowers
by the creek
When I ask for
Sanctuary
(X) I need time before we speak

Say Hello

Grisha Stewart 2023 Zipper song

Slow Down

Grisha Stewart 2022

Slow down, slow down You're bumpin into walls Slow down, there's time Feel. Intuit all.

The Song Was Silent

Grisha Stewart 2023

The **song** was silent
I felt every word
Woven by the trees and the
Birds

The **song** was silent
I felt every word. The most
beautiful song I never
heard

Spirit's Calling Me

Grisha Stewart 2022

A Part
(My) Spirit's calling me to
Remember who I am
Spirit's calling me to
Remember

B Part
Oh, I remember
I remember who I am
Oh, oh, oh, oh
I remember

Sunshine

Grisha Stewart, 2022

Sunshine, sunshine Wakin up to morning sunshine

Sunshine, sunshine Wakin up to the light

STEP UP

Grisha Stewart, 2024 3 Rounds

Part 1:

(X) Step up,	[syncopated]
(X) Step Up	[syncopated]
Can I, can I	[on the beat]
Step on Up?	[on the beat]
Can I, can I	[on the beat]
Step on Up?	[on the beat]

Part 2:

Step [inhale] Up [inhale] Step [inhale] Up I can I can! I Step on Up.

[Then just keep repeating the end until we all sing together.]
I can I can!

I Step on Up.

I can I can!
I Step on Up.

I can I can
I Step on Up.

Takin It Slow

Tom Clark & Grisha Stewart 2023

We're **takin** it slow
Letting **go** of the go go go
We're **takin** it slow
Letting **go** of the go go go
We're **takin** it slow

This is My Life

Grisha Stewart 2023 (Can do a round with the train part. Also goes with Yes to my Body)

Not a preview, nor an intro Not foreplay nor foreshadow

- (X) (X) This is my life
- (X) Right here on the train On the **bus**, on the plane, on the path I'm walkin'
- (X) This is my life

Tomorrow's Garden (Chorus & 1 verse)

Grisha Stewart 2021

A part:

Today I turn to love
Open up and listen
(X) Let abundant love
Guide
Intuition

B part:

(X) Oper

Open up and listen ↑
Slow and down and listen ↓
Open up and listen ↑
Slow and down and listen ↓

VERSE:

We didn't choose the soil
In which our seeds were planted down
The only thing that we can do
Is choose what to do now

Today I turn to love Today I turn to love Today I turn to love

Welcome to the Circle

Grisha Stewart 2024

Come join the circle Let's sing the welcome song Welcome to the circle where we all belong

We Gather Together

Grisha Stewart 2024

Slow Down
Listen
Can you feel the call?
Quiet
Wisdom
Flowin' through us all

In the **tapestry** of life, We're **woven** all together We **gather** together To behold it all

You're not meant to Hold it all together We **gather** together to **hold** it all

What Am I Here to Learn?

Grisha Stewart 2021

What am I here to learn? What am I here to know? What am I afraid of? How am I here to grow?

Let your inside **play** outside Let your outside **play** inside x2

What's **this** a metaphor for? Where's the wisdom in this **story**?

Wind in the Leaves

Grisha Stewart & Tom Clark 2022

Wind in the leaves and the rain pours down.
Trickles down the trunk, into the ground,

where the roots grow deep. Roots grow deep. ↑
Roots grow deep. ↓

Roots grow deep. ↑
Roots grow deep. ↓

When We Dream

Grisha Stewart 2024

Hey ay
When we dream
Can we dream
big enough for all of us?

Oh oh All **be**ings can **be** kinder when we're safe and **loved**

Witness

Grisha Stewart 2024

We're here to bear
Witness to the parts of you that
feel alone and scared

Here to care Grateful for the bravery it takes for you to share

Worlds Weave Together

Grisha Stewart 2024

I have **faith** in the wisdom That **all** bodies embody

Faith in the healing of sharing grief

Faith in re-membering, Our **worlds** weave together

I have faith in you and me

Yes to My Body

Grisha Stewart 2023 (Goes with This is My Life) Zipper Song

I say Yes to my body Yes, yes Yes to my body Yes Yes

Yes to my body Yes, yes When I say no To that

You Belong (Your Presence is Sacred)

Grisha Stewart 2022 Goes with Circle of Trees and The Song Was Silent)

You belong (X X) You are here (XX) Your presence is sacred, we hold you dear

You Belong II

Grisha Stewart 2022

You belong
I belong
We all carry
The words to the song