**WE ARE SINGING FOR A PEACEFUL**

**WORLD**

(South African Freedom Song/new lyrics)

We are singing for a peaceful world

We are singing for a peaceful world (repeat)

We are singing (singing) we

are singing (singing)

We are singing for a peaceful

world (repeat)

**AIN’T GONNA LET NOBODY TURN ME**

**AROUND**

Ain't gonna let nobody turn me around

Turn me around! (x3)

Ain't gonna let nobody turn me around

I'm gonna keep on a-walkin', keep on a-talkin',

Marchin' to a peaceful land!

**WE SHALL NOT BE MOVED**

We shall not, we shall not be moved

We shall not, we shall not be moved

Just like a tree that's standing by the water

We shall not be moved

**THE BATTLE HYMN OF THE WOMEN**

Mine eyes have seen the glory

of the flame of women's rage

Kept smoldering for centuries,

now burning in this age

We no longer will be prisoners

in that same old gilded cageThat's why we're marching on

Move on over or we'll move on over you

For women's time has come!

You have told us to speak softly,

to be gentle and to smile

Expected us to change ourselves

with every passing style

Said the only work for women

was to clean and sweep and file

CHORUS

It is we who've done your cooking,

done your cleaning, kept your rules

We gave birth to all your children

and we taught them in your schools

We've kept the system running

but we're laying down our tools

CHORUS

You think that you can buy us off

with crummy wedding rings

You never give us half the profit

that our labor brings

Our anger eats into us,

we no longer bow to kings

**BELLA CIAO**

Oh we are women, and we are marching

Oh Bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao

We are marching for liberation

We want a revolution now!

Oh we are artists, and we are weaving

Oh Bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao ciao ciao

We are weaving for liberation

We want a revolution now!

Oh we are children...dreaming

We are poets...we are singing…

We are lovers...longing

Mothers... caring…

Fathers...crying…

Workers...building…

**UNREASONABLE WOMEN - A MODEST**

**PROPOSAL**

(Betsy Rose-Dedicated to the Indigenous

Women of Nigeria who took on Chevron and

won)

If the news gets too depressing

And you feel you can't go on

Take off your clothes (2X)

And circle the Pentagon

If the government annoys you

And you don't know what to do

Take off your clothes…

And circle the White House too!

If the congress acts like lemmings

And you just can¹t make them hear

Take off your clothes…

And dance around in their chairs

If the media is lazy

Running scared or sold or bought

Take off your clothes…

And give them a story that's hot

If their talking new invasions

And Iran is next in line

 Take off…

And show them a little spine!

If the women of Nigeria

Could shame the big oil guys

Let's take off our clothes…

And give them a little surprise

**CODEPINK**

**THEME SONGS**

**GOD HELP AMERICA**

**(tune of God Bless America)**

Gold Help America

We need you BAD

'cause our leaders

Are cheaters

And they're making the world really mad

Climbing mountains

Crossing oceans

And invading

Foreign soil

God help America

No blood for oil!

God Forgive America

No blood for oil.

**GATHER THE WOMEN**

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Gather the women

Gather the women

Gather the women

Let the circle begin

Gather the mothers

Sisters and daughters

Come to the waters

Where the circle never ends

I SING FOR THE MOTHERS

(Betsy Rose)

I sing for the mothers all over the earth

For their power, for their love

I ache for the mothers all over the earth

For their sorrow for their love

May their broken hearts be cradled

May their righteous anger be heard

I pray for justice and healing

For all of the mothers

All over the earth