

Frogs in the School

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^G Here in my sack, ^C right here on my back, ^{D7} I carried some frogs from the stream. ^G
My mother and father were there eating breakfast
^{D7} They said, "Go and get your hands clean." ^G
^{B7} Well, I put down my sack and I turned my back suddenly I ^C
heard my dad scream, "Hey!" ^A

CHORUS:

^G "Frogs in the house, get them out! ^{E7} ^{A7} ^{D7}
^G Frogs in the house, hoppin' about ^{E7} ^{A7} ^{D7}
^G Frogs in the house, Hey, whad' you do? ^{E7} ^{A7} ^{D7}
^G Frogs in the house, what's the matter with you? ^{E7} ^{A7} ^{D7}
^G Froggie, froggie, green and brown ^{E7} ^{A7} ^{D7}
^G Hoppin' up and hoppin' down ^{E7} ^{A7} ^{D7}
^{Em} Froggie, froggie, without a doubt ^{G A} ^{Em} ^{G A}
^G Collect those frogs and get them out!" ^{D7}

2. I put them back, back in my sack and I started out walking to school
I brought them along, didn't think it was wrong, I
didn't want to break any rules
Well, I put down my sack and I turned my back
Then I heard the teacher go, "Ugh!"

CHORUS: "Frogs in the school" etc.

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3. I put them back, back in my sack, and I got on the bus to go home

I sat in the back, all by myself, I just wanted to be alone

Well, I put down my sack and I turned my back

I heard the bus driver groan, "Oh, no!"

CHORUS: "Frogs in the bus" etc.

4. I put them back, back in my sack and I got off the bus at the store

I wanted to buy myself something to eat, so I put my sack down on the floor

Well, I put down my sack and I turned my back

Then I heard the storekeeper roar, "Hey!"

CHORUS: "Frogs in the store" etc.

5. I put them back, back in my sack and I walked my way down
to the pond

I said, "It's been nice, but now thinking twice, I think it's best you be gone."

Well, I put down my sack and I turned my back

Suddenly, I heard a big splash . . . At last!

CHORUS: "Frogs in the pond, swimming away," etc.