# A Place In The Choir

Bill Staines 1984 (adapted from Celtic Thunder’s 2016 recording on Legacy Vol. 1)

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**< SINGING NOTE: B >**

**INTRO CHORUSES: / 1 2 / 1 2 /**

**[G]↓** All God’s creatures got a place in the choir

**[D]↓** Some sing low and **[G]↓** some sing higher

Some **[C]↓** sing out loud on the **/** **[C]↓** telephone **[G]↓** wire **/**

**[G]↓** Some just **[D7]↓** clap their **/** **[G]↓** hands or paws, oranything they got now

**[G]** All God’s creatures got a place in the choir

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Or **[G]** anything they got now

**INSTRUMENTAL CHORUS:**

**[G]** All God’s creatures got a **[G]** place in the choir

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**[G]** Some just **[D7]** clap their **/** **[G]** hands or paws **/**

**[G]** Listen to the top where the little bird sings

In the **[D]** melodies, and the **[G]** high notes ringin’

And the **[C]** hoot owl cries over **/ [C]** every-**[G]**thing **/**

And the **[G]** blackbird **[D7]** disa-**/ [G]**grees

**[G]** Singin’ in the night time, singin’ in the day

And the **[D]** little duck quacks and is **[G]** on his way

And the **[C]** otter hasn’t got **/ [C]** much to **[G]** say **/**

And the **[G]** porcupine **[D7]** talks to him-**/ [G]**self

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**[G]** Dogs and the cats they take up the middle

Where the **[D]** honeybee hums, and the **[G]** cricket fiddles

The **[C]** donkey brays and the **/ [C]** pony **[G]** neighs **/**

And the **[G]** old grey **[D7]** badger **/ [G]** sighs

Well **[G]** listen to the bass, it’s the one on the bottom

Where the **[D]** bullfrog croaks and the **[G]** hippopotamus

**[C]** Moans and groans with a **/** **[C]** big to **[G]** do **/**

And the **[G]** old cow **[D7]** just goes **/ [G]↓** moo!

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Or **[G]** anything they got now

**INSTRUMENTAL CHORUS:**

**[G]** All God’s creatures got a **[G]** place in the choir

**[F]** Some sing low and **[G]** some sing higher

Some **[C]** sing out loud on the **[G]** telephone wire

**[D7]** Some just clap their **[G]** hands or paws

It’s a **[G]** simple song of livin’ sung everywhere

By the **[D]** ox, and the fox, and the **[G]** grizzly bear

The **[C]** dopey alligator and the **/** **[C]** hawk a-**[G]**bove

The **/ [G]** sly old weasel and the **/** **[D7]** turtle **[G]** dove **/**

**FINAL CHORUSES:**

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