

# Galaxy Song

## Monty Python

Whenever life gets you down, Mrs. Brown  
And things seem hard or tough  
And people are stupid, obnoxious or daft  
And you feel that you've had quite enough  
Just remember that you're standing on a planet that's evolving  
And revolving at nine hundred miles an hour  
That's orbiting at nineteen miles a second, so it's reckoned  
A sun that is the source of all our power  
The sun and you and me and all the stars that we can see  
Are moving at a million miles a day  
In an outer spiral arm, at forty thousand miles an hour  
Of the galaxy we call the 'milky way'  
Our galaxy itself contains a hundred billion stars  
It's a hundred thousand light years side to side  
It bulges in the middle, sixteen thousand light years thick  
But out by us, it's just three thousand light years wide  
We're thirty thousand light years from galactic central  
point  
We go 'round every two hundred million years  
And our galaxy is only one of millions of billions  
In this amazing and expanding universe  
The universe itself keeps on expanding and expanding  
In all of the directions it can whizz  
As fast as it can go, the speed of light, you know  
Twelve million miles a minute and that's the fastest speed there is  
So remember, when you're feeling very small  
and insecure  
How amazingly unlikely is your birth  
And pray that there's intelligent life somewhere up in space  
'Cause there's bugger all down here on Earth

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