It's Morning

Nitty Gritty Dirt Band

One parrot in a cage At the home of a friend Is reason to wonder and stare Green wings and red faceAnd a sapphire belly A racket so loud As to out shout the teleBut this morning, my prayer By the side of the sea Took pause to turn back To the moon in the treesWhere a green cloud of birds In a flock of a thou' Yelled from one to another It's morning out loud"It's morning, it's morning It's morning", they cried From the edge of the treetops To the edge of the skies"It's morning, it's morning It's morning", they cried So open your heart When you open your eyesAnd the sound of their voices Together did blend Forming chords of awakening I'll not hear againFor they shouted Never again would they fly In such numbers across Such a primitive skyAnd they noticed my heart As it sank to the sand Do not hurry they called It's all part of a plan[Unverified]

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