

The Cuckoo

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oh the cuckoo (oh the cuckoo)
she's a pretty bird (she's a pretty bird)
 she wore holes, as she flies
 she never says cuckoo
till the fourth day of Julyjack of diamonds (jack of diamonds)
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 I know you, from old
 you've robbed my poor pockets
of my silver and my goldmy horses ain't hungry
 they won't eat your hay
 I'll ride them a little further
 I'll feed them along the way

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