

# Baltimore Oriole

## Judy Henske

Baltimore Oriole  
Took one look at that mercury, forty below  
    No life for a lady  
To be draggin' her feathers around in the snowLeaving me blue, off she flew  
    To the Tangipaho, down in Louisiana  
    Where a two timin' Jaybird  
Met the divine Miss OI'd like to ruffle his plumage  
    That Baltimore Oriole  
    Messed around with that big guy  
Till he singed her wingsForgivin' is easy, it's a woman like, now and then  
    Could happen to thing  
    Send her back home  
Home ain't home without her warblingHow she can sing  
    Make a lonely man happy, Baltimore Oriole  
Come down from that boughSend her back home, back home  
    Home ain't home without her warblingHow she can sing  
    Make a lonely man happy, Baltimore Oriole  
    Come down from that bough  
    Fly to your daddy now

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