

## Arlo Guthrie "Garden Song"

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Inch by inch, row by row  
Gonna make this garden grow  
Gonna mulch it deep and low  
Gonna make it fertile ground

Inch by inch, row by row  
Please bless these seeds I sow  
Please keep them safe below  
'Til the rain comes tumbling down

Pullin' weeds and pickin' stones  
We are made of dreams and bones  
Need a place to call my own  
'Cause the time is close at hand

Grain for grain, sun and rain  
Find my way in nature's chain  
Till my body and my brain  
Tell the music of the land

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Plant your rows straight and long

Season with a prayer and song  
Mother Earth will make you strong  
If you give her loving care

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Slug by slug, weed by weed  
Boy this garden's got me t'd  
All the insects come to feed  
On my tomato plants

Sunburt face, skined up knees

The kitchen's chocked with zucchinis  
I'm shopping at the A&P's  
Next time I get the chance

Old crow watching from a tree  
He's got his hungry eye on me  
In my garden I'm as free  
As that feathered thief up there

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