

# Johnny Cash

## "Redemption Song"

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Old pirates, yes, they rob I  
Sold I to the merchant ships  
Minutes after they took I  
From the bottomless pits

But my hand was made strong  
By the Hand of the Almighty  
We forward in this generation  
Triumphantly

Won't you help to sing these songs of freedom?  
'Cause all I ever have redemption songs  
Redemption songs

Emancipate yourselves from mental slavery  
None but ourselves can free our minds  
Have no fear for atomic energy  
'Cause none of them can stop the time

How long shall they kill our prophets  
While we stand aside and look?  
Some say it's just a part of it  
We got to fulfil The Book

So, won't you help to sing these songs of freedom?  
'Cause all I ever have redemption songs  
Redemption songs  
Redemption songs

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Minutes after they took I  
From the bottomless pits

How long shall they kill our prophets  
While we stand aside and look?  
Here some say it's just a part of it  
We've got to fulfil The Book

So, won't you help to sing these songs of freedom?  
'Cause all I ever have redemption songs  
All I ever have redemption songs

These songs of freedom, songs of freedom

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