

## Manowar

# "The Spirit Horse Of The Cherokee"

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The trail of tears began for all the Cherokee  
The white men came to trade & borrow,  
But then they would not leave  
Some of us were taken by boat, and died at sea  
Those of us who lived were sold to slavery.  
We welcomed them as brothers, knowing nothing of  
Their greed, born hunters not the hunted  
As the white man hunts for me,  
We are descendants of the animals  
We live among the free  
Our trail of tears would end one day at Wounded Knee.  
Great Spirit, thunder birds fly, we are wild and free  
To fight and die by the open sky, Spirit Horse ride for  
me  
When we do the Ghost Dance, the buffalo will return  
Paint ourselves for war, now blood and fire burn  
Great Spirit makes us strong, take us to the sky  
The Cherokee are brave, we are not afraid to die  
Great Spirit, thunder birds fly, we are wild and free  
To fight and die by the open sky, Spirit Horse ride for  
me  
Red Cloud, Black Hawk, Sitting Bull  
Crazy Horse, Geronimo  
Strong and brave warriors to the grave  
There has been much killing, there will be much more  
The Medicine Man is dancing, he's calling us to war,  
Hatchets sing with pride, let the white men die  
Great Spirit, thunder birds fly, we are wild and free  
To fight and die by the open sky, Spirit Horse ride for  
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