

The Monkey

Dr. John

Yeah, the monkey speaks his mind

Now, three monkey sittin' in a coconut tree
Discussin' things as they all say it to be
Said one to the other, now, listen you two
There's a certain rumor that can't be true

That man descended from our noble race
The very idea is a big disgrace
No monkey ever deserted his wife
Starve a baby [?]

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Ain't you never know a mother monk
To leave her babes with others to bonk
Pass 'em on from one to another
'Til they scarcely knew who was their mother

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And another thing you never see
I monkey build a fence around the coconut tree
And let another coconuts go to waste
Forbidden all the other monkeys to come and taste

What if I put up fence around this tree
Starvation would force you to steal from me

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Here's another thing a monkey won't do
Go out at night and get on a [?]
Use a gun, a club or knife
To take another monkey's life

Yeah, man descended [?]
But brothers from us, he did not come

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