

# The Vision Of Rassan

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This is my, my dedication  
A song to a father, from one to another  
One to another, a brother to a brother  
Cast your mind back (ooh ooh ooh)  
To black Africa (ooh ooh ooh)  
Little wooden ships (ooh ooh ooh)  
Crossing the ocean (ooh ooh ooh)  
Little wooden ships (ooh ooh ooh)  
Landing on the shoreline (ooh ooh ooh)  
The name of the place Lord (ooh ooh ooh)  
Is New-Orleans (ooh ooh ooh)  
Remember Jelly Roll Morton (ooh ooh ooh)  
Later Charlie Bird Parker (ooh ooh ooh)  
Travel to the north, yes (ooh ooh ooh)  
With Charlie Bird Parker (ooh ooh ooh)  
People goin' insane, yes (ooh ooh ooh)  
With John Coltrane, Lord (ooh ooh ooh)  
But can you dig on his name now? (ooh ooh ooh)  
I say it's Roll on Kirk, now (ooh ooh ooh)

Make them work, make them work, make them work  
Roll on Kirk, yeah  
Make them work, make them work, make them work  
Roll on Kirk on, check it one more time  
Make them work, make them work, make them work  
Roll, oh, Roll on Kirk on, mmm mmm  
Make them work, make them work, make them work  
Roll on Kirk on, yeah

Watch him move, every movement speaks now  
Seems his tender fingers is strangled in your cheeks now  
He does a little dance, and he stomps on his feet now  
Yeah, he moan and moan and blows, the bellows in his cheeks now  
Come on, baby

Make them work, make them work, make them work, Roll on Kirk  
Go baby  
Make them work, make them work, make them work, Roll on Kirk on

Come aboard the ship, it is a beautiful trip, Lord  
You're welcome aboard, yes, especially if you're hip, child  
Watch him closely while he makes up to the world now  
He makes a woman aware of man, ooh, a man of a goal, now, oh

Make them work, make them work, make them work  
Roll, Roll on Kirk, yeah, ow!  
Make them work, make them work, make them more work  
Make them more work, Roll on Kirk, now

Yes! Captain's at the wheel, Lord, take you on a trip, yeah  
You all got to excel to be invisible wit, now  
It's driving me, oh no, I got to flow farther  
Help me, sister, help me, brother  
Take my hand, yeah, and meet me to the bellow  
Keep it to my father, come on with me, brother, mmmmm  
Children, little bit nearer, yeah, mmm

Make them work, make them work, make them work  
Roll on Kirk, Lord  
Make them work, make them work, make them work  
Roll on Kirk, mama  
Make them work, make them work, Roll on Kirk  
Lord, mmm-hmm-hmm  
Everything has a dream, everything has a scheme  
Let's search for their reasons together, the reason together  
Make them work, make them work, make them work  
Roll on Kirk, all right, hey man, you need of any woman  
R-R-R-R-Rassan, Kirk... R-R-R-R-Rassan...  
R-R-R-R-Rassan... R-R-R-R-Rassan... Rassan, -san, -san