

## NOW's Pro-Choice Chants

1. They say NO choice,  
We say PRO-choice.
2. Women, united,  
Will never be defeated.  
(Mujeres, unidas,  
Jamás seran vencidos!)
3. Women's lives are on the line.  
Mind your sex life; I'll mind mine!
4. Not the Church, not the State --  
Women will decide their fate.
5. Abortion rights are under attack.  
What do we do?  
Act up, fight back!
6. Abortion rights throughout the land.  
Safe, legal, and on demand!
7. "Right to Life" -- your name's a lie.  
You don't care if women die.
8. Gay, straight, black, white.  
One struggle, one fight.
9. Our bodies, our lives,  
Our right to decide!
10. Keep your rosaries  
Off my ovaries!
11. What do we want?  
ABORTION RIGHTS!  
When do we want them?  
ALWAYS!
12. Two, four, six, eight,  
Separate the church and state.
13. Racist, sexist, anti-gay,  
Born-again bigots, go away!
14. Ho, ho, hey, hey,  
Roe v. Wade is here to stay!
15. Operation Rescue, hear our voice,  
You'll never take away our choice.
16. You throw bombs and then you pray?  
Self-righteous bigots, go away!
17. Operation Rescue, one thing's clear:  
When you show up, we'll be here.
18. Hey, hey, ho, ho!  
Operation Rescue has to go!
19. Back alleys -- no more!
20. Anti-choice, anti-dyke,  
Born-again bigots, take a hike!
21. Operation Rescue, you're over-rated.  
We won't be intimidated!
22. One, two, three, four,  
Defend the clinic door.  
Five, six, seven, eight,  
Don't tell us to procreate!
23. Keep your dolls and your beads.  
Women's strength is all we need!
24. [Song, to the tune of "Frere Jacques"]  
~~Safe and legal, safe and legal,~~  
It's our right, it's our right.  
With our banners waving,  
We'll continue saving,  
Women's lives, women's lives.
25. [Song, to the tune of "Row, Row, Row Your Boat"]  
Roe, Roe, Roe v. Wade,  
We will not be stayed.  
Women will decide their fate.  
And when to procreate.
26. [Song of "We Shall Not be Moved",  
with these verses:]  
Marching for women's lives,  
We shall not be moved.  
Mothers, sisters, daughters,  
We shall not be moved.  
Black and white together,  
We shall not be moved.  
Fighting for all women,  
We shall not be moved.  
Abortion, safe and legal,  
We shall not be moved.

## PRO-CHOICE CHANTS

ic'st, sexist, anti-gay

Born again bigots, go away!

Abortion rights throughout the land,  
Save, legal, and on demand!

Not the church, not the state  
Women will decide our fate!

Hey-hey, ho-ho,  
Operation Rescue's got to go!

Ho-ho, hey-hey,  
You're not the only ones who pray!

Right to life, your name's a lie  
You don't care if women die!

1,2,3,4, open up the clinic door  
5,6,7,8, don't tell us to procreate

Operation Rescue, who're you kidding?  
You throw bombs and bully women!

Operation Rescue, you're a fraud  
You've no monopoly on God!

Operation Rescue, hear our voice  
All of us are pro-choice!  
(or, All of Boston is pro-choice)

Operation Rescue, hear my voice  
You'll never take away MY choice

You throw bombs and then you pray?  
Righteous bigots, go away!

Back alleys --NO MORE!

Women's lives are on the line;  
Mind your sex life, I'll mind mine!

Keep your dolls and your beads;  
Women's strength is all we need!

2,4,6,8 -  
Separate the church and state!

They say NO choice, we say PRO choice

Just say ROE!

Women, united, will never be defeated

God's love- Ha! You're full of hate-  
You just bully and intimidate

Operation Rescue, you're over-rated  
We won't be intimidated!

Operation Rescue, one thing's clear  
Whenever you show up, we'll be here!

Operation Rescue out the door  
Abortion rights for rich and poor!

Hey, Hey, Save the Day-  
Roe v. Wade is here to stay!

Anti-choice, anti-dyke  
Born again bigots, take a hike!

## SONGS

(tune: Frere Jacques)

Safe and legal, safe and legal,  
It's our right, it's our right.  
With our banners waving,  
We'll continue saving  
Women's lives, women's lives

(tune: Row, row your boat)

Roe, Roe, Roe v. Wade  
We will not be ~~slayed~~  
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We Shall not be Moved

-Verses:  
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Abortion rights throughout the land,- safe, legal and on demand!

# ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS



Onward Christian Soldiers  
Marching as to War  
Trampling women's bodies  
Like many times before  
Preaching and guilt-tripping  
Madonna and/or Whore  
Those brazen gals enjoying sex  
Sure do make us Sore!

Onward Christian Soldiers  
Marching on we pray that  
We'll achieve our holy Goal  
To make those hussies pay.  
To outlaw Abortion  
We'll gladly go to jail  
Whilst the reverend Falwell  
Smirks and pays our ball.

Onward then ye Nazi volk  
Join our happy throng  
Lend with us your voices  
In the triumph song;  
Glory to der Faderland  
Ladies in their place  
Poppin out those babies for  
The Master race.

Onward Christian Soldiers  
Marching as to war  
With a bloody coathanger  
Going on before -

GLORY, GLORY, HOW THEY'D FOOL YOU!

My eyes have seen what's gory  
In the coming of the lies  
They have promised us Salvation  
If we go to Kill and Die  
They would chain down all the women  
While they let the missiles fly  
These lies must not go on!

Chorus:  
Glory, glory how they'd fool you  
Glory, glory how they'd fool you  
Glory, glory how they'd fool you  
These lies must not go on!

We have seen them in the papers  
And we know they scream quite loud  
They would bring about a future  
Where dissent is not allowed.  
They call themselves a rescue  
While they sew the world a shroud.  
These lies must not go on!

Chorus  
We have seen them in their white sheet  
We have seen them with a cross  
They're the people who do lynchings  
When their strength becomes enough.  
We must stop these fascists now  
Their ugly plan is not a bluff.  
These lies must not go on!  
Chorus

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AND LET THEM KNOW HOW YOU FEEL  
ABOUT THEM



TEACH-IN/SPEAK-OUT ON ABORTION AND REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS  
BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY 1989

LOOK TO THE PEOPLE FOR COURAGE

Ruth Pelham  
We're gonna look to the women for courage  
In the hard times coming ahead  
We're gonna sing and shout,  
We're gonna work it all out  
In the hard times coming ahead  
With women's courage, with women's courage  
With women's courage, we can make it

(alt.) Power, Laughter, Strength, Love,

SONGS TO FAMILIAR TUNES

Melody: America  
Oh beautiful for spacious skies

My body's mine and that is all  
I really need to say  
I have the right to run my life  
I don't need your OK

America America  
what's happening to you  
If church and state don't  
seperate  
Democracy is through

Melody: We Will Not Be Moved

Fighting for our lives  
We are on the move  
Fighting for our lives  
We are on the move  
Just like the river rushing to the ocean  
We are on the move

(alt.) Marching for our lives  
Marching for our freedom  
Marching for our daughters  
Unidos En La Lucha  
United in our struggle  
Gay and Straight together  
People of all colors  
Young and old together  
Joyous in our loving  
Singing for our freedom  
Fighting for our bodies  
Fighting for our choice

THIS LITTLE LIGHT OF MINE

This little light of mine I'm gonna let  
it shine 3X  
Let it shine, Let it shine Let it shine.

This little voice of mine I'm gonna let  
it rise 3X  
Let it rise, let it rise, let it rise

This little womb of mine I'm gonna keep  
it mine 3X  
Mine, Mine, All mine

OLD FAVORITES

WE WHO BELIEVE IN FREEDOM  
Sweet Honey in the Rock

We who believe in Freedom shall not rest  
We who believe in Freedom shall not rest  
until it comes

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until it comes

(alt.) Women who,  
Men who believe in women's freedom

AIN'T GONNA LET NOBODY TURN US AROUND

Ain't gonna let nobody turn us around  
Turn us around  
Turn us around  
Ain't gonna let nobody turn us around  
Gonna keep on walk'n, keep on talk'n  
marching on to freedom now.

George Bush  
Cardinal Law  
Woman haters  
Nobody's laws

NO MORE HANGERS

No more hangers  
No more hangers, sisters  
No more hangers  
We want liberation and we're not going  
back  
So we're fighting together  
Red, White, brown and black

No more dying  
No more dying, sisters  
No more dying

Keep abortion legal  
Keep abortion legal sisters  
Keep abortion legal



NEW SONGS

KEEP ON WALKING FORWARD Pat Humphries

We're gonna keep on walking forward  
Keep on walking forward  
Keep on walking forward  
Never turnin back  
Never turnin back

We're gonna fight for choice together  
fight for choice together  
fight for choice together  
Never turnin back  
Never turnin back

We're gonna show our children courage  
show our children courage  
show our children courage  
Never turnin back  
Never turnin back

WE ARE HERE TO FIGHT Myke Johnson  
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melody: traditional  
Chorus:

Every woman raise your voice  
We are here to fight  
To bear a child must be our choice  
We are here to fight  
We are here to fight  
We are here to hold the line  
We are here to fight

Carrie almost died thirty years ago  
Carrie's here to fight  
She went for an abortion in Mexico  
Carrie's here to fight  
Carrie's here to fight  
Carrie's here to hold the line  
We are here to fight

Marta had two children by twenty one  
Marta's here to fight  
The doctor performed l'operacion\*  
Marta's here to fight  
Marta's here to fight  
Marta's here to hold the line  
We are here to fight

Esther found a woman loving way  
Esther's here to fight  
The judge took both her sons away  
Esther's here to fight  
Esther's here to fight  
Esther's here to hold the line  
We are here to fight

\* at chorus  
l'operacion, "the operation," is a term from Puerto Rico, where a great percentage of women of childbearing age have been sterilized, under pressure such as being given consent forms to sign during labor.

I AIN'T IN NO WAY TIRED  
Traditional spiritual melody

call and response

I ain't in no way tired  
I've come to far from where I started  
from  
I've come to far from where I started  
from

Nobody told me the way would be easy  
Nobody told me the way would be easy

I know the spirit that's brought me this  
far won't leave me  
I know the spirit that's brought me  
this far won't leave me

Repeat with.... We ain't in no way tired

IF WE'RE GONNA BE FREE Jennifer Abod

Lift your voice and sing out strong  
I got myself and I'm gonna be free  
Lift your voice and sing along  
my body is my body it belongs to me  
My power and my strength and my destiny

Link your arms and make us strong  
I got myself and I'm gonna be free  
Link your arms and join along  
My body needs your body if we're gonna  
be free  
My body and your body share a destiny

Raise your fist high and proud  
I got myself and I'm gonna be free  
Raise your fist and shout out now  
Control of my body belongs to me  
Not church not state not the patriarchy

(CHANT AND REPEAT)  
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SHORT SINGING CHANTS

THE RIGHT TO REFUSE

Women have the right to live  
Women have the right to choose  
Women have the right to Bear a child  
And we have the right to refuse

IN MEMORY OF WOMEN WHO HAVE DIED

Listen Listen Listen to my hearts song  
(2X)  
I will never forget you  
I will never forsake you (2X)

## CHANTS:

### Pro-Choice Chants

1. The women united will never be defeated  
(alt. people)
2. Women are everywhere and we will be free
3. Women's lives are on the line  
Mind your womb, and I'll mind mine.  
  
(alt) Mind your sex life, I'll mind mine
4. Abortion rights throughout the land,  
safe legal and on demand
5. Back Alleys -- No more
6. Our bodies, Our lives,  
Our right to decide!
7. 1,2,3,4 open up the clinic door  
5,6,7,8 don't tell us to procreate
8. Racist, sexist, anti-gay  
Born again bigots, go away!
9. Keep your dolls and your beads;  
Women's strength is all we need!
10. Not the Church Not the State Women  
will decide our fate
11. They say No choice, we say PRO  
choice
12. You throw bombs and then you pray?  
Operation terror, go away!
13. Right to life, your name is a lie  
You don't care if women die!
14. Keep your dolls and your beads;  
Woman strength is what we need  
(alt) Women's power is all we need
15. Operation terror hear my voice  
You will never take away my choice
16. Operation Rescue, who're you kidding  
You throw bombs and threaten (bully,  
harrass, etc.women

## SONGS FROM SISTER MOVEMENTS

### Solidarity Forever

When the Movement's (union's)  
inspiration through the women's  
(workers) blood shall run  
There can be no power greater anywhere  
beneath the sun  
Yet what force on earth is weaker than  
the feeble strength of one?  
But the Movement (union) makes us  
strong.

#### Chorus:

Solidarity forever  
Solidarity forever  
Solidarity forever  
For the Movement makes us strong.

It is we who raised the children: kept  
the family's spirits bright,  
While our sisters died in childbirth and  
beneath the butcher's knife  
We have suffered longely agonies but now  
we can unite,  
For the Movement (union) makes us  
strong.

#### Chorus:

### Black National Anthem

Lift every voice and sing, till eary and  
heaven ring  
Ring with teh harmonies of liberty  
Let our rejoicing rise  
high as the listening skies  
let it resound loud as the rolling sea.  
Sing a song full of the faith that the  
dark past has taught us  
Sing a song full of the hope that the  
present as brought us.  
Facing the rising sun  
of our new day begun  
Let us march on till victory is won.

## OTHER VERSIONS OF OTHER SONGS

Melody: Give me that old tyme religion

Give me that old feminism SX  
If it's good enough for:  
(your favorite feminist)  
Shirley Chisholm  
Septima Clark  
Harriet Tubman  
Audre Lorde  
Adrienne Rich  
Kate Millet  
Barbara Smith  
YOURSELVES!

### eyes on the Prize

In 1950 Connecticut Attorney Katherine  
Orback began a case challenging a ban  
on contraception that lasted ten years.

With Roe V Wade in 73  
Thought we had a victory  
Keep your eyes on that prize hold on  
hold on hold on  
Keep your eyes on that prize  
(go down a seventh)  
hold on

We wanted abortion on demand  
Safe and legal throughout the land  
Keep your eyes on that prize hold  
on.  
hold on hold on  
Keep your eyes on that prize (go  
down a seventh)  
hold on

But there's more to this fight  
Gotta re-organize and fight  
Keep your eyes on that prize hold  
on.  
Keep your eyes on that prize hold  
on.  
hold on hold on  
Keep your eyes on that prize (go  
down a seventh)

### ROOM FOR MORE SONGS AND CHANTS

### LITTLE FETUSES

(words: Myke Johnson  
tune: "Little Boxes" by Malvina Reynolds)

Little fetuses on the posters  
Little fetuses without uteri  
Little fetuses on the posters  
Little fetuses all the same  
There's a white one, & a white one  
a white one & a white one  
And they're all white male fetuses  
And they all look just the same

And the people with the posters  
All carrying their rosaries  
All the people call us murderers  
And the posters do the same  
There's a loud one, & a quiet one  
And a nasty one and a rude one  
All the people shouting "murderers"  
And they all sound just the same

We are women in the clinics  
We are women in the avenue  
We are women, most with uteri  
And we don't all look the same  
Some want babies, some would rather die  
But we want to own our uteri  
We are women who want choices  
'Cause we know we're not the same



The women of this country  
They've had it up to here  
and we'll defend the clinics  
If it takes 100 years

Refrain:

Oh, we don't want no more of O. R. crap  
Gee, judge, I wanna be  
But you won't let me be  
Gee, judge, I wanna be FREE

They say that in this country  
We do things by the book  
If you believe this bullshit  
You're dumber than you look

Oh, Operation Rescue  
They are all anti-choice  
We'd mind a whole lot less if  
They'd get a decent voice

They say that here in Boston  
We're the home of liberty  
But those anti-women loonies  
Want to take my choice from me

~~Refrain~~  
Refrain

To the tune  
of "Army  
Life"

Clarence Thomas is a liar  
He said he didn't know  
He tells so many whoppers  
He's like Pinocchio

They say that in our bedrooms  
We're doing awful things  
But what could be more awful  
than listening to them sing

They tell us it is God's will  
That women have no choice  
But we asked God + she said  
That her church is pro-choice

Their ~~believed~~ prayers are really boring  
They make us quite irate  
If they had gone to school they'd  
The church is not the state.

They say they're here to rescue  
The fetus on the way  
But they don't give Adams when  
The baby's here to stay.



WOMEN SAY NO TO VIOLENCE MARCH -- -- MAY 15, 1990

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The women united will never be defeated.

El mujeres unida jamas sera vencida.

The people united will never be defeated.

El puebla unida jamas sera vencida.

Stop the violence. Stop the hate.

2-4-6-8 No more violence, no more hate.

End the silence. Stop the violence.

Silence equals death.

What do we want?	Stop the violence.	When do we want it?	Always.
What do we want?	Stop the abuse.	When do we want it?	Always.
What do we want?	Stop the raping.	When do we want it?	Always.
What do we want?	Stop the murdering.	When do we want it?	Always.
What do we want?	Stop the killing.	When do we want it?	Always.
What do we want?	Stop the incest.	When do we want it?	Always.
What do we want?	Stop the battering.	When do we want it?	Always.
What do we want?	Stop the sterilization abuse.	When do we want it?	Always.
What do we want?	Abortion rights.	When do we want it?	Always.
What do we want?	To be safe at home.	When do we want it?	Always.
What do we want?	To be safe in the streets.	When do we want it?	Always.
What do we want?	Stop the silence.	When do we want it?	Always.

Women unite. Take back the night.

Just say Roe.

Abortion rights throughout the land. Free legal, and on demand.

Operation Rescue, Ku Klu, Klan. Together you go hand in hand.

# ON THE LINE SONGSHEET

## WHOLE WORLD

We've got the whole world in our hands  
We've got the whole wide world in our hands  
We've got the whole world in our hands  
We've got the whole world in our hands.

We want the right to choose in our hands  
Without the state to refuse in our hands  
And we're not gonna lose in our hands  
We've got the whole world in our hands.

We want safe contraception in our hands  
And no eugenic selection in our hands  
No separate life at conception in our hands  
We've got the whole world in our hands.

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We've got the whole wide world in our hands  
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We'll join a young generation in our hands  
And women of every nation in our hands  
No forced sterilization in our hands  
We've got the whole world in our hands.

We've got Rosie's anger in our hands  
They'd better sense the danger in our hands  
Cause there'll be no coat hanger in our hands  
We've got the whole world in our hands.

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## WE SHALL NOT BE MOVED

We shall not we shall not be moved; we shall not we shall not be moved  
Just like a tree that's standing by the water, we shall not be moved.

We're fighting for the dignity of women 'cross the land  
In one big pro-choice struggle we'll link every helping hand  
Just like a tree that's standing by the water, we shall not be moved.

No no no nos moveran; no no no nos moveran  
Como un arbol firme junta al rio, no nos moveran.

We'll protest teen consent laws, cuts in health care for the poor  
Pregnant women jailed for crimes that Mr. Bush should be held for  
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## Take Back the Night 1989

### Harvard-Radcliffe Cambridge, Massachusetts

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- 1) Women Unite,  
Take Back the Night!  
People Unite,  
Take Back the Night!
- 2) However we dress,  
Wherever we go,  
Yes means yes,  
and No means NO!
- 3) Just say NO,  
The patriarchy has got to go!



- 4) Women united, will never be defeated!  
Mujeres, unidas, jamas seran vencidas!
- 5) What do we want?  
NO MORE RAPE!  
When do we want it?  
NOW!!!
- 6) Stand up and Fight,  
TAKE BACK THE NIGHT!!!
- 7) From Roxbury to Harvard Square,  
Rape is WRONG, *anywhere!*

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AMERIKKA

O Beautiful for big Blue eyes  
And hair of purest Gold  
For darling little Penises  
The Race we must uphold

America, america, god spray your Sperm on TI  
And crown thy good with Motherhood  
From sea to shining sea!



EVERY SPERM IS SACRED

Every Sperm is Sacred, every Sperm is Great  
If a Sperm gets wasted, god gets quite irate!  
(Repeat)  
Let the heathens spill theirs on the dusty ground,  
God shall make them pay for each Sperm that can't be found.

Every Sperm is wanted, every Sperm is good,  
Every Sperm is needed in your neighborhood.

Hindu Taoist Mormons spill theirs just anywhere  
But god loves those who treat their semen with more care.

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Every Sperm is useful, every Sperm is Fine  
God needs everybody's, Mine and Mine and Mine.

Let the pagans spill theirs on mountain, hill and plain  
God shall strike them down for each Sperm that's spilled in Vain.

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Are On the Move (tune of We shall not be moved)

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remember Leanne and Shannon  
arching for our freedom  
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sung and Old together  
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arching for our daughters  
nging for our freedom  
nidos en la Lucha  
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Every Sperm Is Sacred - Monty Python

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ery Sperm is Sacred, every sperm is great  
i sperm gets wasted, God gets quite i-rate.

ery sperm is wanted, every sperm is good,  
ery sperm is needed in your neighbourhood.

ery sperm is useful, every sperm is fine,  
d needs everybody's, Mine/Yours and Mine/Yours and Mine/Yours.  
epending on whether you have any..]

the pagans spill theirs on mountain, hill and plain,  
d shall strike them down for each sperm that's spilled in vain.

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Every Sperm is Sacred, every sperm is great  
If a sperm gets wasted, God gets quite i-rate.

We shall overcome

We shall overcome,  
We shall overcome,  
We shall overcome some day,  
Oh deep in my heart, I do believe,  
we shall overcome some day.

A woman's right to choose,  
A woman's right to choose,  
A woman's right to choose her fate,  
Oh deep in my heart, I do believe,  
A woman's right to choose her fate.

Abortion rights throughout the land,  
... always.

Separate the church and state,  
...

We Who Believe in Freedom - Sweet Honey in the Rock

We who believe in Freedom shall not rest  
We who believe in Freedom shall not rest  
until it comes

We who believe in Freedom shall not rest  
We who believe in Freedom shall not rest  
until it comes

(alt.)

Women who believe in Freedom  
Men who believe in women's freedom  
We who believe in choice  
we who believe in peace

Singing for our Lives - Holly Near

We are a gen-tle ang-ry people,  
and we are sing-ing, sing-ing for our lives,  
We are a gen-tle ang-ry people,  
and we are sing-ing, sing-ing for our lives.

Ain't gonna let nobody turn us around

Aint gonna let NOBODY turn us around  
Turn us around  
Turn us around  
Ain't gonna let nobody turn us around

Gonna keep on walk'n, keep on talk'n,  
marching on to freedom land.

(alt.)

Ain't gonna let (Terrorists, Woman haters, John Salvi,  
Paul Hill, Cardinal Law, Newt Gingrich, Clarence Thomas, Supreme Court...) turn us around

Give me that old time Feminism

Give me that old time feminism

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If it's good enough for Patricia Ireland

(alt. Shirley Chisholm, Septima Clark, Harriet Tubman, Audre Lorde,

Adrienne Rich, Kate Millet, Molly Yard, Susan Faludi, etc...)

it's good enough for me.

Keep on Walking Forward Pat Humphries

We're gonna keep on walking forward

Keep on walking forward

Keep on walking forward

Never turning back

Never turning back

We're gonna fight for choice together

fight for choice together

fight for choice together

Never turning back

Never turning back

We're gonna show our children courage

show our children courage

show our children courage

Never turning back

Never turning back

If We're Gonna Be Free Jennifer Abod

Lift your voice and sing out strong

I got myself and I'm gonna be free

Lift your voice and sing along

My body is my body it belongs to me

My power and my strength and my destiny.

Link your arms and make us strong

I got myself and I'm gonna be free

Link your arms and join along,

My body needs your body if we're gonna be free

My body and your body share a destiny

Raise your fist high and proud  
I got myself and I'm gonna be free  
Raise your fist and shout out now  
Control of my body belongs to me  
Not church not state not the patriarchy

(Chant and repeat)

Not church not state not the patriarchy

Not church not state not the patriarchy

Not church not state not the patriarchy

Control of my body belongs to me

Safe and Legal - To the tune of Frere Jacques

Safe and legal, Safe and legal

It's our right, it's our right,

With our banners waving

we'll continue saving

Women's lives, women's lives.

Pro Choice is Your Right (to tune of This Land is Your Land)

Pro Choice is your right

Pro choice is my right

From California to the New York Islands,

From the Redwood forest to the Gulf Stream waters,

Pro choice is right for you and me!

As I was walking that ribbon of highway,

I saw before me an endless skyway,

And all around me, a voice came calling -

'Pro Choice is right for you and me!'

Roe, Roe, Roe your Boat

Roe, Roe, Roe v. Wade

Gives us the right to choose,

Verily, verily, verily

Feminists just cannot lose.

We Shall Not Be Moved (1931)

We shall not, we shall not be moved

We shall not, we shall not be moved

Just like a tree that's planted by the w-a-a-ter,

we shall not be moved.

We'll keep the clinics open, we shall not be moved..

We won't stand for harrassment, we shall not be moved..

We'll stand up to terrorists, we shall not be moved..

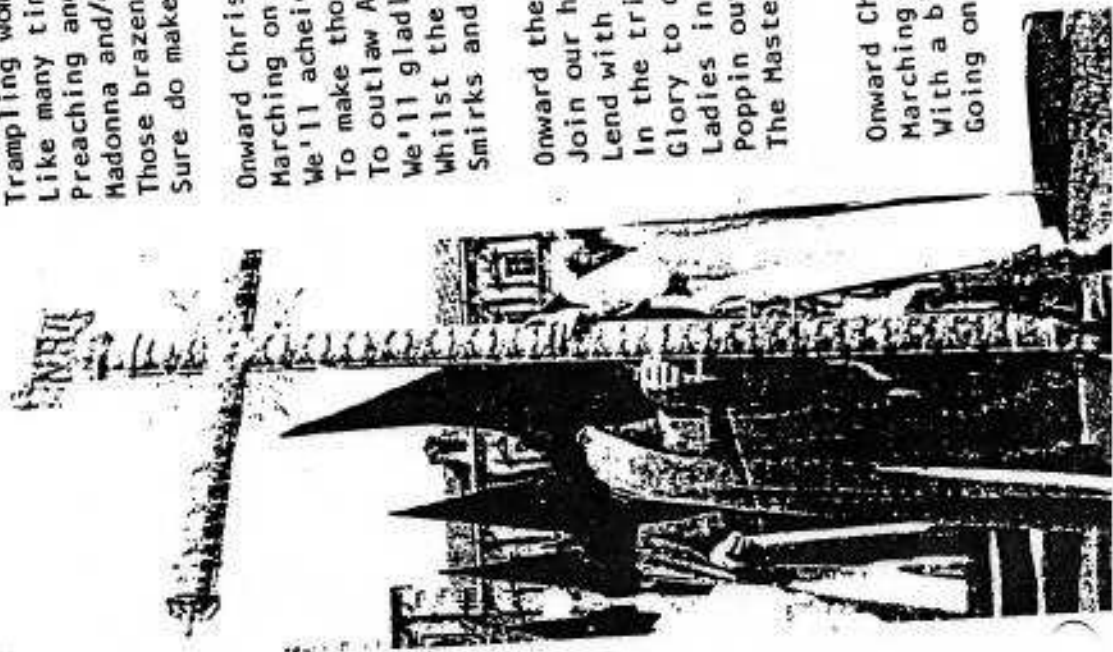
# ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS

Onward Christian Soldiers  
 Marching as to War  
 Trampling women's bodies  
 Like many times before  
 Preaching and guilt-tripping  
 Madonna and/or Whore  
 Those brazen gals enjoying st  
 Sure do make us Sore!

Onward Christian Soldiers  
 Marching on we pray that  
 We'll achieve our holy Goal  
 To make those hussies pay.  
 To outlaw Abortion  
 We'll gladly go to jail  
 Whilst the reverend Falwell  
 Smirks and pays our bail.

Onward then ye Nazi folk  
 Join our happy throng  
 Lend with us your voices  
 In the triumph song;  
 Glory to der Faderland  
 Ladies in their place  
 Poppin out those babies fc  
 The Master race.

Onward Christian Soldiers  
 Marching as to war  
 With a bloody coathanger  
 Going on before



## BABY MACHINE

(Sung to the tune: I'm Just a Love Machine)

1,2,3, I'm just a baby machine  
 And I don't work for nobody but You!  
 (Point at any male person, most specially  
 Your Husband)

I'm just a baby machine  
 And I don't work for nobody but You!  
 (Repeat til pregnant and barefoot)





Keep your Eyes on the Prize.

A better Quality of Life

Women's Fate is ours to Decide

It's our Bodies , It's our Lives

So listen up if you're Wise

Don't pay attention to those guys:

All they'll feed you is a pack of lies

Their dictums we must defy

Against them we must Rise

They don't care if women die

Hear the unwanted babies cry

Hear the abused children sigh

Why , oh , Why? Why , oh , Why?

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## A Rap

Chorus 1:  
Build the movement,  
Build the fight.  
Defend free choice  
And women's rights.

Chorus 2:  
Blessed by the church,  
Backed by the state,  
Operation Rescue  
On a fascist crusade.

Chorus 1 twice.

Defend women's rights  
All across the land.  
Confront OR.  
Take a militant stand.

Went down to a clinic  
Just the other day,  
The holy bullies  
Were in the way.

Chorus 2.

Chorus 1.

They say they're pro-life,  
But who they kiddin'?  
They're pro-war  
And anti-women.

Don't you know  
It's a woman's job  
To produce more soldiers  
For the Pentagon!

They support the Pentagon's  
War machine,  
And every bloody  
Imperialist scheme.

This Reaganite crew  
Of right-wing thugs  
Support the Contras  
And their profit from drugs.

Chorus 2.

## Women's Rights Special

(to the tune of Midnight Special)

Chorus:  
Stand up and fight for women's rights  
Build the movement, organize and fight  
Got to oppose Operation Rescue  
In the streets and clinics  
And campuses too.

In this country not long ago  
Workin' women - no rights to show  
They worked and died on sweatshop pay  
Now the 'Pro Life' movement  
Wants it back that way

Chorus

They say they're pro-life  
Well who they kiddin'  
They're just pro-war and anti-women  
They follow bankers and Coca-Cola  
Their view on women 's like the Kystollah

Chorus

Patco Reagan with a wink and nod  
Said bombin' clinics is close to god  
Now in the White House  
There's Bush and Quayle  
They wanna tie women to a mop and pail

Chorus

## Down With Operation Rescue

Chorus:  
Down with Operation Rescue  
Hit men for the wealthy few

"Right to Life" is a dirty lie  
They don't care if women die  
Just like the Nazis and the Klan  
They say woman must serve man.

(Chorus)

Women must work for the rich all day  
At 60% of a workin' man's pay.  
They say women must have more kids  
To fill the army of the rich.  
"Pro-life", who you kiddin'?  
They're pro-war and anti-women!

Chorus 1 twice.

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Chorus 2.

Chorus 1.

Women must work  
For the rich all day,  
With no day care,  
And half the pay.

After they work you  
To the bone,  
They say "Shut up!"  
"Your place is at home."

They're holy shock troops  
For the rich,  
More exploitation  
In their pitch.

Chorus 2.

Chorus 1 twice.

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Chorus

Bush cheers on the religious right  
So government can take back women's rights.  
The holy bullies get careful support  
From the police and the courts.

Chorus

Democrats say they'll stop Bush short.  
But they confirmed the Reagan court.  
It's time to organize mass action  
To fight 'gainst women's oppression.  
Now's the time to organize and fight:  
Build the movement for women's rights!

Chorus

Now's the time to organize and fight:  
Build the movement for women's rights!

RIGHT TO LIFE IS A LIE! THEY DONT CARE IF WOMEN DIE!  
NOT THE CHURCH, NOT THE STATE, WOMEN MUST DECIDE THEIR FATE!  
BACK ALLEYS, NO MORE! ABORTION RIGHTS FOR WORKERS AND POOR!  
TWO FOUR SIX EIGHT, WE DONT WANT YOUR RELIGIOUS STATE!  
SMASH OPERATION RESCUE, HOLY BULLIES OF THE RICH  
"PRO-LIFE", WHO THEY KIDDIN? THEY'RE PRO-WAR AND ANTI-WOMEN  
REPUBLICANS, DEMOCRATS! THEY CONFIRMED THE REAGAN COURT!  
DOWN WITH THE BIGOTS, DOWN WITH THE RIGHT!  
DEFEND WOMEN'S RIGHTS, STAND UP AND FIGHT!

RIGHT TO LIFE IS A LIE! THEY DONT CARE IF CHILDREN DIE!  
MONEY FOR DAY CARE, NOT FOR WAR! MAKE THE RICH PAY!  
60 PER CENT IS NOT ENOUGH! EQUAL PAY FOR EQUAL WORK!  
NO MORE CONCESSIONS! NO MORE CUTBACKS!  
NO MORE CONCESSIONS! WORKERS FIGHT BACK!  
WORKING WOMEN RISE UP! OUR PLACE IS IN THE STRUGGLE!

RIGHT TO LIFE IS A LIE! THEY DONT CARE IF WORKERS DIE!  
BUSH TALKS OF RIGHT TO LIFE,  
WHILE FUNDING DEATH SQUADS OF THE RIGHT!  
NO TO IMPERIALIST WAR! U.S. OUT OF EL SALVADOR!  
REPUBLICANS, DEMOCRATS! OUT OF CENTRAL AMERICA!

RIGHT TO LIFE IS A LIE! THEY DONT CARE IF BLACK PEOPLE DIE!  
BUSH, FALWELL, LOVERS OF APARTHEID!  
NO MORE GHETTOS! NO MORE SEGREGATION!  
DEATH TO APARTHEID, FROM D.C. TO JOHANNESBURG!

FIGHT BUSH'S ANTI-ABORTION  
CRUSADE.

DEFEND THE  
RIGHTS OF  
WORKING-CLASS  
WOMEN.

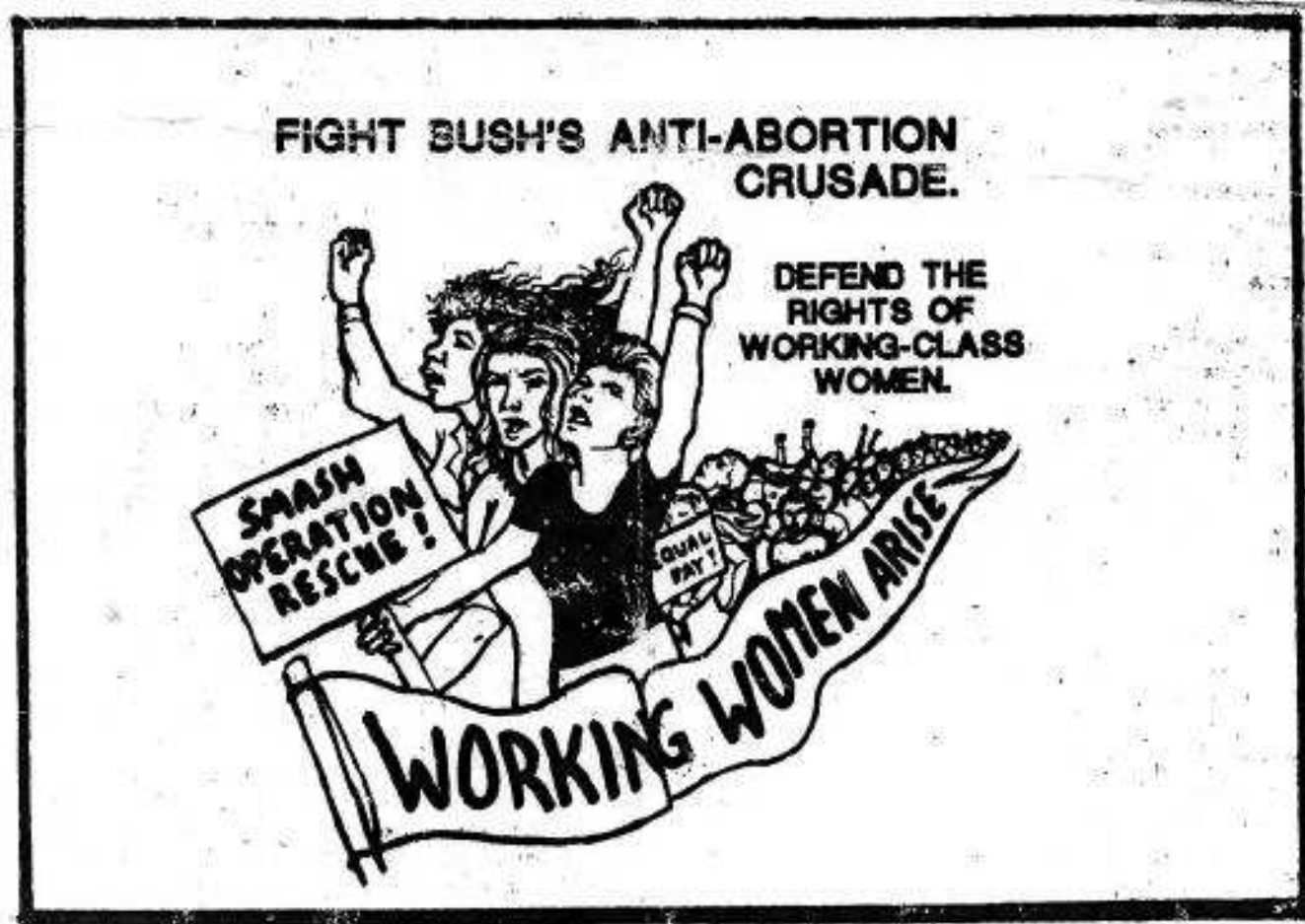




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SLOGANS AND SONGS OF THE BOSTON BRANCH, MARXIST-LENINIST PARTY, USA  
FOR THE APRIL 9TH, 1989, DEMONSTRATION FOR WOMEN'S RIGHTS  
PO BOX 8934, BOSTON, MA 02114

ROE V. WADE

TO THE TUNE OF "ROW, ROW, ROW YOUR BOAT"  
ROW, ROE, ROE V. WADE  
GIVES US THE RIGHT TO CHOOSE  
VERILY, VERILY, VERILY,  
PRO CHOICE JUST CANNOT LOOSE

STAND UP FOR CHOICE

TO THE TUNE OF "WHEN THE SAINTS"  
STAND UP FOR CHOICE,  
STAND UP FOR CHOICE,  
WE'RE STANDING UP FOR CHOICE TODAY  
OH YES, WE'RE GLAD TO BE OUT IN NUMBERS  
STANDING UP FOR CHOICE TODAY

PRO CHOICE IS YOUR RIGHT

TO THE TUNE OF "THIS LAND IS YOU LAND"  
PRO CHOICE IS YOUR RIGHT  
PRO CHOICE IS MY RIGHT  
FROM CALIFORNIA TO THE NEW YORK ISLANDS,  
FROM THE RED WOOD FOREST TO THE GULF STREAM WATERS,  
PRO CHOICE IS RIGHT FOR YOU AND ME!  
AS I WAS WALKING THAT RIBBON OF HIGHWAY,  
I SAW BEFORE ME AN ENDLESS SKYWAY  
AND ALL AROUND ME, A VOICE CAME CALLING -  
"PRO CHOICE IS RIGHT FOR YOU AND ME!"

RIGHT TO CHOOSE

TO THE TUNE OF "BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC"

WE'VE COME TODAY TO SPEAK UP FOR A WOMAN'S RIGHT TO CHOOSE

WE ARE SPEAKING UP FOR WOMEN WITH A SINGLE SOLID VOICE

WE REACH OUT FOR UNDERSTANDING OF A WOMAN'S RIGHT TO CHOOSE

PRO CHOICE IS MARCHING ON!!

"SOLIDARITY FOREVER"

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Abortion Rights (to the tune of Amazing Grace)

Abortion rights how sweet the sound  
The sound of liberty  
The Pro-choice voices shall resound  
In joyful harmony

We shall not let our rights be lost  
We shall not go away  
We shall fight on and pay the cost  
Pro-choice is here to stay

A woman's right to choose was gained  
By Roe in '73  
And we will ensure those rights remain  
Through the next century

The church cannot dictate the laws  
Nor yet control our lives  
Though politicians be cats'-paws  
We are not shrinking wives

Abortion rights throughout the land  
Safe, legal, on demand  
We'll not retreat from this our stand  
We are the Pro-choice band

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## PRO CHOICE CHANTS

Racist, sexist, anti gay  
Born again bigots, go away!

Abortion rights throughout the land,  
Safe, legal, and on demand!

Not the church, not the state  
Women will decide our fate!

Hey-Hey, ho-ho,  
Operation Rescue's got to go!

Ho-ho, hey-hey,  
You're not the only ones who pray!

Right to life, your name's a lie,  
You don't care if women die!

1,2,3,4, open up the clinic door,  
5,6,7,8, don't tell us to procreate!

Operation Rescue, who're you kidding?  
You throw bombs and bully women!!

Operation Rescue, you're a fraud  
You've no monopoly on God!!

Operation Rescue, hear our voice  
All of us are pro-choice!  
(Or All of Boston is pro-choice!)

Operation Rescue, hear my voice  
You'll never take away MY choice!

You throw bombs and then you pray?  
Righteous bigots, go away!

Women's lives are on the line,  
Mind your sex life, I'll mind mine!

Keep your dolls and your beads,  
Women's strength is all we need!

2,4,6,8  
Separate the church and state!

They say NO choice, we say Pro choice!  
Just say ROE!

Women, united, will never be defeated

God's love-HA! You're full of hate  
You just bully and intimidate!

Operation Rescue, one thing's clear  
Whenever you show up, we'll be there!

Operation Rescue out the door  
Abortion rights for the rich and poor!

Hey, Hey, Save the Day  
Roe v. Wade is here to stay!

Anti-choice, anti-dyke  
Born again bigots, take a hike!

## SONGS

(To the tune Frere Jacques)

Safe and legal, safe and legal  
It's our right, it's our right.  
With our banners waving  
We'll continue saving  
Women's lives, women's lives.

(To the tune Row, row your boat)

Roe, Roe, Roe v. Wade  
We will not be swayed.  
Women will decide their fate  
And when to procreate

We shall not be moved

verses:  
Marching for women's lives,  
We shall not be moved  
Mothers, sisters, daughters  
We shall not be moved  
Black and white together  
We shall not be moved  
Fighting for all women  
We shall not be moved  
Abortion, safe and legal  
WE shall not be moved.

# Hymn for Freedom

(Sung to the Battle Hymn of the Republic)

Mine eyes have seen the glory of The March For People's Lives  
 Keeping freedom in our choices is the right for which we strive  
 We will work for equal freedom everytime the needs arise

Pro-Choice is marching on!  
 Glory, Glory, halalujjal!  
 Glory, Glory, halalujjal!  
 Glory, Glory, halalujjal!  
 Pro-Choice keeps marching on!

## Singing For Our Lives

Words and Music by HOLLY NEAR

The musical score consists of three systems of music. Each system has a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are written below the vocal line. The first system includes the lyrics: 'We are just the an-gry pro And we are', 'We are just the seek-ing pro And we are', 'We are hand of man-y col And we are', 'We are gay and les-bian pro And we are'. The second system includes: 'sing-ing for our lives', 'sing-ing for our lives', 'sing-ing for our lives', 'sing-ing for our lives'. The third system includes: 'sing-ing for our lives', 'sing-ing for our lives', 'sing-ing for our lives', 'sing-ing for our lives'. The piano accompaniment includes chords like G10, A, J, D, and D.

### PRO-CHOICE PICKET CHANTS

1. Medicaid abortions  
a woman's right to choose;  
if we fight for access,  
we won't lose!
2. Our bodies, our lives  
Our right to decide!
3. Women's lives are on the line!  
Uphold Roe v. Wade!  
Women's lives are on the line  
Abortion rights, the choice is mine!
4. Keep your laws off my body!
5. Abortion rights throughout the land:  
safe, legal on demand!
6. Black white, rich or poor--  
back-alley abortions--NO MORE!
7. ... the church, not the state

11. Motherhood by choice!@!
12. ~~Your choice or no choice~~  
~~Defend our rights!~~
13. Every child a wanted child!
14. Basta! No mas Rosies!
15. No mas victimas!  
No more victimas!  
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No more victimas!
16. Back alley abortions are suicide  
We demand the right to decide!!!
17. Abortion rights are under attack:  
Women are saying, "FIGHT BACK!"
18. Back alley abortions? NEVER AGAIN !!!  
Victims like Rosie? NEVER AGAIN!!!!  
Unwanted children? NEVER AGAIN!!!!  
Forced sterilization? NEVER AGAIN!!!!

... vote and we say PRO CHOICE!

### PRO-CHOICE CHANTS

Racist, sexist, anti-gay

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Save, legal, and on demand!

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Operation Rescue, who're you kidding?  
You throw bombs and bully women!

Operation Rescue, you're a fraud  
You've no monopoly on God!

Operation Rescue, you will fail  
We'll have choice and you'll have jail!

Operation Rescue, hear our voice  
All of us are pro-choice!  
(or, All of Boston is pro-choice)

To the tune of  
Freze Jacques

Safe and legal, safe and legal,  
It's our right, it's our right;  
With our banners waving,  
We'll continue saving  
Women's lives, women's lives.

Just say, PNE!

Abortion rights throughout the land, - safe

Women, united, will never be defeated

God's love- Ha! You're full of hate-  
You just bully and intimidate

Operation Rescue, you're over-rated  
We won't be intimidated!

Operation Rescue, one thing's clear  
Whenever you show up, we'll be here!

Operation Rescue out the door  
Abortion rights for rich and poor!

Keep your dolls and your beads;  
Women's strength is all we need!

2,4,6,8 -  
Separate the church and state!

They say NO choice, we say PRO choice

Operation Rescue, hear my voice  
You'll never take away MY choice

You throw bombs and then you pray?  
Righteous bigots, go away!

Back always --NO MORE!

Women's lives are on the line;  
Mind your sex life, I'll mind mine!

To the tune of:  
Buckle Up

Keep it safe and legal,  
It's our right.  
Keep it safe and legal;  
We will win the fight.  
Save the IUD;  
Stop hypocrisy.  
Keep it safe and legal,  
For all women, it's our right.

MOVE ON OVER ("No")

1. Mine eyes have  
Of the flame of  
Kept smolderin  
Now burning is  
We'll no longer  
In that same c  
Now we are sai

CBORUS: Move on o  
Move on c  
Move on c  
For women!

# ITION -URE

on demand!

All Not So Moved")  
All women's lives.  
All women's lives,  
As fought for rig

Active rights  
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together,

daughters

if legal

women

"Woman")

on over you,  
on over you,  
on over you,



Pro-choice songs by PamAnne Mallory

The Pro-Choice Band ( to the tune of Union Maid)

We are the Pro-choice band  
We proudly take our stand  
We'll always fight  
For what is right  
'Til politicians see the light  
We always will frustrate  
Pro-lifers' lies and hate  
Though they may pray  
We guard the way  
And this is what we say,

Abortion on demand  
Freely throughout the land  
A woman's right  
To choose her life  
Will always be our guiding light.  
The legal right to choose  
That she won't be abused  
By church or state  
Or legal hate  
It's time to advocate

CHORUS:

Oh, you can't scare us for we are Pro-choice  
Yes, we are Pro-choice  
Oh, we are Pro-choice  
No, you can't stop us for we are Pro-choice  
Yes, we are Pro-choice to the day we die.

The pro-life name's a lie  
They'd rather women die  
Than let them live  
If not passive  
And under some man's fingertip  
O.R. please say again.  
Why are your leaders men?  
How can you think  
That we'll just shrink  
And head back to our kitchen sink

Oh, politicians do  
Listen and get a clue  
For women's rights  
Are dynamite  
To explode patriarchy's night  
We must not hesitate  
to manage our own fate  
Our mothers' gain  
Our sisters' pain  
Our rights we will maintain

Their prayers will not be met  
OR can just forget  
To kneel and pray  
Just slink away  
Your cause was lost in yesterday

Our strength will demonstrate  
The people's own mandate  
The politicians'  
Strong ambitions  
Will force them to take our position

Abortion rights are here  
Our victory is clear  
A woman's plight  
A young girl's fright  
Will never be denied

We all must dedicate  
Our lives to educate  
The bigots who  
Don't have a clue  
About the rights of this issue

CHORUS:(sing twice)

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We Shall Overcome (Pro-Choice verses)

Abortion Rights always  
Abortion rights always  
Abortion rights are here to stay

Oh deep in my heart, I do believe  
Abortion rights are here to stay

A woman's right to choose  
A woman's right to choose  
A woman's right to choose her fate  
Oh deep in my heart, I do believe  
A woman's right to choose her fate

We defend the clinics  
We defend the clinics  
We defend the clinics today  
Oh deep in my heart, I do believe  
We defend the clinics today

Operation Failure  
Operation Failure  
Operation Failure today  
Oh deep in my heart, I do believe  
Operation Failure always

Pro-choice throughout the land  
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Oh deep in my heart, I do believe  
Pro-choice throughout the land a...

Separate church and state  
Separate church and state  
Separate church and state always  
Oh deep in my heart, I do believe  
Separate the church and state

The clinics are all open  
The clinics are all open  
The clinics are all open today  
Oh deep in my heart, I do believe  
The clinics will be open always

Their cause has been defeated  
Their cause has been defeated  
Their cause has been defeated today  
Oh deep in my heart, I do believe  
Their cause has been defeated always

Abortion Rights (to the tune of Amazing Grace)

Abortion rights how sweet the sound  
The sound of liberty  
The Pro-choice voices shall resound  
In joyful harmony

A woman's right to choose was gained  
By Roe in '73  
And we will ensure those rights remain  
Through the next century

Abortion rights throughout the land  
Safe, legal, on demand  
We'll not retreat from this our stand  
We are the Pro-choice band

We shall not let our rights be lost  
We shall not go away  
We shall fight on and pay the cost  
Pro-choice is here to stay

The church cannot dictate the laws  
Nor yet control our lives  
Though politicians be cats'-paws  
We are not shrinking wives

Abortion rights how sweet the sound  
The sound of liberty  
The Pro-choice voices shall resound  
In joyful harmony

I HAD A HAMMER  
--Pete Seeger, Lee Hays

MOVE ON OVER (to the tune of  
The Battle Hymn of the Republic)

If I had a hammer, I'd hammer in the morning  
I'd hammer in the evening, all over this land  
I hammer out danger, I'd hammer out warning  
I'd hammer out love between my brothers and  
my sisters  
All over this land

If I had a bell, I'd ring it in the morning...

If I had a song, I'd sing it in the morning...

Now I have a hammer, and I have a bell.  
And I have a song to sing all over this land  
It's the hammer of justice, it's the bell  
of freedom  
It's the song about love between my brothers  
and my sisters  
All over this land

Chorus:

Move on over or we'll move on over you  
Move on over or we'll move on over you  
Move on over or we'll move on over you  
For women's time has come

It's we who've done your cooking  
Done your cleaning, kept you rules  
We gave birth to all your children  
And we've taught them in your schools  
We've kept the system running  
But we're laying down our tools  
And we are marching on

(chorus)

It is we who raise the children  
Kept the family spirits bright  
While our sisters died in childbirth  
And beneath the butcher's knife  
We have suffered lonely agonies  
But now we can unite  
For women's time has come.

(chorus)

We have come a mighty distance  
But there's many miles to see,  
And our struggle will continue  
Until women all are free,  
Till we put an end to suffering  
And can be all we can be  
Now we are marching on!

BELLA CIAO

We are women, we are marching,  
Bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao, ciao, ciao  
We are women, we are marching  
To defend our right to live!

We are marching for safe abortion  
Bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao, ciao, ciao  
We need safe and free abortion  
To defend our right to live!

No more forced sterilization,  
End it now, end it now, end it now, now, now  
We need freedom to make choices  
To defend our right to live!

We are fighting for our children,  
Bella ciao, bella ciao, bella ciao, ciao, ciao  
We are fighting for the future  
To defend our right to live!

*Suggestions for  
songs + chants  
welcomed!  
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PRO-CHOICE SONG SHEET



WE SHALL NOT BE MOVED (1931)

We shall not, we shall not be moved  
We shall not, we shall not be moved  
Just like a tree that's planted by the water  
We shall not be moved

We'll keep the clinics open...

We won't stand for harassment...

Go home, Operation Bully...

Oh People, Don't Ya Weep

Chorus:  
Oh, people, don't ya weep, don't ya mourn  
Oh, people, don't ya weep, don't ya mourn,  
The pro-choice movement is growing,  
Oh, people, don't ya weep.

Don't let Operation Bully get you down  
We're gonna chase them out of town  
The pro-choice movement is growing  
Oh, people don't ya weep

Chorus

The Supreme Court will have its say  
But we know that we'll win the day  
The pro-choice movement is growing  
Oh, people, don't ya weep.

State House, White House, We'll be there  
We'll keep abortion legal everywhere  
The pro-choice movement is growing  
Oh, people, don't ya weep.

We Who Believe in Freedom

We who believe in freedom  
We who believe in freedom shall not rest  
We who believe in freedom shall not rest until it comes

**CHANTS**

They say no choice, we say pro-choice. Rich women always have the right to choose,  
Operation Bully can't get in our way. It's the poor and minorities who always lose  
Freedom of choice is here to stay. Get up, stand up  
Stand up for your rights  
Clap your hands, raise your voice  
Get up, stand up  
Boston is (clap, clap) pro-choice. Don't give up the fight.

Ain't Gonna Let Nobody Turn Me 'Round

Ain't gonna let nobody, Lord,  
Turn me round, turn me round, turn me round  
Ain't gonna let nobody, Lord  
Turn me round  
I'm gonna keep on a-walkin'  
Keep on a-talkin'  
Marchin' up to freedom land  
Ain't gonna let Operation Bully...  
Ain't gonna let Randall Terry...  
Ain't gonna let the Supreme Court...  
Ain't gonna let George Bush...

Sing, Oh People

Sing, oh people  
We sing, oh people  
We sing for choice, we sing.

Walk, oh people  
We walk, oh people  
We walk for our lives, we walk.

Cry, oh people  
We cry, oh people  
We cry for freedom, we cry.

GOOD FOR THE WORLD

Good for the world for turning out (3x)  
When we turn out it's good for the world.  
(-coming out, -marching out, -singing out,  
-shouting out).

(over)



Tune: Men of Harlech

What's the use of wearing braces  
Hats and spats and shoes with laces  
Vests and coats you buy in places  
Down on Brompton Road?

What's the use of shirts of cotton  
Studs that always get forgotten  
Such affairs are simply rotten  
Better far is woad

Woad's the stuff to show men  
Woad to scare your foemen  
Boil it to a brilliant blue  
And rub it on your legs and your abdomen

Ancient Britons never hit on  
Anything as good as woad to fit on  
Necks and knees and where you sit on  
Tailors you be blowed

Romans came across the channel  
All dressed up in tin and flannel  
Half a pint of woad per man'll  
Clothe us more than these

Saxons ye may save your stiches  
Building beds for bugs in britches  
We have woad to clothe us which is  
Not a nest for fleas

Romans save your armor  
Saxons your pajamas  
Hairy coats were made for goats  
Corillas yaks retriever dogs and llamas

So march on Snowdon with your woad on  
Never mind if you get rained or snowed on  
Never need a button sewed on  
Woad for us today.

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A gypsy rover came over the hill  
Down to the valley o' shady  
He whistled and he sang  
'Till the green woods rang  
And he won the heart of a lady.

CHORUS Ah dee do Ah dee do rah day  
Ah dee do Ah dee daldy  
Ye whistled and he sang 'till the greenwood rang  
And he won the heart of a lady

She left her father at his castle gate  
She left her own fond lover  
She left her servants and her estate  
To follow the gypsy rover

CHORUS

Her father saddled his fastest steed  
And roamed the valleys all over  
He sought his daughter at great speed  
And the whistling gypsy rover

CHORUS

He came at last to a castle fine  
Down by the banks of the Grady  
And there was music and there was wine  
For the gypsy and his lady

CHORUS

Oh ye gypsy my father she said  
The lands of these lands all over  
You were all stay to my dying day  
With my whistling gypsy rover

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SOMEWHERE OUT THERE

Somewhere out there beneath the pale moonlight  
Someone's thinkin' of me and loving me tonight  
Somewhere out there someone's saying a prayer  
That we'll find one another in that big somewhere out there.

And even though I know how very far apart we are  
It helps to think we might be wishin' on the same bright star  
And when the nightwind starts to sing a lonesome lullabye,  
It helps to think we're sleepin' underneath the same big sky!

Somewhere out there if love can see us through, then we'll be  
together, somewhere out there, out where dreams come true.

(Repeat from "And even though I know..." to the song's end.)

300 Miles

If you miss the train I'm on, you will know that I am gone;  
You can hear the whistle blow 500 miles  
500 miles, 500 miles, 500 miles, 500 miles,  
You can hear the whistle blow 500 miles.

Lord I'm one, lord I'm two , Lord I'm three, Lord I'm four  
Lord I'm 500 miles from my home  
500 miles 500 miles 500 miles 500 miles  
Lord I'm 500 miles from my home.

(Repeat "If you miss the train I'm on" verse only.)

BY THE LIGHT OF THE SILVERY MOON

By the light of the silvery moon  
I want to spoon, to my honey I'll croon love's tune,  
Honeymoon, keep a shining in June,  
Your silvr'y beams will bring love dreams  
We'll be cuddling soon, by the silvery moon.

ALL THROUGH THE NIGHT

Sleep my child and peace attend thee,  
All throught the nighth.  
Guardian angels God will lend thee,  
All through the ngith.  
Soft and drowsy hours are creeping,  
Hill and vale in slumber sleeping;  
I my loving vigil keeping  
All through the night.

2)  
While the moon her watch  
is keeping,  
All through the night  
While the weary world  
is sleeping  
All through the night  
O'er thy spirit gently stealing  
Visions of delight revealing  
Breathes a pure and holy feeling,  
All through the night.

TWELVE DAYS OF SOLSTICE

--Jerry Jacks

On the first day of Solstice, my Priestess gave to me  
A Sun God all crowned with holly.

On the second day of Solstice, my Priestess gave to me  
Two magic rings  
And a Sun God all crowned with holly.

Three love charms...

Four chanting priests...

Five casks of wine...

Six bottled genies...

Seven scheming wizards...

Eight red grinoires...

Nine sorceled potions...

Ten captive demons...

Eleven ancient witches...

Twelve catered orgies...

And a Sun God all crowned with holly.

## SKYE BOAT SONG

Speed, bonny boat, like a bird on the wing.  
"Onward!" the sailors cry.  
Carry the lad that's born to be King  
Over the sea to Skye.

1. Loud the wind howls, loud the waves roar,  
Thunderclouds rend the air.  
Baffled, our foes stand on the shore.  
Follow, they will not dare.
2. Though the waves leap, soft shall ye sleep.  
The ocean's a royal bed.  
Rocked on the deep, Flora will keep  
Watch by thy weary head.
3. Many's the lad fought on that day,  
Well the claymore could wield.  
Ere came the night, silently lay  
Dead on Culloden's field.
4. Burned out our homes, exile and death,  
Scattered the loyal men.  
Yet, ere the sword's cool in its sheathe,  
Charlie will come again.



SCARBOROUGH FAIR/CANTICLE

Are you going to Scarborough Fair?  
Parsley, sage, rosemary, and Thyme.  
Remember me to one who lives there.  
She once was a true love of mine.

Tell her to make me a cambric shirt.

Parsley, sage, rosemary, and thyme. *On the side of a hill in the deep forest gre*  
Without no seam nor needlework. *Tracing of sparrow on snowcrested brown.*  
Then she'll be a true love of mine. *Blankets and bedclothes, the child of the mountain.*  
*Sleeps unaware of the clarion call.*

Tell her to find me an acre of land.

Parsley, sage, rosemary, and thyme. *On the side of a hill, a sprinkling of leave*  
Between the salt water and the sea strand. *Washes the grave with silvery tears.*  
Then she'll be a true love of mine. *A soldier cleans and polishes a gun.*

Tell her to reap it with a sickle of leather.

Parsley, sage, rosemary, and thyme. *War bellows blazing in scarlet battalions.*  
And gather it all in a bunch of heather. *Generals order their soldiers to kill.*  
Then she'll be attrue love of mine. *And to fight for a cause they've long ago forgotten.*

## Songs

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To the tune of "I am Woman"

I am pro-choice, hear me roar  
In numbers too big to ignore  
And I know too much to go back and pretend  
Cuz I've seen it all before  
And I've been down there on the floor  
And you're never gonna keep me there again.

chorus:

Yes I am wise but its wisdom born of pain  
Yes I've paid the price, and look how much I've  
gained.  
If I have to I can do anything  
I am strong (strong) I am invincible (invincible)!  
I am pro-choice

You can bend but never break me  
Cuz it only serves to make me  
More determined to achieve my final goal  
And I'll come back even stronger  
Not a novice any longer  
Cuz you've deepened the convictions in my soul.

chorus

To the tune "Frere Jacques"

Safe and legal, safe and legal  
Its our right, its our right  
With our banners waving  
We'll continue saving  
Women's lives, women's lives

We Shall Not Be Moved

Marching for women's lives,  
We shall not be moved  
Mothers, sisters, daughters,  
We shall not be moved  
Black and white together,  
We shall not be moved  
Fighting for all women,  
We shall not be moved  
Abortion, safe and legal,  
We shall not be moved

## Chants

Abortion rights throughout the land,  
Safe legal and on demand!

Not the church, not the state  
Women will decide our fate!

Hey-hey, ho-ho  
Operation Rescue's got to go!

Gay, straight, black, white  
One struggle, one fight

Abortion rights are under attack  
What do we do?  
Act up, fight back

1, 2, 3, 4 open up the clinic door  
5, 6, 7, 8 don't tell us to procreate  
3, 5, 7, 9 this body is mine

Operation Rescue, hear our voice  
You'll never take away my choice!

Women's lives are on the line,

Mind your sex life, I'll mind mine!

2, 4, 6, 8  
Separate the church and state

They say NO choice,  
We say PRO choice

Women, united, will never be defeated

Our bodies, our lives,  
Our right to decide

Operation Rescue you're over-rated  
We won't be intimidated!

Operation Rescue, one thing's clear  
Whenever you show up, we'll be here!

Racist, sexist, anti-gay  
Born again bigots, go away!

Abortion rights throughout the land,  
Safe, legal and on demand!

Not the church, not the state  
Women will decide our fate!

Hey-hey, ho-ho,  
Operation Rescue's got to go!

Right to life, your name's a lie  
You don't care if women die!

Gay, straight, black, white  
One struggle, one fight

Abortion Rights Are under attack  
What do we do?  
Act up, fight back

1,2,3,4 open up the clinic  
5,6,7,8, don't tell us to procreate  
3,5,7,9 this body is mine

Operation Rescue, who're you kidding?  
You throw bombs and bully women!

Operation Rescue, hear our voice  
You'll never take away my choice

You throw bombs and then you pray?  
Righteous bigots, go away

Women's lives are on the line;  
Mind you sex life, I'll mind mine!

2,4,6,8 Separate the church and state

They say NO choice, we say PRO choice

Women, united, will never be defeated

Operation Rescue, you're over-rated  
We won't be intimidated!

Our bodies, our lives, our right to decide!

Operation Rescue, one thing's clear  
Whenever you show up, we'll be here

## SONGS

(tune: Frere Jacques)

Safe and legal, safe and legal,  
It's our right, it's our right.  
With our banners waving,  
We'll continue saving  
Women's lives, women's lives

(tune: row, row your boat)

Roe, Roe, Roe v. Wade  
We will not be stayed  
Women will decide their fact  
And when to procreate

We shall not be moved  
Verses:

Marching for women's lives,  
    We shall not be moved  
Mothers, sisters, daughters,  
    We shall not be moved  
Black and white together  
    We shall not be moved  
Fighting for all women  
    We shall not be moved  
Abortion, safe and legal  
    We shall not be moved

**Abortion rights throughout the land,  
safe, equal and on demand!**

**2,4,6,8  
Separate the church and state  
3,5,7,9,  
This body is mine!!**

**Not the church, not the state  
Women will decide their fate!**

**You throw bombs then you pray  
Operation Rescue go away!  
First you murder then you pray,  
Operation Rescue go away!**

**Hey-Hey, ho-ho  
O.R. has got to go!**

**Women united will never be  
defeated!**

**Abortion rights are under attack  
What do we do?  
Act up, fight back!**

**Our bodies, Our lives,  
Our right to decide**

**1,2,3,4 Open up the clinic door  
5,6,7,8 don't tell us to procreate**

**Operation Rescue, one thing's clear  
When you show up, we'll be here!**

**Operation Rescue, hear our voice  
You'll never take away our choice!**

**Operation Rescue you're overated  
We won't be intimidated!**

**Women's lives are on the line,  
Mind your sex life, I'll mind mine!**

**Pro-life, your name's a lie,  
You don't care if women die!**

**They say NO choice,  
We say PRO choice**



## GIVE ME THAT OLDE TYME RELIGION

Chorus: (to be repeated after every verse.)

Give me that old time religion,  
Give me that old time religion,  
Give me that old time religion,  
It's good enough for me!

We will have a mighty orgy  
In honor of Astarte.  
It'll be one hell of a party!  
And it's good enough for me!

We will all see Aphrodite  
She'll be out there in her nighty.  
Well, she's kind of wild and  
flighty  
And she's good enough for me!

It was good enough for Loki,  
It was good enough for Loki,  
He think's Thor's kind of Kokey,  
But he's good enough for me!

We will all be saved by Mithra,  
We will all be saved by Mithra,  
S'y the bull and play the Zithra,  
at resurrection day!

We will all bow down to Entil,  
We will all bow down to Entil,  
Pass the cup and get a refill,  
With Gilgamesh the brave!

We will sacrifice to Yuggoth,  
We will sacrifice to Yuggoth,  
Burn a village for Yug-Suttoth,  
And Cthulhu and company!

We'll all go to Nirvana,  
We'll all go to Nirvana,  
Make a left turn at Urbana,  
And see the promised land!

There will be a lot of lovin'  
When we're meeting in our coven,  
Quit your pushing and your shovin'  
So there's room enough for me.

Though a Priestess down in Dixie  
Lady Deirdre's still a pixie;  
She'll be one until she's sixty  
He's good enough for me.

From a height that is humongous  
Our Lord Modred is among us;  
He's as Moldy as a fungus,  
But he's good enough for me.

Let me give to you this warning  
Morgen with an 'E' spells 'morning.'  
There's a lovely day a'borning,  
And she's good enough for me.

Well this verse needs no excuse  
With Sylvanus on the loose;  
Have a gander at that goose,  
He is good enough for me.

Well that new name sounds like chimes,  
Heather's moving with the times;  
Ariadne had no rhymes,  
And that's good enough for me.

Well you need not mock and scoff,  
Solomon will cure your cough-  
But his toes keep falling off,  
But he's good enough for me!

Cabalistic situation?  
Joshua will give translation:  
In a Croucho imitation,  
But that's good enough for me.

Dagda's doing rather well  
Since he moved in with Dowdell.  
What's their secret? (We won't tell.)  
They are good enough for me.

Though he lives too far to see us  
We've heard from Appolonius  
And his foot in mouth dis-ease,  
But he's good enough for me.

Lady Theos is our leader.  
In the Craft there's no one sweeter.  
You'll fall for her when you meet her.  
That Sag. is good enough for me.

Lady Gillis is a beauty,  
With her looks you'd be quite snooty..  
But she's really a sweet petudy.  
And that's good enough for me.

Lord Lucas is so lefty,  
Steeley glance and nerves held tautly,  
But he's really an old softy  
And he's good enough for me.

Lord Phoenix is a flier,  
When he lights the Beltans fire,  
He will rise to soar much higher,  
And he's good enough for me!

Additional verses for (a fine old favorite!)  
THAT OLD TIME RELIGION

Rick DeFarr

Now, you just might be a Parsee  
Now, you just might be a parsee  
Walk on fire and you get in free  
That's too dangerous for me.

We will read from the Kabala  
We will read from the Kabala  
It won't get us in Valhala  
But it's good enough for me.

I hear Valkyries a-comin'  
In the air their song is drummin'  
They forgot the words, they're hummin'  
But it's good enough for me.

There are some who practice voodoo  
There are some who practice Voodoo  
I know I do--I hope you do  
And are good enough for me.

Now, still others go for Shinto  
Now, still others go for Shinto  
There's no tellin' what were into  
But it's good enough for me.

Just like Carlos Casteneda  
Just like Carlos Casteneda  
It'll gitcha sooner or later  
And that's soon enough for me.

Azathoth is in his chaos  
Azathoth is in his chaos.  
If he only doesn't slay us  
Then that's good enough for me.

We will venerate Bubastis,  
We will venerate Bubastis  
If you like cats then just ask us  
"Cause that's good enough for me.

Who's the avatar of Vishnu?  
Who's the avatar of Vishnu?  
He'll write Nemesis next issue  
Plenty good enough for me.

As for those who read of Conan  
As for those who read of Conan  
Most are followers of Onan  
That's not good enough for me.

And, as a Special Added Bonus...

Where's the gong, Yang, I can't find it  
I think North Woods is behind it  
They were always cymbal-minded  
This last verse I throw in free.