

Adar Is Here

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Hooray, Hooray Adar is here
For young and old a time to cheer!

We get to be happy
No time to be sad:
Mordechai good/
Haman Bad.

That's the way the story goes--
If you are Jewish you need to stay on your
toes.

Do what is right.
Always stand tall
Do not let bullies make you feel small.

Help out your neighbors.
It's nice to be good.
Give to the poor --
Make sure they have food

Come tell the story,
How Esther saved the day,

Outwitted Haman
When he made his play
To attack all the Jews--
It did not turn out as planned!

We banded together
And made a strong stand.

Thanks to the queen,
Who spoke up and spoke out.

She Did not sit in the corner,

Did not whine nor pout.

She told King Achashverosh,
"I am proud to be a Jew!"
And her husband was puzzled:
"Estie, why--I never knew!
But now that you tell me,
Of course you have my help!"

And oy vey, in that moment
Did Old Haman yelp!

But Haman's headache
Would soon go away

And we all celebrate it
To this very day.

Be Happy, its Adar!
Purim is coming it is true,

With joy fun and hamentashen
For me and for you,

With noisy noisemakers
Costumes galore.

Lets all have fun--
It will not be a bore!

Happy Adar
To you dear friends.

Hooray for our people's story
It's one that never ends.