# PHOTOCOPIABLE LYRICS

# Track 3: Will's Wonderful Words

All: Will's wonderful words really have to be heard

Make a very cool language When you understand it

You'll be a fan, he's the man - William

Minstrels: Yo!

Minstrel 1: We'll tell you 'bout the man, we call him Will-e-am

**Minstrel 2:** He wrote the greatest plays and poems in Ing-ger-land!

Minstrel 3: He was a serious, literate genius

**Minstrel 4:** Gave innovation, inspiration to all of us!

All: William Shakespeare, bard of Warwickshire

Had a big showbiz career

William Shakespeare gets you right here

Make you smile or shed a tear

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You'll be a fan, he's the man – William

Minstrels: Yeah!

**Minstrel 1:** Born by the Avon, performed in London

Minstrel 2: Knew Queen Elizabeth and King James the First

Minstrel 3: He was a fly guy, his style will never die
Minstrel 4: His stories will be told and retold in verse

**All:** William Shakespeare, bard of Warwickshire

Was amazing when he appeared

William Shakespeare gets you right here

**All:** Though we're not quite sure of the beard!

**All:** Will's wonderful words really have to be heard

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You'll be a fan, he's the man – William

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You'll be a fan, he's the man - William

All: W-I-L-L, Will Shakespeare

W-I-L-L, Will Shakespeare

Shake his hand, he's the man - William

W-I-L-L, Will Shakespeare W-I-L-L, Will Shakespeare

Shake his hand, he's the man – William

William!

Minstrels: Word!

# Track 7: No Girls Allowed

Nic: (Spoken) This one's for all the brothers,

Training to be sisters Kick it! Uh, uh, yeh!

**Burbage:** All the boys go ho!

All: Ho!

Nic: Like a lady go oo-oo!

**All:** Oo-oo!

Hot wax your legs, ow! Stick out your chest, huh!

Put on a dress, even though you're a guy

Adjust your hair, check it's all there

No-one would guess, you're a man in disguise

Give it all, you have got It's a job that can pay a lot

On the stage across the land

Every woman is a man

There are no girls allowed, no girls allowed

It's a crazy lady ban

Though we'll never understand

There are no girls allowed, no girls allow-owed

**Burbage:** So all the boys go ho!

All: Ho!

Nic: Like a lady go oo-oo!

**All:** Oo-oo!

Cash in your hand, it's just an act

That's where you stand, show your feminine side

Real ladies love, someone in touch

And man enough, to play a girl with pride

Give them what, they all want

Grow your locks and you can't go wrong

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**Burbage:** So all the boys go ho!

All: Ho!

Nic: Like a lady go oo-oo!

**All:** Oo-oo!

## **Burbage and**

**Nic:** Everybody say yeh yeh!

All: Yeh! Yeh!

When your drama needs a dame

You know brother, it's a shame there are

No girls allowed, that's right!

No girls allowed, no girls allowed

It's a crazy lady ban

Though we'll never understand

There are no girls allowed, no girls allow-owed

So fellas be proud

'Cause there are no girls allowed.

#### Track 10:

### **Show In The Globe**

All:

Dig it! Ha! Hoo-ha! Hit it! Ha! Hoo-ha! Work it! Ha! Hoo-ha! Build it up!

By the Thames in London's heart
People gathering from worlds apart
Making friends, taking part
Feeling all the glamour, meeting the stars

Flooding in from every side Don't you let the rising tide over your head Get on up and shake a leg

We're gonna lay these wooden beams
We're gonna make this a theatre of dreams
We'll give it soul and rock 'n' roll
We're gonna get this show in the Globe

Ha! Hoo-ha! Build it up!
See the queues behind the door
Can't we make a little room for more?
In the roof, the pit or floor
Everybody welcome, rich or poor

Theatre that's affordable

Just a penny for the Lord Chamberlain's men

Keep 'em coming back again

We're gonna lay these wooden beams
We're gonna make this a theatre of dreams
We'll give it soul and rock 'n' roll
We're gonna get this show in the Globe
Ha! Hoo-ha! Build it up!

Will's wonderful words
Have a place to be heard
Somewhere grand for the man

William! Woah!

He's the man! Woah! Shake a leg!

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# Group 1:

Show in the Globe Show in the Globe Show in the Globe

#### Group 2:

Dig it! Ha! Hoo-ha! Hit it! Ha! Hoo-ha! Work it! Ha! Hoo-ha! Build it up!

All: Show in the Globe!

Ha! Hoo-ha! Whew!

#### Track 15:

### **Don't Mention Mac**

AII:

Shh!

There's a name you mustn't name And if you do you'll get the blame When things happen to go bad So if you please, don't mention Mac

Better you know right away
Than ruin our entire day
Could you show a little tact
And notice we don't mention Mac

Is this premonition, merely superstition?

Don't tempt fate, on this stage

One must say "The Scottish play" and

Leave it there, if you care
Don't discuss it anywhere
Keep that word under your hat and
Make sure you don't mention Mac

Woo! Woo!

Biddily-boddily biddily-boddily Be bop bop

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Leave it there, if you care
Don't discuss it anywhere
Keep that word under your hat
And make sure you don't mention Mac

Mac, Mac, mention Mac
No, no, no don't mention Mac
If you do just watch your back
Listen, dears - a little chat
While you're here don't mention Mac!

#### Track 18: **Romeos And Juliets**

Juliet: In a dream far from the fight

We both belong, as one tonight

We can see from either side

Their world is wrong, our love is right

Montagues and Capulets

Like me and you are everywhere

Both: There will be Romeos, and Juliets

In love against the flow, forever yet

Love they won't be denied, and they will fight

To keep alive, for all time

Romeo: Hate forbade us to be near

Yet still the stars have brought us here

Miles away across the years

So many hearts will face the fear

Montagues and Capulets like me and you are

All: Everywhere, ah, ah, ah

> There will be Romeos, and Juliets In love against the flow, forever yet

Love they won't be denied, and they will fight

To keep alive, for all time

There will be Romeos and Juliets

And Heaven only knows they will be blessed

With a love they will hide, in all the lies to stay alive

'Til their time

Juliet: In a dream far from the fight

Romeo: We both belong Both: As one tonight.

# Track 19: All The World's A Stage

All: Life won't always turn out as you like it Life will sometimes be cruel to be kind

Whatever you believe

Wear your heart on your sleeve again

Yeh, yeh, yeh

Be great in act as you have been in thought Love all, trust a few, do wrong to none The words you feel within Are easy like the wind, my friend

Come and take your place, find your space All the world's a stage Face it every day, come what may All the world's a stage

Oo, oo, oo For me and you

All the men and women merely players In a play that comes in seven parts So there it is in writing Everyone's a rising star

Come and take your place, find your space All the world's a stage Face it every day, come what may All the world's a stage Gonna tell ya

All of your wonderful words
Will have a place to be heard
All the boys and all the girls
Step on up and do your turn

Show the world What a great cliché - all the world's a stage!

# Track 23: To Be Or Not To Be

All: To be a creator, putting pen to paper

Tragedy or caper, putting in the hours

Centuries later, millions of players Nothing ever greater, you can share the power

Take it from the pages, take it to the stages
Take a little dream and make it true
Life is down to you

If you want to be or not to be
That's the question we finally need to answer
Livin' a soliloquy
Tell me, do you wanna be or not to be?

Think about to be or not to be
That's the mystery line that means you matter
Written in your history
Tell me, are you gonna be or not to be?

What are we defining?

Never stop trying, see the silver lining

All is well that ends well

Fight fire with fire
We can fly higher, we can inspire
We all have a tale to tell

Tell it on the pages, tell it through the ages
Tell them all your dreams and they'll come true
Life is down to you

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Think about to be or not to be
That's the mystery line that means you matter
Written in your history
Tell me, are you gonna be or not to be?

Say hey nonny nonny (Hey nonny nonny) Yey yey yey (Yey yey yey) Ay ay ay (Ay ay ay) Do ado ado (Do ado ado)

Keep on imagining We can do anything

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That's the question we finally need to answer
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If you want to be!

#### <u>Track 24:</u> <u>Bows/Curtain Calls (Show In The Globe Reprise)</u>

(The italicised lyrics are included in case you do not have the space/facilities to enable your children to come to the centre of the stage to take individual bows. Is this is the case, please sing from the beginning of the song. If you <u>DO</u> have the space/facilities for individual/small group bows, the singing starts where the lyrics are bold.)

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(If your children have taken individual/small group bows, now is the time for them to all spread out along the front of the stage to start singing.)

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Somewhere grand for the man

William! Woah!

He's the man! Woah! Shake a leg!

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Group 1:

**Show in the Globe** 

**Show in the Globe** 

**Show in the Globe** 

Group 2:

Dig it! Ha! Hoo-ha!

Hit it! Ha! Hoo-ha!

Work it! Ha! Hoo-ha!

Build it up!

All: Show in the

Globe! Ha!

Hoo-ha!

Whew!