

TRACK #: 2

TITLE: El Payaso

TOPIC: Responsibility (Preamble Paragraphs 1, 4, and 5)

### Letra en Español

Había un payaso muy contento  
Viajaba por todo el mundo con un circo

Y decía, “Estoy agradecido  
Pues, el mundo es tan precioso  
La Tierra es un regalo  
Tan maravilloso”

Un buen día el circo vino al pueblo  
Pero el payaso estaba triste  
No quería contar ni un chiste

Una niña se acercó  
Con curiosidad le preguntó  
“Hey, ¿por que estas tan triston?”

El payaso respondió...  
“Quiero que el mundo sea sano  
Como era hace años  
Pero ese mundo ya no existe  
Por eso ando triste”

De pronto la niña dijo algo interesante  
Dijo algo sabio, algo intrigante, dijo así...

“Si un mundo sano deseamos de verdad  
Pues, debemos tomar responsabilidad  
Toda persona tiene la habilidad  
De vivir con más responsabilidad”

El payaso entendió  
Y pensó, “¡Esta niña tiene razón!  
Voy a volver a sonreír, voy a invitar a todos  
A que nos unamos  
Y cantemos con mucho ánimo  
Estas palabras”

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### Lyrics in English

There once lived a clown full of gladness  
Who traveled all world with the circus

“This world is oh so beautiful”  
The clown would say, “and I’m so thankful  
Because Earth  
Is a gift so precious”

So one day the circus came to town  
But the clown  
Had a sad frown

A little girl came around  
She looked puzzled at the clown  
And said, “Hey, how come you look so down?”

And the clown said...  
“I wish this Earth were healthy  
The way that it used to be  
So now I sit around  
With my little frown”

Just then the girl said something quite interesting  
Said something wise, something intriguing, she said...

“If we want the Earth to be healthy  
We all have got to take responsibility  
Because we have what it takes, we are all able  
We just need to be more responsible”

The clown realized  
That the girl’s advice was truly wise  
He started thinking, “Well, she’s right!  
So I’m going to turn my frown upright  
And invite everybody to unite  
And to sing these words with might”

So if we want the Earth to be healthy  
We’ve got to take responsibility  
Cause we understand your frown  
But that won’t fix no town  
We got to take responsibility  
To turn this world around  
Turn this world around