# The Chicken Playlist with Lyrics

### The Chicken in Black - Johnny Cash

For two long years my head hurt bad So a doctor checked me and he shook his head He said I'm sorry to tell you But your body's outlived your brain He said I know this doctor in New York, son And he'll fix you right up with a brand new one So the head doctor met me When I stepped down off of the train

He said we had this bank robber killed last night His body's shot but his brain's alright I'll give you a transplant, boy And you'll be OK I got my new brain in and I was feelin' great I went right back to Nashville with no headache But something strange happened When I walked in the bank one day

I said stick 'em up ever'body I'm robbin' this place Drop all of your money in my guitar case Don't nobody move and don't nobody reach for that door A lady said, why you're Johnny Cash I said no ma'am, I'm the Manhattan Flash And I am the best bank robber in New York Now the other night Roy Acuff called me He said John I'd like for you to do the Opry So I went out on the stage, but I couldn't sing I got into a half a verse of "I Walk the Line" And something snapped in this head of mine I yelled "stick 'em up!" Give me your money, your watches and rings

Well, I called New York and talked to that brain quack And said Doc I gotta have my old brain back He said I'm sorry there, Mr. Cash, but I can't do that He said I put your brain in a chicken last Monday He's singing your songs and makin' lots of money And I got him signed to a ten-year recording contract

Now friends if you see me walkin' down the street Remember what you see ain't necessarily me And if I try to hold you up, don't pay me no mind But when you got ten bucks that you can blow You oughta catch that Johnny Chicken show He's doin' fairs and concert dates All up and down the line

I said stick 'em up everybody I'm robbin' this place Drop all of your money in my guitar case Don't nobody move and don't nobody reach for that door A lady said, why you're Johnny Cash I said no ma'am, I'm the Manhattan Flash And I am the best bank robber in New York Well, I don't pay any income tax You don't pay tax on money you steal You oughta catch that Johnny Chicken show Chicken In Black!

# *The Chicken Dance song* - Werner Thomas (instrumental) *Chicken Soup With Rice* - Carole King and Maurice Sendak

In January it's so nice, While slippin' on the slidin' ice To sip hot chicken soup with rice Sippin' once, sippin' twice Sippin' chicken soup with rice In February it will be My snowman's anniversary With cake for him and soup for me! Happy once, happy twice Happy chicken soup with rice In March the wind blows down the door And spills my soup upon the floor It laps it up and roars for more Blowin' once, blowin' twice Blowin' chicken soup with rice In April I will go away To far off Spain or old Bombay And dream about hot soup all day Oh my once, oh my twice Oh my chicken soup with rice In May I truly think it best

To be a robin lightly dressed Concocting soup inside my nest Mix it once, mix it twice Mix that chicken soup with rice In June I saw a charming group Of roses all begin to droop I pepped them up with chicken soup Sprinkle once, sprinkle twice Sprinkle chicken soup with rice In July I'll take a peep Into the cool and fishy deep Where chicken soup is selling cheap Sellin' once, sellin' twice Sellin' chicken soup with rice In August it will be so hot I will become a cooking pot Cooking soup, of course why not? Cookin' once, cookin' twice Cookin' chicken soup with rice In September for a while I will ride a crocodile Down the chicken soupy Nile Paddle once, paddle twice Paddle chicken soup with rice In October I'll be host To witches, goblins and a ghost I'll serve them chicken soup on toast Whoopy once, whoopy twice Whoopy chicken soup with rice

In November's gusty gale I will flop my flippy tail And spout hot soup, I'll be a whale Spoutin' once, spoutin' twice Spoutin' chicken soup with rice In December I will be A baubled, bangled Christmas tree With soup bowls draped all over me Merry once, merry twice Merry chicken soup with Merry chicken soup with Merry chicken soup with rice. I told you once, I told you twice All seasons of the year are nice For eating chicken soup, Eating chicken soup with rice Chicken soup, chicken soup with rice.

#### Crow Black Chicken - Ry Cooder

Well, I went on the mountain And I gave my horn a blow Thought I heard some purty gal say "Yonder come my beau" Crow black chicken and crow for a day Crow black chicken and fly away Crow black chicken and-a I like chicken pie Well, the hardest work that ever I done Is plowin' a field of rye The easiest work that ever I done Was eatin' chicken pie Chicken crow for midnight And chicken crow for a day Along come an owl, Lord, have mercy And stole my chicken away

#### Set My Chickens Free - Merle Haggard

I work down south on a chicken farm in Nashville Tennessee There weren't nothing there but the sky full of air And ten thousand chickens and me So one day I said, "Hey hey hey" and then I dropped some vitamin C It blew my mind and I got real fine and set my chickens free

Set my chickens free, I set my chickens free Got real kind, blew my mind and set my chickens free

We got chicken in the corn flour, chicken in the corn Chickens in the bedroom, chickens in the barn We got chickens drivin' Cadillacs to Washington DC Set my chickens free

I set my chickens free, man I set my chickens free Blew my mind, got real kind and set my chickens free

Place got bad, poultry game There weren't no cense in a flop So I said bye to my boots, bye to my ins And I said bye to my big red car I set my chickens free, man I set my chickens free Got real kind, blew my mind and set my chickens free, one more Set my chickens free, yeah set my chickens free Got real kind, blew my mind and set my chickens free

# How Funky Is Your Chicken - The Jackson 5

Show me how funky Is your chicken now (can you do it, can you do it, can you do it) Let me see you get away, get away When the band starts kickin' now Oh, if you can do the funky chicken better than I can I don't mind givin' in to the baddest man (to the baddest man) Ooh, but I said i(i said i) like competition (like competition) Yeah, yeah, yeah cause a little competition now keeps me condition now Oh, oh, oh so you better come on (come on) come on (come on) So get yourself in the groove and get ready to move, come on You've been spreadin' rumors You're the baddest on two feet Let me tell you buddy I'm ready to compete We're gonna have a showdown I'm ready, how 'bout you Oh, we're gonna dance til the midnight hour Or 'til the sun come shinin' through Come on (come on) come on (come on) come on yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah Put yourself in the groove and get ready to move, come on We're gonna have a showdown Gonna get the low down yeah, yeah, yeah

Showdown

You ought to be around

#### **Chicken** - The Cramps

Goin' home I said I'm goin' home Goin' goin' goin' goin' home Yeah yeah well I'm goin' home My baby, my baby She fixes fixes chicken for me

Yeah chicken I said boiled chicken Any kind, any kind of chicken Boiled chicken, fried chicken, cotton-pickin' chicken well My baby, my baby She fixes fixes chicken for me

Yeah I eat my dinner - she squeeze me till I hurt I'd like to eat chicken pie for dessert Oh chicken... Boiled chicken, fried chicken, any old kind of chicken well My baby, my baby She fixes fixes chicken for me

I'm goin' home Start pickin' You know I'm clickin' when I'm pickin' on that chicken Oh chicken Boiled chicken, fried chicken, cotton-pickin' chicken well My baby, my baby She fixes fixes chicken for me (I said I said I said I said) My baby, my baby She fixes fixes chicken for me (one more time) My baby, my baby She fixes fixes chicken for me!

# Chicken McNuggets – Goldfinger

Chicken Mcnuggets are bad for you, bad for you (x4) But they taste good!

# Ain't Nobody Here But Us Chickens – James Brown

One night farmer Brown was takin' the air And I locked up the barnyard with the greatest of care Down in the hen house something stirred When he shouted, "Who's there?" This is what he heard

There ain't nobody here but us chickens There ain't nobody here at all So calm yourself and stop that fuss There ain't nobody here but us

We chickens tryin' to sleep and you butt in And hobble, hobble, hobble, hobble, it's a sin There ain't nobody here but us chickens There ain't nobody here at all You're stompin' around and shakin' the ground Kickin' up an awful dust So point that gun the other way And hobble, hobble, hobble, hobble, hit the hay

Tomorrow is a busy day We got ground to dig, we got eggs to lay We got ground to dig and worms to scratch It takes a lot of sittin', gettin' chicks to hatch

There ain't nobody here but us chickens There ain't nobody here at all So point that gun the other way There ain't nobody here but us

We're chickens trying to sleep and you bust in And hobble, hobble, hobble, hobble, it's a sin Hey, hey, hey, I gotta poop

Oh, tomorrow is a busy day We got things to do, we got eggs to lay We got ground to dig and worms to scratch It takes a lot of sittin', gettin' chicks to hatch

There ain't nobody here but us chickens There ain't nobody here at all Point that gun the other way And kick it up an awful fuss We're chickens trying to sleep and you butt in And hobble, hobble, hobble, hobble, it's a sin

Ain't nobody, nobody here but us chicken now I gotta tell you all I wanna give a little soul now Leave us alone, alone, can't you leave us alone? And I don't bother nobody

#### A Chicken Ain't Nothing But A Bird - Cab Calloway

Chicken, nice fried chicken Barbecue chicken, won't you send it down the line? Say, everyone's talking 'bout chicken Chicken's a popular word But anywhere you go, you're bound to find A chicken ain't nothin' but a bird Some people call it a fowl That's the story I heard But let 'em call it this and let 'em call it that A chicken ain't nothin' but a bird You can boil it, roast it, broil it Cook it in a pan or a pot Eat it with potatoes, rice or tomatoes But chicken's still what you got, boy It was a dish for old Caesar Also King Henry the Third But Columbus was smart, said, "you can't fool me A chicken ain't nothin' but a bird" You can boil it, roast it, broil it

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