

Come to the Scottish Parliament

If you've got a problem, whoever you may be CFC
There's always a solution if you use democracy FC
Arguing and fighting doesn't get you anywhere FCAm
But there's a place that you can go
that's reasonable and fair FG

Come to the Scottish Parliament C
We are the ones they represent
If you've an opinion or a view F C
Holyrood's the place for you Am G
Now that the people have a voice C
Go to the polls and make your choice
Come along and join with me F C
In the spirit of democracy F G C

Never call it dull and grey F
It's getting better every day C
Now the people have their say Dm A
We'll never let them take it away Dm G
Hey
Democracy is here to stay G7

A PARCEL O'ROGUES

V1

Old Scotland has heroes and worthies of fame CG

But also has devils who blacken its name GC

From an unconquered nation that no-one could beat CG

They've sold off the hills from right under our feet GC

Chorus

They're a parcel o' rogues, they're a parcel o' rogues FC

And they're causing the people frustration FC

They're a parcel o' rogues, they're a parcel o' rogues F C Am

Sic a parcel o' rogues in a nation D G

V2

The auld sang has ended and has no refrain

Our noble landowners have robbed us again

Our parliament's followed the fate of the throne

Now a Union Jack hangs where the saltire had flown

V3

So the people cried out in a unified voice

But the lairds and the chiefs say we have nae a choice

Instead of resisting like heroes of old

They're lining their pockets with Englishmen's gold

A Man's a Man – Robert Burns – (abridged)

Is there for honest Poverty
That hings his head, an' a' that;
The coward slave-we pass him by,
We dare be poor for a' that!
For a' that, an' a' that.
Our toils obscure an' a' that,
The rank is but the guinea's stamp,
The Man's the gowd for a' that.

A prince can mak a belted knight,
A marquis, duke, an' a' that;
But an honest man's abon his might,
A Man's a Man for a' that:
For a' that, and a' that,
Their tinsel show, an' a' that;
The honest man, tho' e'er sae poor,
Is king o' men for a' that.

Then let us pray that come it may,
(As come it will for a' that,)
That Sense and Worth, o'er a' the earth,
Shall bear the gree, an' a' that.
For a' that, an' a' that,
It's coming yet for a' that,
That Man to Man, the world o'er,
Shall brothers be for a' that.