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(This is a RHYTHMIC piece and should be read as such)

ALL: The King asked the Queen and the Queen asked the Dairymaid:

King: "Could we have some \_\_\_\_\_ Food One \_\_\_\_\_ for the Royal slice of \_\_\_\_\_ Food Two \_\_\_\_\_?"

ALL: The Queen asked the Dairymaid. The Dairymaid said:

Dairymaid: "Certainly, I'll go and ask the cow now before she goes to bed."

ALL: The Dairymaid she curtsied, and went and told the Cow:

Dairymaid: "Don't forget the \_\_\_\_\_ Same as Food One \_\_\_\_\_ for the Royal slice of \_\_\_\_\_ Same as Food Two \_\_\_\_\_."

ALL: The Cow said sleepily:

Cow: "You'd better tell his Majesty

That

many people nowadays like \_\_\_\_\_ Food Three \_\_\_\_\_ instead."

ALL: The Dairymaid said,

Dairymaid: " \_\_\_\_\_ Exclamation \_\_\_\_\_!"

ALL: and went to Her Majesty.

She curtsied to the Queen, and turned a little red.

Dairymaid: "Excuse me, your majesty, for taking of the Liberty,

But \_\_\_\_\_ Same as Food three \_\_\_\_\_ is tasty, if it's very thickly spread."

ALL: The Queen said,

Queen: " \_\_\_\_\_ Exclamation \_\_\_\_\_!"

ALL: and went to His Majesty:

"Talking of the \_\_\_\_\_ Same as Food One \_\_\_\_\_ for the Royal slice of \_\_\_\_\_ Same as Food Two \_\_\_\_\_,

Many people think that \_\_\_\_\_ Same as Food three \_\_\_\_\_ is nicer.

Would

you like to try a little \_\_\_\_\_ Same as Food three \_\_\_\_\_ instead?"

ALL: The King said,

King: "\_\_\_\_\_ Exclamation \_\_\_\_\_!"

ALL: and then he said

King: "Oh, deary me!"

ALL: The King sobbed,

King: "Oh, deary me!"

ALL: and went back to bed.

King: "Nobody,"

ALL: he whimpered,

King: "could call me a Adjective One man.

I only want a little bit of Same as Food One for my Same as Food Two."

ALL: The Queen said,

Queen: "There, there!"

ALL: and went to the Dairymaid.

The Dairymaid said,

Dairymaid: "There, there."

ALL: and went to the shed.

The cow said,

Cow: "There, there! I really didn't mean it;

Here's Food Four for his breakfast and Same as Food One for his Same as Food Two."

ALL: The Queen took the Same as Food One and brought it to His Majesty.

The

King said,

King " \_\_\_\_\_ Same as Food One \_\_\_\_\_, eh?"

ALL: and \_\_\_\_\_ Verb - Past Tense \_\_\_\_\_ out of bed.

King: "Nobody,"

ALL: he said, as he \_\_\_\_\_ Verb - Past Tense \_\_\_\_\_ her tenderly,

King: "Nobody,"

ALL: he said, as he \_\_\_\_\_ Verb - Past Tense \_\_\_\_\_ down the banister,

King: "Nobody, my \_\_\_\_\_ Pet Name \_\_\_\_\_, could call me a \_\_\_\_\_ Same as Adjective One \_\_\_\_\_ man...

But I do like a little bit of \_\_\_\_\_ Same as Food One \_\_\_\_\_ for my \_\_\_\_\_ Same as Food Two \_\_\_\_\_."