

BOMB SHELTER CAFÉ LYRICS

for SHUKUFEH'S LOVELY FRIENDS

March 8, 2025

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* WHEN MOTHER NATURE SINGS HER LULLABY - Larry Yoell, Glenn Brown (1938)

The stars come out lighting a deep blue sky
When mother nature sings her lullaby
The moon bends low kissing each rose goodnight
When mother nature sings her lullaby
Our cares and all our troubles
Will soon be put to flight
The gentle breeze of evening
Will blow them through the night,
Each heartache gone, many new hopes are born
When mother nature sings her lullaby

* LET'S HAVE ANOTHER CUP OF COFFEE - Irving Berlin (1932)

Just around the corner
There's a rainbow in the sky
So let's have another cup o' coffee
And let's have another piece o' pie!
Trouble's just a bubble
And the clouds will soon roll by
So let's have another cup o' coffee
And let's have another piece o' pie
Let a smile be your umbrella
For it's just an April show'r
Even John D. Rockefeller
Is looking for the silver lining
Things that really matter
are the things that gold can't buy
So let's have another cup o' coffee
And let's have another piece o' pie!

* THE WORLD IS WAITING FOR THE SUNRISE - Eugene Lockhart,
Ernest Seitz - (1919)

Dear one, the world is waiting for the sunrise
Every rose is heavy with dew
The thrush on high, his sleepy mate is calling
And my heart is calling you...

* GIVE ME YOUR TIRED YOUR POOR - Irving Berlin (1949)

"Give me your tired, your poor,
Your huddled masses yearning to breathe free,
The wretched refuse of your teeming shore.
Send these, the homeless, tempest-tos'd to me,
I lift my lamp beside the golden door!"

* COUNT YOUR BLESSINGS (INSTEAD OF SHEEP) - Berlin (1954)

When I'm worried and I can't sleep
I count my blessings instead of sheep
And I fall asleep counting my blessings
When my bankroll is getting small
I think of when I had none at all
And I fall asleep counting my blessings

I think about a nursery and I picture curly heads
And one by one I count them as they slumber in their beds
If you're worried and you can't sleep
Just count your blessings instead of sheep
And you'll fall asleep counting your blessings

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NOTE

There are two public Bomb Shelter Café performances coming up in Washington, DC:

At the Arts Club of Washington, on April 10 (with Defiant Requiem)

At Alliance Française, DC, on March 16 (all French songs!)

If you would like more information about these, please don't hesitate to be in touch: paxsonml@yahoo.com or find me on Facebook!