

# The Rattlin' Bog

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Many versions of this songs exist and many  
more verses than are shown here.



## [CHORUS]

(G) Ho, ro, the (C)rattlin' bog,  
The (G) bog down in the (D) valley-o.  
(G) Ho, ro, the (C)rattlin' bog,  
The (G) bog down in the (D) valley (G)  
-o.

(G) Now in that bog there was a hole,  
A rare hole and a (D) rattlin' hole,  
And the (G) hole in the bog,  
And the bog down in the (D) valley (G)  
-o.

## [REPEAT CHORUS]

(G) Now in that hole there was a tree,  
A rare tree and a (D) rattlin' tree,  
And the (G) tree in the hole,  
And the hole in the bog,  
And the bog down in the (D) valley (G)  
-o.

## [REPEAT CHORUS]

(G) Now on that tree there was a  
branch,  
A rare branch and a (D) rattlin' branch,  
And the (G) branch on the tree,  
And the tree in the hole,  
And the hole in the bog,  
And the bog down in the (D) valley(G)  
-o.

## [REPEAT CHORUS]

(G) Now on that branch there was a  
nest,  
A rare nest and a (D) rattlin' nest,  
And the (G) nest on the branch,  
And the branch on the tree,  
And the three in the tree,  
And the hole in the bog,  
And the bog down in the (D) valley (G)  
-o.

## [REPEAT CHORUS]

(G) Now in that nest there was a bird,  
A rare bird and a (D) rattlin' bird,  
  
And the (G) bird in the nest,  
And the nest on the branch,  
And the branch on the tree,  
And the tree in the hole,  
And the hole in the bog,  
And the bog down in the (D) valley (G)-  
o.

## [REPEAT CHORUS - THEN REPEAT LAST LINE]