

# A Pioneer Song

Sung during 1947 Pioneer Centennial

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Traditional

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Moderately, as a story with a lilt  $\text{♩} = 45$

1. Just one hun - dred years since the pi - o - neers came; let's  
2.(They) looked pret - ty wea - ry but no - bo - dy sighed; the  
3.(They) looked all a - round them but they could not see a^ny  
4.(Con) - ve - nience was scan - ty as you are a - ware. They  
5.(They) soon went to work with their sho - vels and spades. Just

(For optional introduction, perhaps use the pick-up to measure 7 then 8, & 9)

3  
give them a hand and a migh - ty ac - claim! With no - where to go they de -  
out - look was drea - ry but no - bo - dy cried. There^was no - thing to buy and  
hous - es or barns and scarce - ly a tree. Then one of them ven - tured to  
had no spare bed - rooms to rent or to share; If one men - tioned bath - ing an -  
see what a beau - ti - ful gar - den they made. And so we do hon - or their

6  
ci - ded to stay. Sing too - ra - lu, too - ra - lu, too - ru - li - day.  
no - thing to pay. Sing too - ra - lu, too - ra - lu, too - ru - li - day.  
say "It's O - K.," Sing too - ra - lu, too - ra - lu, too - ru - li - day.  
oth - er would say, Sing too - ra - lu, too - ra - lu, too - ru - li - day.  
mem - 'ries to - day. Sing too - ra - lu, too - ra - lu, too - ru - li - day.

1, 2, 3, 4.

9  
2.They  
3.They  
4.Con  
5.They  
Too - ru - li - day. Too - li - day!