

The Welcome Song

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Welcome, welcome – come right in.
Welcome, welcome – have a seat and bite to eat.
Welcome, welcome – sit right down.
You're the most welcome guests in town!

Welcome, welcome,
Bruchim ha-baim!

Antiochus Came to Town

(To the tune of *Camptown Races*)

Antiochus came to town, doo-dah, doo-dah.
Told the Jews they must bow down,
All the doo-dah day.
Some ran to the hills, some ran to the caves.
They'd spin their dreidels and study books
All the doo-dah day.
Mattathias Had five sons, doo-dah, doo-dah.
Judah Maccabee the famous one,
All the doo-dah day.
Ready to stand tall, ready to attack.
Let's all be a Maccabee - we want our Temple back!

Put the Coin in the Tzedakah Box

(To the tune of *Put the Lime in the Coconut*)

You put the coin in the tzedakah box,
and shake it all up (2x)
 I said Tzedakah - it's the give and not the take.
 I said Tzedakah - how much money can you make?
You put the coin in the tzedakah box,
and shake it all up (2x)
 I said Tzedakah - it's the righteous thing to do.
 I said Tzedakah - and it makes you feel good, too!

