ON THE ONE ROAD

THOUGH WE'VE HAD
OUR QUARRELS NOW AND THEN
NOW'S THE TIME TO MAKE THEM UP AGAIN
SURE AREN'T WE ALL IRISH ANYHOW?
AND WE'VE GOT TO STEP TOGETHER NOW!

WE'RE ON THE ONE ROAD, SHARING THE ONE ROAD
WE'RE ON THE ROAD TO GOD KNOWS WHERE
ON THE LONG ROAD - MAYBE THE WRONG ROAD
BUT WE'RE TOGETHER NOW - WHO CARES?
NORTHMEN, SOUTHMEN, COMRADES ALL
DUBLIN, GALWAY, CORK OR DONEGAL
ON THE ONE ROAD, SINGING A SONG
SINGING A SOLDIER'S SONG!

TINKER, TAILOR - EVERY MOTHER'S SON BUTCHER, BAKER - SHOULDERING HIS GUN RICH MAN, POOR MAN - EVERY MAN IN LINE ALL TOGETHER, JUST LIKE AULD LANG SYNE!

NIGHT IS DARKEST JUST BEFORE THE DAWN.
FROM DISSENSIONS, IRELAND IS REBORN!
SOON WILL ALL UNITED IRISHMEN
SEE OUR LAND A NATION ONCE AGAIN!