

JOY RICE'S HEROES SONG

Do you know my hero
George Washington?
He was first in the hearts
of his countrymen.
First voted
to the Presidency,
First to lead
this new country.

Part of the fiber
of this great land
Was fashioned by
Betsy Ross' hand.
She sewed the first
American flag.
That's my friend
from Philadelphia.

—CHORUS—

Grab your hat and coat and let's go
I'll take you to meet all my heroes
They were strong and brave and true
Just like me, and just like you

Scientist, inventor
and writer too
Printer, postmaster,
can you guess who?
He even liked
to go fly his kite.
If you guessed Ben Franklin,
then you were right!

One of my heroes
was gentle and kind.
He learned as much as he could
although he was blind.
He knew if he tried hard
he could succeed.
And Louis Braille found a way
for the blind to read.

—CHORUS—

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Abraham Lincoln
was wise and brave.
He worked for the freedom
of every slave.
He gave a little talk
at Gettysburg,
To keep this country
together.

Harriet Tubman
wasn't looking for fame.
When she took her friends
on that secret train.
With her help
300 slaves were free.
She was quite a lady,
don't you agree?

—CHORUS—