

COYOTE'S LAMENT

Out in the country
where we used to roam
we knew who we were
we knew we were home Sir

The earth was the mother
the father was sun
we were all created
by the almighty one Sir

All are a part
of one body it's true
and when you came
we thought that you knew Sir

But since you've come
we've been torn apart
you tried to kill us
from the very start Sir

What could account
for what you've done?
You did the same thing
that made you run from England

Now you'd kill
the very spirit you need
to save you from
your own hate and greed
You're blind Sir

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