

# Poor man Lazarus

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**Bright**       $\text{♩} = 108$

(Unísono)

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1. Poor man Laz - rus sick and dis - a - ble  
 2. Rich man di - vies he lived so well,  
 3. Love to shout, I love to sing.  
 1. Pur man La - zrus sik an di - sei - bol  
 2. Rich man dai - vis ji liv so wel,  
 3. Lov tu sat Ai lov tu sing

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dip your fin-ger in the wa-ter, come and cool my tongue, 'cause I'm tor-men-ted in the flame.  
 dip yur fin-guer in de wa-ter, cam and cul mai tong' 'cos Aim tor-men-ted in de fleim.

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dip your fin-ger in the wa-ter como and cool my tongue, 'cause I'm tor-men-ted in the flame.  
 dip yur fin-guer in de wa-ter, cam and cul mai tong' 'cos Aim tor-men-ted in de fleim.

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dip your fin-ger in the wa-ter come and cool my tongue, 'cause I'm tor-men-ted in the flame.  
 dip yur fin-guer in de wa-ter, cam and cul mai tong' 'cos Aim tor-men-ted in de fleim.

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(Unísono)

He had to eat crumbs from the rich man's ta - ble  
 and when he died he went straigh to hell.  
 I love to praise my heav'n - ly King.  
 (1.) Ji jad tu it crobs from de rich man tei - bol  
 (2.) and wen ji daid ji went streig tu jel  
 (3.) ai lov tu preis mai jev - li King.

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I'm tor - men - ted in the flame, I'm tor - men - ted in the flame, dip your  
Aim tor - men - ted in de fleim aim tor - men - ted in de fleim dip yur

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fin-ger in the wa-ter, come and cool my tongue 'cause I'm tor- men - ted in the flame. (3. I)  
fin-guerin de wa-ter cam and cul mai tong 'cos aim tor- men - ted in de fleim (3. Ai)

fin-ger in the wa-ter, come and cool my tongue 'cause I'm tor- men - ted in the flame. (3. I)

fin-ger in the wa-ter, come and cool my tongue 'cause I'm tor- men - ted in the flame. (3. I)  
fin-guerin de wa-ter, cam and cul mai tong cos aim tor- men - ted in de fleim (3. Ai)

fin-ger in the wa-ter, come and cool my tongue 'cause I'm tor- men - ted in the flame. (3. I)  
cul mai tong cos aim tor- men - ted in de fleim. (3. Ai)

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I'm tor - men - ted in the flame,  
Aim tor - men - ted in de fleim

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Aim tor - men - ted in de fleim

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Aim tor - men - ted in de fleim

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fin - ger in the wa - ter, come and cool my tongue. Cause I'm tor - men - ted in the

dip your fin - ger in the wa - ter, come and cool my tongue. Cause

dip your fin - ger in the wa - ter, come and

dip your

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flame, dip your fin - ger in the wa - ter, come and cool my tongue. dip your

I'm tor - men - ted in the flame, come and cool my tongue. dip your

cool my tongue. Cause I'm tor - men - ted come and cool my tongue. dip your

fin - ger in the wa - ter, come and cool my tongue. come and cool my tongue. dip your

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fin - ger in the wa - ter, come and cool my tongue. dip your fin - ger in the wa - ter, come and  
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cool my tongue. Cause I'm tor - men - ted in the flame.

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### Traducción aproximada:

El pobre Lázaro estaba enfermo y paralítico.

*Moja tu dedo en el agua y refresca mi lengua que me atormenta el fuego.*

Comía de las migajas de la mesa del rico.- *Moja tu dedo...*

El hombre rico vivía opíparamente. *Moja tu dedo...*

Y al morir, fue derecho a los infiernos. *Moja tu dedo...*

Me gusta gritar, me gusta cantar: *Moja tu dedo...*

Me gusta alabar al Rey celestial. *Moja tu dedo...*

(Inspirado en Lucas, 16, 19-31)