

MARRIAGE GO ROUND

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Round and round the Marriage Go-Round  
The mate that you found  
Was your true love  
New love at it's best  
Then along comes the test/  
He hates your cat  
Despises your hat  
In spite of all that  
You adore him,--for him  
You would die--  
And you get a good try  
But sometimes, just a hug  
Can leave you ecstatic and snug  
That private, wonderful glow  
That beats any magic a lover





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ONCE A GIRL HAS WED  
AND SHE HAS SAID  
THAT IT'S FOREVERMORE  
SHE INCURS A TAX  
SHE CAN'T RELAX  
SHE MUST ENDEAVOR MORE  
COSIER OR COLDER  
AS YOU BOTH GROW OLDER  
DEPENDING IN PART  
ON HOW YOU THINK WITH YOUR HEART  
  
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THAT PRIVATE, WONDERFUL GLOW  
THAT BEATS ANY MARVEL A LOVER COULD KNOW  
THOUGH YEARS GO BY  
TILL MAY IS JULY  
IN EACH OTHER'S EYE YOU'RE THE SAME GIRL  
SAME BOY THAT YOU FOUND  
TO GO ROUND AND AROUND  
ON THE MARRIAGE-GO-ROUND