

The Song Parlor
With Host John Patterson
Playlist, January 19, 2019

Striving for Freedom

Opening

Ella Jenkins, “Keep Your Hands on the Plow,” *Ella Jenkins and a Union of Friends Pulling Together* (Smithsonian Folkways 45046 -- www.folkways.si.edu -- 888-FOLKWAYS)

I. Freedom: “One of These Days” to “Sojourner’s Battle Hymn”

1. Georgia Sea Island Singers, “One of These Days,” *Get In Union* (Tompkins Square 5074 -- <http://www.tompkinssquare.com>)
2. Ella Jenkins, “Let My People Go,” *Ella Jenkins and a Union of Friends Pulling Together* (Smithsonian Folkways 45046 -- www.folkways.si.edu -- 888-FOLKWAYS)
3. Ysaye Barnwell, “Another Man Done Gone,” *Sweet Honey In The Rock: A Tribute – Live! Jazz At Lincoln Center* (Appleseed 1134 -- <http://appleseedmusic.com>)
4. Kim & Reggie Harris, “Follow the Drinkin’ Gourd,” *Steal Away* (Appleseed 1022 -- <http://appleseedmusic.com>)
5. Holly Near & Ronnie Gilbert, “Harriet Tubman,” *Lifeline* (Redwood 1983 -- <https://www.hollynear.com/music/>)
6. Kim & Reggie Harris, “Trampin’/I Got Shoes,” *Get On Board* (Appleseed 1098 -- <http://appleseedmusic.com>)
7. Sweet Honey In The Rock, “Sojourner’s Battle Hymn,” *Still On the Journey* (Earthbeat 9 42536-2 – see <http://sweethoneyintherock.org>)

II. Freedom: the 1940s-60s

1. Josh White, “Free and Equal Blues,” *Free and Equal Blues* (Smithsonian Folkways 40081 -- www.folkways.si.edu -- 888-FOLKWAYS)
2. Jimmy Yancey, “35th and Dearborn,” *Chicago Piano, Volume One* (Atlantic 7 82368-2 -- 75 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, NY 10019 – While this reissue of the 1951 recording does not seem to be in print, it is apparently available from a number of on-line sources; for a helpful brief biography, see www.redhotjazz.com/jimmyyancey.html)

3. Big Bill Broonzy, “When Will I Get to Be Called a Man,” *Trouble In Mind* (Smithsonian Folkways 40131 -- www.folkways.si.edu -- 888-FOLKWAYS)
4. Paul Robeson, “Bear the Burden in the Heat of the Day,” *On My Journey* (Smithsonian Folkways 40178 -- www.folkways.si.edu -- 888-FOLKWAYS)
5. Fannie Lou Hamer, “Go Tell It on the Mountain,” *Voices of the Civil Rights Movement* (Smithsonian Folkways 40084 -- www.folkways.si.edu -- 888-FOLKWAYS)
6. Doc Reese & Congregation, “Guide My Feet,” *Sing For Freedom* (Smithsonian Folkways 40032 -- www.folkways.si.edu -- 888-FOLKWAYS)
7. Pete Seeger, “River of My People,” *If I Had A Hammer* (Smithsonian Folkways 40096 -- www.folkways.si.edu -- 888-FOLKWAYS)
8. Champion Jack Dupree, “Freedom,” *Back Home In New Orleans* (Rounder Bullseye Blues 9502 – while this 1990 vinyl album is no longer listed in the catalog at <https://rounder.com> it may be available from various online sources)

III. Freedom: In Our Day – Some Recent Releases

A. Challenges & Futures

1. Lula Wiles, (a) “Good Old American Values” and (b) “Shaking As It Turns,” *What Will We Do* (Smithsonian Folkways 40032 -- www.folkways.si.edu -- 888-FOLKWAYS)
2. Night Tree, “Point Joe,” *Dedications* (<http://nighttreemusic.com>)

B. Inspiring Memories & Futures

1. Joe Jencks, “I Have Seen Freedom Being Born,” *The Forgotten: Recovered Treasures From the Pen of Si Kahn* (Turtle Bear 0200118-01 -- <http://joejencks.com>)
2. Marie Knight, “Lord I Feel Like Going On,” *The Gospel Truth Live* (M.C. 0084 -- <http://mc-records.com>)
3. Reggie Harris, “Been Down into the South,” *Ready to Go* (<http://reggieharrismusic.com>)
4. Barbara Dane, “This Little Light of Mine,” *Hot Jazz, Cool Blues & Hard-Hitting Songs* (Smithsonian Folkways 40227 -- www.folkways.si.edu -- 888-FOLKWAYS)
5. The Dashboard Hula Girls, “54 Miles,” *Savoir Faire to Spare* (<https://www.facebook.com/Dashboard-Hula-Girls-620080501339311/>)
6. Katherine Rondeau, “What’s That I Hear,” *Unfortunate Point of View* (<https://katherinerondeau.com>)

7. John McCutcheon, "God Bless the Grass," *To Everyone In All The World* (Appalsongs 2019 -- <https://www.folkmusic.com>)

IV. Freedom: Robert Burns (January 25, 1759-July 21, 1796)

1. Alasdair Fraser, Muriel Johnstone & Natalie Haas, "For A' That an' A' That (A Man's a Man)," *Legacy of the Scottish Fiddle, Volume 2* (Culburnie 120D -- <http://culburnie.com>)
2. Andy M. Stewart, "Hey Ca' Thro'," *Songs of Robert Burns* (Green Linnet 3059 -- <http://compassrecords.com/artists/>)
3. Sheena Wellington, "There Was A Lad," *Clearsong* (Dunkeld 012 – While this engaging 1990 CD now seems to be out of print, it may still be available from various online sources)
4. Davy Steele, "Robin Shure in Hairst," *The Complete songs of Robert Burns, Volume 4* (Linn 083 -- <https://www.linnrecords.com>)
5. Bonnie Rideout, "Yell Yell," *Celtic Circles* (Maggie's Music 209 -- <https://www.maggiesmusic.com>)
6. Jean Redpath, "The Slave's Lament," *The Songs of Robert Burns, Volume Three* (Philo 1071 – While this fascinating vinyl album now seems to be out of print, it may still be available from various online sources)
7. Old Blind Dogs, "Is There For Honest Poverty," *Fit?* (Green Linnet 1214 -- <http://compassrecords.com/artists/>)

Close

The Whistlebinkies, "Ay Waukin O," *A Wanton Fling* (Greentrax 095 -- <https://www.greentrax.com>)

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