

The Peddler

Gadgets, trinkets, big and small
Come look folks I've got them all
Rarities from far and near
Gather round if you want to hear
Tales of all the things I've found
From traveling the world around

From the Valley of the Kings
A beaded necklace, emerald rings
A fancy rug with rainbow hues
A brand new pair of running shoes
Just a few items from my store
But wait folks there's many more

From Europe I've collected lots
Paintings, pictures, pans and pots
Bikes to ride and gum to chew
Genuine fake rubies too
And the best (so I've been told)
Is rubber from King Leopold

Africa had quite the haul
Wooden spears and voodoo dolls
Water buckets, desert sand
And a prize that's really grand
I found a tribe that can't be beat
They sold me several shrunken feet

So just a taste of what I sell
To your friends about me tell
Treasures truly one-of-a-kind
Look no more for a rare find
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— *Anderson Grooms*