EVERY HERO HAS A STORY  
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There are heroes in the pages of the books we like to read,  
Some extraordinary characters at the library...

Like the boy who sells his mother’s cow, for a few beans in a sack,  
He goes climbing up the beanstalk, his name you know is Jack!

And the girl whose nasty mum & dad have never thrilled ‘er,  
But her mind can move things magically--her name is Matilda!

Every hero has a story, and the stories must be told.  
So let’s hear it for the heroes, their stories give us hope!

There’s a girl who is a redhead--though she does not like that label,  
Oh, what an imagination--must be Anne of Green Gables!

And the guy who is the principal, at school until by chance,  
Somebody snaps his fingers, then he’s Captain Underpants!

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Do you know the 16th president, so courageous in his thinkin’?  
He fought for freedom and saved the nation, his name was Abraham Lincoln!

There’s a woman who sat down on the bus, and really lit a spark,  
For equal rights, for everyone, her name was Rosa Parks...

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There are heroes all around us in the world, though we might not read their names,  
Many people bravely helping every day, they’re heroes all the same...

Like firefighters and police, doctors, nurses, too,  
Our men and women in uniform, protecting me and you!

And teachers who help us learn to be the best that we can be,  
In a world that needs more heroes, people just like you and me!

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