



## Here's to the Rebels

*by Stewart Ennis*

Here's to the rebels who did it all first  
Who swung the first swing, who slid the first slide  
Who sought the first seek, who hid the first hide  
Who made the first hat, and the first pair of shoes  
In those days long ago when old fashioned was new.

Here's to the rebels who did it all first  
Who made impossibles possible and incredibles credible  
Who discovered which mushrooms were and weren't edible  
Who built the first house, and the first indoor loo  
In those days long ago when old fashioned was new.

Here's to the rebels who did it all first  
Who ate the first artichoke, ate the first clam  
Ate the first sausage, the first tin of spam  
Whose boat first floated, whose plane first flew  
In those days long ago when old fashioned was new.

Here's to the rebels who did it all first  
Who took the first honey from the first honey bees  
Who got stung for their troubles on their elbows and knees  
Who first felt nostalgia, and déjà vu  
In those days long ago when old fashioned was new.

Here's to the rebels who did it all first  
Who told the first story, who dreamed the first dream  
Who boldly went where no one had been  
Whose wisdom has passed down the ages to you  
From those days long ago when old fashioned was new.

