

Over In the Meadow

Over in the meadow, in the sand, in the sun,
Lived an old mother turtle and her little turtle one.
"Dig," said the mother,
"I dig," said the one.
So he dug all day in the sand in the sun.

Over in the meadow, in the stream so blue,
Lived an old mother fish and her little fishies two.
"Swim," said the mother,
"We swim," said the two.
So they swam all day in the stream so blue.

Over in the meadow, in a nest in a tree,
Lived an old mother robin and her little birdies three.
"Sing," said the mother,
"We sing," said the three.
So they sang all day in the nest in the tree.

Over in the meadow, by an old barn door,
Lived an old mother mouse and her little mousies four.
"Gnaw," said the mother,
"We gnaw," said the four.
So they gnawed all day by the old barn door.

Over in the meadow, in a snug beehive,
Lived an old mother bee and her little bees five.
"Buzz," said the mother,
"We buzz," said the five.
So they buzzed all day in the snug beehive.

Over in the meadow, by a dam built of sticks,
Lived an old mother beaver and her little beavers six.
"Build," said the mother,
"We build," said the six.
So they built all day by the dam built of sticks.

Over in the meadow, where the grass grows so even,
Lived an old mother cricket and her little crickets seven.
"Chirp," said the mother,
"We chirp," said the seven.
So they chirped all day where the grass grows so even.

Over in the meadow, by an old mossy gate,
Lived an old mother lizard and her little lizards eight.
"Bask," said the mother,
"We bask," said the eight.
So they basked all day by the old mossy gate.

Over in the meadow, where the clear pools shine,
Lived an old mother frog and her little froggies nine.
"Croak," said the mother,
"We croak," said the nine.
So they croaked all day where the clear pools shine.

Over in the meadow, in a cozy little den,
Lived an old mother rabbit and her little bunnies ten.
"Hop," said the mother,
"We hop," said the ten.
So they hopped all day in the cozy little den.