

## **INTRO**

### **Solo**

In this life it pays to know a bit about a lot of stuff,  
And in this life it pays to know a lot about a bit of stuff,  
Then one day you specialize, choose a trade, capitalize,  
All your skill and talent recognized.

### **Echoes with harmony**

(Bit about a lot of stuff)  
(Lot about a bit of stuff)

### **All**

1. Coulda been a plumber, coulda been a drummer, coulda been the landlord of the pub,  
Coulda been a sprinter, coulda been a printer, coulda been a coster, mind me a barro',  
Coulda been a writer, coulda been a fighter, coulda left you in a heap,  
Got me broom, make some room, glad to be a chimney sweep.
2. Coulda been a cooper, coulda been a trooper, coulda been the captain of the ship,  
Coulda been a doctor, coulda been a proctor, coulda been a coster, mind me a barro',  
Coulda been a preacher, coulda been a teacher, coulda sent you off to sleep,  
Got me broom, make some room, glad to be a chimney sweep.

### **BRIDGE**

There's nothing quite like sticking your head up  
Someone else's chimney,  
Drop the kid down from the top,  
Sweep the chimney as you drop,  
It's a job I'd never swap,  
Clean the grate, calculate,  
What's the rate? Jobs a good'un.

3. Coulda been a jailer, coulda been a tailor, coulda been a sailor on the sea,  
Coulda been a tinker, coulda been a thinker, coulda been a coster, mind me a barro',  
Coulda been a ruler, coulda been a jeweller, coulda done it on the cheap,  
Got me broom, make some room, glad to be a chimney sweep.

Bend your knees, stick out your elbows, hook your thumbs in your braces,  
We will show you how to dance around the fireplaces.

### **INTSTRUMENTAL for Chimney Sweep Dance**

**4. Repeat verse 3**

Got me broom, make some room, glad to be a chimney sweep,

Got me broom, make some room, glad to be a chimney,

**Solo**

Glad I got it in me

**All**

Glad to be a chimney sweep. OI!