

## I AM A RICH WOMAN

I do not have much money

But then I find it funny

To my surprise it does not mean I am not rich in wealth,

But I'm the lynchpin of my friends and kin

Four children of my own making, who are good to me

Which did produce nine grandchildren, more riches you see

Along came a great grandchild, oh my

The riches grow before my eye.

Money as riches is convenient,

It could be seen as necessary and poignant.

I have enough for all our needs,

Extra money would seem like greed.

My family are my riches

Just like crossing bridges.

When it's time to cross life's final bridge

I will go knowing I had been rich.

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