

Ballad

Cassie the upside down koala

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Let's hang together, let's be upside down,
A frown becomes a smile when it's turned around.
Let's be individual, together share a song,
Be yourself along with others,
And help your friends along.
Let's hang together, let's be upside down,
Because a frown becomes a smile when it's turned
around.

When you're different it can hurt a lot,
When others call you names,
Say you're a different species and leave you out of
games.
We all like different branches,
We all like different things,
So be proud of one another and together learn to sing.

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It can feel really lonely when you're out on a limb,
If your family don't support you, life can feel quite grim.
We all see things quite differently,
We all like different things,
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Maybe you like nibbling leaves or having lots of rest,
Maybe throwing gum nuts, is what you like the best.
Cassie sees things differently,
Upside down's her thing,
Be proud she cares about us and together learn to sing.

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