

## **DORCAS HAD A NEEDLE**

Peter had a fishing boat,  
Moses had a rod;  
But Dorcas had a needle  
With which she served her God.

Paul had some canvas  
With which he made a tent;  
The eunuch had his chariot  
And to worship God he went.

Philip had the power  
To heal the sick and lame,  
Who, from all around the countryside  
Into his presence came.

John had his girdle  
Made of camel's hair;  
The Samaritan had her water-pot  
When she met the Savior there.

But Dorcas had a needle,  
And she seldom laid it down,  
As she made the coats and garments  
For the widows of Joppa town.

Solomon built the temple  
With vast riches, so I'm told;  
But Dorcas had a needle,  
Worth more than all his gold.

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