

This Exhibit is Your Exhibit, This Exhibit is My Exhibit
To the tune of "This Land is Your Land, This Land is My Land"
by Woody Guthrie

Roots music is gospel,
Roots music is country,
It's blues and klezmer,
It's tejano and polka,
It's not jazz or disco,
But it is bluegrass.
Roots music is New Harmonies.

As I was driving
I-70 Highway,
I wondered what roots
Music was about
And what we would see
In the exhibit.
What is in New Harmonies?

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From down in Winfield
To up in Russell,
Then on to Lawrence
And Independence,
Off to McPherson
And then to Atchison.
These towns will see New Harmonies.

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Lyrics by the Kansas Humanities Council