

SONGS OF LEADERSHIP 1985

Cheer

Leadership (clap, clap), '85 (clap, clap), we are (clap, clap) alive (clap, clap)
3x

Sung To The Tune Of "The Longest Time"

Thank you cabin Zeke for your Good-Bye,
We left before the sun was in the sky,
Filled up our canteens,
Which didn't last for long,
We needed water for the longest time.

Whoooa, on the Leadership hike (Water!)
Whoooa, we thought that we would die (Water!)

Tony got us lost so many times
We thought that we would stay there all our lives
POA was always with us
They yelled roll down your sleeves or
You will be itching for the longest time

Whoooa, on the Leadership hike (FROA!)
Whoooa, we thought that we would die (FO!)

We had second thoughts at the start
We said to ourselves
Why did we start?
Then we finally got to Circle X
The beach was next
And we all stuck together

We know all our friendships will last
Even after Leadership has passed
You'll always find us
Cheering for '85
We will remember for the longest time

Whoooa, on the Leadership hike ('85!)
Whoooa, we thought that we would die (We made it!)

The Rap

Now what you hear is not some crap
It's Leadership '85 doin' the rap!

They say we cheer too much
That's right, we never shut up
You stop complaining right now
Now way, we never shut up!

Hey you over there
We know about your kind
You are the Leadership campers of '85
Everywhere that you go
That's everywhere that you cheer
They say that you're the best of all the years.

We hiked 17 miles
Oh, yeah. We never gave up
Diana sang all the way
We said you better shut up!

We hiked up and down
Oy vey, that was a struggle
Our thirst was arising
That water we did guzzle

They said we hiked too slow
That we would never catch up
Quit the cheering and walk
No way, we never shut up!

Circle X was great fun
A bit dirty too

We hiked all the way
From Boney to Magoo!

They said we never could make it
Cause we're a bunch of JAPs

Well, we proved them all
wrong
And That's the end of this
rap!

Sung To The Tune of "Let's Get Together"

Leadership of '85, we had lots of fun
The memories will stay alive, even though we're done
On the hike we risked our lives, in the burning sun.

Refrain:
Come on, Leadership
Stay single file
Everybody stick together
Only one more mile to go!

We woke up at 5am, and we took our last showers
We packed our bags and ate breakfast, all in two short hours
We boarded the cattle truck, with our homemade lunches.

When we got to the wheat fields, we learned about the KYBO
POA and ladybugs invaded us, you know
We got lost four times, where are we to go?

We saw trails and yellow markers, with Rambo in the lead
When we got to Circle X, water was our plea
We got in a water fight, our clothes stayed wet all night.

What do you want us to do? Should we turn back now?
The forest ranger said we'd die, if we didn't turn around.
But we pushed and pushed ourselves, and made it to the beach.

We woke up at 6 o'clock to R. T.'s blaring horn
Sometimes he can make you wish that you were never born

But we forgave him when we saw the golden flakes of corn.

We hit the beach, the sun was out, it was a gorgeous day
But we were truly satisfied when we had our orange ole
We had steaks, and then we slept, oh feel that ocean spray.

Sung To The Tune Of “Od Tireh”

Just one year from today
We'll all be CITs
And some of Havurah will be on the hike ('86!)
POAs all the way
We almost got demolished (Good!)
You can all do it too if you like

Wait and see, wait and see
Just how great it'll be
In a year, just one year from today
Wait and see, wait and see
You'll survive, didn't we?
In a year, just one year from today.

In two years from today
We'll all be Junior Counselors
And the rest of Havurah will be on the hike ('87!)
Circle X, then the beach
You'll be so glad to be there
Take our word, you'll be psyched for the hike

Wait and see, wait and see
Just how great it'll be
In two years, just two years from today
Wait and see, wait and see
You'll survive, didn't we?
In two years, just two year from today.

Slow: Now the hike is all done
We're united as one

What a Trip
Leadership '85!

Sung To The Tune Of "Tov L'hodot"

Leadership of '85

We're all barely alive End: We're all very alive!

We made it through the hike O. K.

Now it's time to shower all day End: Now it's time to hit the hay!

We hiked for hours and hours

It seemed like forever

The sun beat down on our bodies

We pulled through, we pulled through together

Leadership '85

Leadership of '85

We know how to survive

We made it through the POAs

We're glad we're back, and we're here to stay

We hit Circle X with water

We couldn't get enough

Back on the trail at 6 a.m.

To prove, to prove, we were tough

Leadership '85

Leadership of '85

For some sleep, we do strive

The Leadership hike was really swell

We know it, yes, we smell

The trail to the beach was overgrown

Buck and Tony couldn't make it through

That night we ate steaks and corn on the cob

While under the stars at Point Magoo.

Sung To The Tune Of "Circle Game"

We woke up at 5 on Sunday morning
Went down to the dining hall to eat
Made our lunches and packed up all our gear
And left before the sun could give us heat.

Refrain: On the canyons, we went round and round
And on Mount Boney we went up and down (two times!)
We're captive on a cliff oh way up high
We lost the trail oh many a time
But found it once and then
We went round and round and round the canyons again

They dropped us off in a barren field and left us
We started off with lots of energy
And they told us, save your water, it won't be long now
Until we reach the top of Mount Boney.

We were led by Kevin, Buck and our friend Tony
Through poison oak and ladybugs galore
Counselors Debbie, Debbie, Scott, Jared, Ellen Arthur, Adam and Cathy
Aren't you glad we didn't have anymore?

Our choice was either KYBO's or the bushes
When we finally got to Circle X
R. T.'s wake up call, the horn at six
And endless highway to the beach was next.

We had steaks, and yes, the punch was orange
The counselors slept between the boys and the girls
(At least they tried!)
The hike to camp was only four short miles
And now we're back at good ol' CHK!