

Churnal Jiu as Churnal Jea

(Churning Song)

Manx trad.

Churn - al jiu as churn - al jea, As goll dy hurn - al mair - agh; Ta
 wheesh d' - eeym er y churn, Cha vow - yms stap - pal gleash - agh. O!
 trooid shiu jiu as trooid shiu jea, As trooid shiu ooil - ley mair - agh; Ta
 wheesh d' - eeym er y churn, Cha vow - yms stap - pal gleash - agh.

1. Churnal jiu as churnal jea,
 As goll dy hurnal mairagh;
 Ta wheesh d'eeym er y churn,
 Cha vowym stappal gleashagh.

Co-chiaull

*O! trooid shiu jiu, as trooid shiu jea,
 As trooid shiu ooilley mairagh;
 Ta wheesh d'eeym er y churn,
 Cha vowym stappal gleashagh!*

2. Dy tappee nish ta'n eeym cheet,
 Ta'n bithag chiu as brishagh;
 Ta mish chyndaa y churn ny smoo
 Dy haglym eh d' aashagh.

Co-chiaull

3. Ta mish cur bannaght er y churn
 Dyn fer erbee ceau scaa er!
 Dy chooilley pheigh ta cheet 'sy thie,
 Cur cooney lhiam chyndaa eh.

Co-chiaull

1. We churned today and yesterday,
 Tomorrow we'll be churning.
 There's so much butter on the churn
 I cannot stop it turning!

Chorus

*O, come all ye that came before
 To help us with the churning,
 There's so much butter on the churn
 I cannot stop it turning!*

2. O quickly comes the butter now,
 The cream is growing thicker;
 I keep on turning faster yet
 To make it gather quicker.

Chorus

3. I put a blessing on the churn
 O look not ill upon it!
 O every one that may come in,
 Take part with me to turn it.

Chorus