

Listening: Home among the gum trees

- ▶ Listen to the song.
- ▶ Stop and listen again as much as you need.
- ▶ If you need it slower, click on the second one.
- ▶ Fill in the blanks with the missing words.



chair	gum trees	kangaroo	kitchen	place
possums	sing	street	tea	world

I've been around the _____

A couple of times or maybe more

I've seen the sights, I've had delights

On every foreign shore

But when my friends all ask me about

The _____ that I adore

I tell them right away



I'll be standing in the _____

Cooking up a roast

With Vegemite on toast

Just you and me, a cup of _____

And later on, we'll settle down

Beside the hitching post

And watch the _____ play

CHORUS

There's a Safeway on the corner

And a Woolworths down the _____

And a new one's just been opened up

Where they regulate the heat

But I'd trade them all tomorrow

For a simple bush retreat

Where the kookaburras _____

CHORUS

Some people like their houses built

With fences all around

Others live in mansions

And some beneath the ground

But me I love the bush you know

With lizards running round

And a pumpkin vine out the back



CHORUS:

Give me a home among the _____

With lots of plum trees

A sheep or two, a _____

A clothesline out the back

Verandah out the front

And an old rocking _____

