Look what joy his last trick brings!
Suspended from the rafters,
Back and forth the Jester swings

Floating there as if on wings
Hear the children’s laughter
Look what joy his last trick brings!

Cheers of mirth and pleasure ring
At his show’s final chapter
Back and forth the Jester swings

A show unlike they’ve ever seen
The fool’s turned blue! He’ll be remembered forever after
Look what joy his last trick brings!

His feet twitch in a silly jig—to this the women sing
The men stomp their feet in a raucous chatter
Back and forth the Jester swings

From their seats, each person springs
To applaud this divine disaster
Look what joy his last trick brings!
Back and forth the Jester swings