

# The Bare Necessities - The Jungle Book

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[Chorus: Baloo]

Look for the bare necessities  
The simple bare necessities  
Forget about your worries and your strife  
I mean the bare necessities  
Old Mother Nature's recipes  
That bring the bare necessities of life

[Verse 1: Baloo]

Wherever I wander, wherever I roam  
I couldn't be fonder of my big home  
The bees are buzzin' in the tree  
To make some honey just for me  
When you look under the rocks and plants  
And take a glance at the fancy ants  
Then maybe try a few

[Skit: Baloo, Mowgli & Bagheera]

You eat ants?  
Hahaha, you gotta believe it  
And you're gonna love the way they tickle  
Mowgli, look out!

[Pre-Chorus: Baloo & Mowgli]

The bare necessities of life will come to you (When?)  
They'll come to you

[Chorus: Baloo]

Look for the bare necessities  
The simple bare necessities  
Forget about your worries and your strife  
I mean the bare necessities  
That's why a bear can rest at ease  
With just the bare necessities of life

[Verse 2: Baloo & Mowgli]

Now when you pick a pawpaw  
Or a prickly pear (Ow!)  
And you prick a raw paw  
Well, next time beware  
Don't pick the prickly pear by the paw  
When you pick a pear  
Try to use the claw  
But you don't need to use the claw

When you pick a pear of the big pawpaw  
Have I given you a clue?  
(Golly, thanks Baloo!)

[Skit: Bagheera & Baloo]  
Paw-paw, ha! Of all the silly gibberish  
C'mon Baggy, get with the beat!

[Pre-Chorus: Baloo & Mowgli]  
The bare necessities of life will come to you  
(They'll come to me!)  
They'll come to you

[Interlude: Baloo & Mowgli]  
How about scratchin' that ol' left shoulder while you're up there, Mowgli?  
Now just a hair lower.. There, right there. That's it. Ahh..  
This is beautiful. That's good. Kid, we've got to get to a tree  
This calls for some big scratch!  
You're lots of fun, Baloo!  
Right on it.. Yeah! That's delicious! Oh, ooo! Just a little bit--  
Mmm.. yeah.. ha-ha.. ooo  
Mm... mmm... ha-ha.. ooo. yeah!  
Oh man, this is really livin'

[Bridge: Baloo]  
So just try and relax, yeah, cool it  
Fall apart in my backyard  
'Cause let me tell you something, little britches  
If you act like that bee acts, uh-uh  
You're working too hard  
And don't spend your time lookin' around  
For something you want that can't be found  
When you find out you can live without it  
And go along not thinkin' about it  
I'll tell you something true  
The bare necessities of life will come to you

[Skit: Bagheera & Baloo]  
Ahh.. I give up. Well I hope his luck holds out  
Mowgli, how 'bout you singing?

[Chorus: Baloo, Mowgli & Both]  
Look for the bare necessities  
The simple bare necessities  
Forget about your worries and your strife  
(Yeah, man!)  
I mean the bare necessities  
Old Mother Nature's recipes  
That bring the bare necessities of life

(Yeah!)

With just the bare necessities of life

Yeah, man!