

The Uterus Song

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1. Down in Flor-i-da,

Legislators pitched a fit — Don't say "Uterus!"

You can send our **kids** to war

While **watching** your investments soar — Don't say "Uterus!"

It's okay to say erectile dysfunction,

Spend taxes for Viagra — screw everyone

We're not going to pussyfoot, talking 'bout our precious parts —

We'll say "Uterus"

2. Ya **take** funds from Planned Parenthood,

Take **all** our rights if ya could — Don't say "Uterus!"

You **think** abortion is a sin

But **what's** that fetus **growing** in? — Don't say "Uterus!"

*We're **not** ashamed to **call** our parts their **right** names*

*We're mad as hell at men who play these **mind** games*

Now you best **protect** our rights, **say** it out **in** the light —

Celebrate... that word!

3. In Michigan, while talking laws,

The gavel dropped, the leader roared — Don't say "Vagina!"

I guess this is another word

We shouldn't say — How absurd! Don't say "Vagina!"

You're not afraid to touch it under covers,

Now listen to advice from your grandmothers:

End the wars! **Feed** the poor! **DO** what you're **elected** for!

Don't **fear** these words!

4. Here in our home state, our legislators say to us // Don't allow ABORTION!

Even forms of birth control, they want to own us body and soul// Don't allow ABORTION!

With ultrasounds and hurdles we're encumbered,

Planned Parenthood's free clinic days are numbered.

Women's bodies -- women's choice –

Women's health -- women's voice –

We'll claim these words!

UTERUS! VAGINA! CHOICE!