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My New Philosophy

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SALLY

"Why are you telling me?"

My new philosophy.

The teacher gave a "D" on last week's homework.

She said, "Miss Sally Brown,

Your grades are going down."

I could have told her...

SCHROEDER

You new philosophy?

SALLY

My new philosophy!

(spoken-as teacher)

Miss B?

(as herself)

I'm she

(as teacher)

Look see.

(as herself)

A "D?"

(as teacher)

A "D."

(as herself)

Well, why are telling me?

(sung)

And that's my new philosophy!

SCHROEDER

That's your new philosophy?

SALLY

My new philosophy!

Just like a busy bee,
Each new philosophy
Can fly from tree to tree and keep me moving.
When life's a dizzy maze,
On alternating days,
I choose a diff'rent phrase:
SCHROEDER
Your new philosophy?
SALLY
My new philosophy!

SCHROEDER (*spoken*)
Sally!
(*sung*)
Some philosophies are simple:
(*spoken*)
"Man does not eat by bread alone."
(*sung*)
Some philosophies are clear:
SALLY
"Leave your message at the sound of the tone."
BOTH (*sung*)
Some philosophies pick and choose
Deciding what goes in it.
SCHROEDER
Some take a lifetime,
SALLY
Mine take a minute.

It's like a guarantee.
My new philosophy.
And things are sure to be a whole ot brighter
"Oh, yeah? That's what you think!"

Now life is free and easy,
Much more philosophy-zy,
With my brand new...

And that's my new philosophy!