**“YES, WE CAN”** by Allen Toussaint

 as sung by Maria Muldaur, Bonnie Raitt & the Women’s Voices for Peace Choir

Now is the time
Now is the time for all good men
To get together with one another
Iron out our problems
And iron out our quarrels
And try to live as brothers

And try to find a piece within
Without stepping on one another
And do respect the women of the world
Just remember you all have mothers

Make this land a better land
Than the world in which we live
And help each man be a better man
With the kindness that you give

CHORUS

I know we can make it
I know darn well we can work it out
Oh yes we can, I know we can can
Yes we can can, why can't we
If we wanna get yes we can can
I know we can make it a world
I know we can make it if we try
Oh yes we can, I know we can can
Yes we can can, great, got your money
Yes we can, I know we can can

Take care of the children
The children of the world
They're our strongest hope for the future
The little bitty boys and girls

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 (Chorus repeats)