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"HAPPINESS WAS BORN A TWIN"

Whenever we hear someone play an instrument or give an item, jodelling, singing or whatever it might be, we lift our hearts for joy and admiration for their talents. Perhaps some of those persons endowed with God's gift don't even realize how much power they possess to stimulate a happy and pleasant atmosphere. However, someone said "Men of the noblest disposition think themselves happiest when others share their happiness with them. All who would win joy must share it; happiness was born a twin."

Songs and music are always at their best when every tune and note are in accord. Would it not be so if both the players and the listeners would share because shared joy is double joy.

To encourage and to foster musical and vocal talents should always be our aim whenever we discover it by chance or otherwise and we must be full of praise for anyone who possesses that great gift of God to make others happy.

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