

## **IT'S GOOD TO BE GREEK**

*by Aphrodite Matsakis*

It's good to be Greek  
Because there's music in my feet  
And when I hear the beat  
I jump to the floor  
and am depressed no more.

I dance and dance  
Until I go into a trance  
Where life is so delicious  
I smile and I cry.

And should I sigh  
Too long  
For what was lost  
In my personal holocaust  
Euripides and Sophocles are there  
To remind me that  
The Gods are seldom fair.

It's good to be Greek  
Because when there's music in the air  
I can't wait to dance to the beat.  
And should others laugh at me  
For acting like such a child  
Inside I chuckle and smile.

They just don't know  
That music keeps the spirit  
From growing old  
And that the rapture of dance  
Makes living a true romance.