## The Desert is Always Alive

Mourning doves sing 'good morning'
Saguaros wave 'hello' to the sun
Cactus wren shapes her nest in a cholla
Hummingbirds buzz songs to the flowers
Javelinas cuddle under bushes as a family
Cooper's hawk soars to find a feast

Sparrows chirp 'good afternoon'
Woodpecker pecks a hole in the saguaro
Lizards dart from hot rock to rock
Roadrunners scurry across the sand
Jackrabbit rests with her ears held high
Mesquites bring shade to all in need

Coyotes howl 'good night' to the moon

Packrats scurry to get away from talons

Kangaroo rats hop with gladness, collecting seeds

Bobcat flicks her soft short tail

Tarantula stretches her long fuzzy legs

Bats silently flap paper thin wings

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