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## **We're Rising Up! (One Billion Rising!)**

We're the Raging Grannies and we're here to take a stand, To keep choice free for women all across our mighty land.

We won't go back to hangers if our right to choose is banned!

We're Rising Up today!

**Chorus: No more rape and no more beatings.**

**Women rise! We're tired of pleading.**

**We're rising up to tell you that our bodies are our own;**

**We're Rising Up today!**

We stand here in [name your city] and wonder at the sad disgrace  
That women's rights might simply disappear without a trace.

We dance and sing and shout out loud to save the human race!

We're Rising Up today!

**Repeat Chorus**

What makes you think that you can take your liberties with us?

We're mothers, sisters, aunts and daughters, kickin' up a fuss.

Your violations end today, there's no more to discuss!

We're Rising Up today!

**Repeat Chorus**

We dance today for justice, and it's not just for the sport.

We own our bodies; we'll protect the rights for which we fought...

The right to step out unafraid; the freedom to abort.

We're Rising Up today!

**Repeat Chorus**