## March Month Marches In

March supposedly comes like a Lion

And makes its exit like a lamb. The coming of Spring makes life green again,

The Emerald Isle still is green.

St. Patrick brought new life to Ireland,

Gave them a new Spirit within.

St. Patrick's Day is celebrated in March,

Soon after Springtime will start.

A huge disaster hit Ireland it got a potato famine,

Lots of Irish set off for a new start in America.

Like Spring brings new life and turns things Green, In America the Irish found for what they dreamed.

Though not easy, they became citizens, they worked,

Paid taxes and chipped in.

Yes, they got but also gave back

A win, win situation in fact.

Like Spring brings new life, the Irish found in the USA, But also gave new life to America.

They received new life and returned new life,

Both sides satisfied.

Celebrated March 17 corn beef and cabbage eating,

Parade, bagpipes, Irish dancing.

Irish tenors will be singing, Irish eyes will be smiling

There will be some heart robbing.

March also is associated with being windy,

Great kite flying weather indeed.

You can use kites to do kite fishing.

During a thunderstorm Ben Franklin discovered electricity

In lightning.

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[It is interesting to note that the beginnings of spring and the newness it brings refreshes the human spirit and causes many to reconnect to spiritual issues of life ... and thus connections and parallels are made to Christ's coming, but His first and second. The contrast is unescapable as will be the spiritual event!

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