

Door No Key

Locked door no key,
One day I asked mama
Open door, mama said no
Boochi Gadu* behind door
Not safe for kids not anyone.

Locked door no key
Years later I asked Papa,
Open door, papa said no
Danger behind door
Not safe for kids not anyone.

Locked door no key
Years later I asked priest,
Open door, priest said no
Evil behind the door
Not safe for kids not anyone

Locked door no key
Years later teacher, asked I
Open door teacher said no
Ignorance behind door
Not safe for kids. not anyone

Locked door no key
Years later I asked preacher
Open door, preacher said no
Hell behind door
Not safe for kids ,not anyone

Locked door no key
Years later my son, asked

Open door, I said no
Bad things behind door
Not safe for kids, not anyone

Locked door no key
Decades later
Child asked, grandpa open door
I said no, no good behind door
Not safe for kids not anyone

It's just a door let me open
Not afraid want to know
The door, I opened
A bright day outside
People of many colors
Wore different, spoke many tongues
No evil, threat, hell or ignorance
Different ideas many good, some bad
No Boochi Gadu
The door is in our minds
The key in our hearts.

**Boochi Gadu: Boogey Man*