

Hydrogen Is Number One

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Hy - dro-gen is num - ber one!

He - li - um is num - ber two, and
So - di - um e - lev - en is. Mag-
Potass-i - um and cal - ci - um,
Rubid-i - um and stron-ti - um.
Row six starts with ce - si - um. Then
Haf - ni - um and tan - ta - lum.
Se - ven - th row it's fran - ci - um,

5 F G C G

just like that one row we do.
-ne - si - um at twelve does fizz. A -
scan - di - um, ti - tan - i - um. Lith - i - um is num - ber three, be -
Ytt - ri - um, zir con - i - um. Ni - lum - in - num, so bright and fine, at
fif - ty - six is ba - ri - um. The That was num - ber twen - ty - two. Va -
Tung - sten then and rhe - ni - um. o - bi - um, mo - lyb - de - num, tech -
fol - lowed then by ra - di - um. Ac - tin - i - um is eigh - ty - nine. Then

7 F G C G

-ry - li - um is four, you see.
thir - teen does its bril - liance shine.
-nad - i - um up next will do. Chro -
-ne - ti - um, ru - then - i - um. mi - um, man - ga - nese are next. Then
A long list. No time to sneeze! Rho - di - um, pal - lad - i - um,
-rid - i - um comes then for kicks. Lan - tha - num and ce - ri - um.
thor - i - um, next, is so fine. Plat - i - num's se - ven - ty - eight.
Pro - tac - tin - i - um is next. The

9 F G F G

Car - bon's six, oh, man a - live!
 Fif - teen phos - pho - rus sits on.
 i - ron, it is twen - ty - six.
 sil - ver, you've heard of that one.
 Then is prae - so - dy - mi - um.
 Gold's se - ven - ty - nine, no rate.
 next one, oh now, can you guess? U -

Ni - tro - gen is se - venth place.
 Sul - fur is num - ber six - teen. At
 Co - balt, nic - kel, cop - per, zinc, we're
 Cad - mi - um is four - ty - eight.
 Then comes ne - o - dy - mi - um,
 Mer - cu - ry so li - qui - dy.
 ran - i - um at nine - ty - two, the

11 F G C G

Ox - y - gen is num - ber eight.
 se - ven - teen it is chlo - rine.
 up to thir - ty now, I think.
 In - di - um and tin are great!
 fol - lowed by pro - meth - i - um. Sa -
 Thal - li - um, then lead, 'twould be. Bis -
 last one in our song we'll do, be -

Fluo - rine it is num - ber nine.
 And to fi - nish out this row,
 Gal - lium, ger - man - i - um.
 An - ti - mo - ny's, fif - ty - one,
 ma - ri - um, eu - ro - pi - um. The
 muth at eigh - ty - three is seen. Po -
 cause the rest, for what they're worth, do

13 F G C G

Ne - on at ten sits so fine.
 ar - gon at eight - een does show.
 Ar - sen - ic, se - len - i - um.
 and, you see, this is so fun! Tel -
 next is gad - o - li - ni - um.
 -lo - ni - um, then as - ta - tine. At
 not ex - ist u - pon our earth. Cre -

That com - pletes the se - cond row. Be
 On - ly eight, that was ea - sy. The
 Bro - mine and kryp - ton, you know, at
 lur - i - um and I - o - dine. Xe -
 Now we'll sneak in some more lines,
 eigh - ty - six it is ra - don, and
 at - ed ar - ti - fi - cial - ly, they

♩ = 85

Refrain:

15 F G C G F G C G

rea - dy, though, there's more to go. But as we con - tin - ue through, don't for - get this

next row, though, will long - er be.

thir - ty six kills off this row.

non's the last one on this line.

just to do the lan - tha - nides

fin - 'ly now row six is done!

va - nish al - most in - stant - ly. if you

Verse 5 only

19 F G C F G C G

fact so true: Hy - dro - gen is num - ber one!

Insert after verse 5 before refrain:
Ter - bi - um, dis - pro - si - um, then

24 F G C G F G

hol - mi - um and er - bi - um. Thu - li - um, yt - ter - bi - um, se - ven - ty - one lu - te - ti - um.

27 C G F G

Those com - plete the lan - tha - nides, but lots more in row six re - side!