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# Laughter Is An Egg

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There are no less than 49 laughter-bites on this unusual cassette. For John Agard words and performance go together - the whole is an arresting and magical blend of chanting, incantation, charms, spells and rhythms with haunting music provided by gato drum, ocarina, flutes, pan pipes and penny whistle. There's also an atmospheric and seductive calypso theme. He explores the magic of laughter from 'jokes on toast' to the sad clown's clowning wife, through ballads, riddles and myth. Powerful listening.

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