

**Title : Rasa Sayang**

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**Lyricist : Dick Lee**

**DEVI, SITI, OSMAN, GIRLY, BEE**

Rasa sayang, eh  
Rasa sayang, sayang, eh  
Eh lihat nona jauh  
Rasa sayang sayang, eh  
Sayang!

**GIRLY**

Once upon a time there were only trees  
And a lion or two enjoying the breeze  
Then a boat arrived one sunny day  
And human beings were here to stay

**BEE**

The king of the jungle couldn't really complain  
He got the whole damned island named after him  
And as for the lions here's news for you  
You can see their descendants at the Mandai Zoo

**GIRLY**

The island since has come very far  
All thanks to the man named

**ALL**

Utama!

**BEE**

No, we couldn't forget him, if we tried.  
And what about Raffles?

**ALL**

We love that guy!

**GIRLY**

So, here we are having so much fun  
Can hardly believe this was a jungle once

**BEE**

Sometimes I can still hear the lion's roar

Going Singa - Singa -

**ALL**

- pore!

**BEE**

Yi, er, san

**ALL**

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Eh lihat nona jauh

Rasa sayang sayang, eh

Hoi!

**DEVI**

Now we can explain in a little while

This is not your ordinary tropical isle

Everything we have has to be the best

Of the fabulous east and the wonderful west

**OSMAN**

Of all the things we've got that's good

At the top of everybody's list is

**ALL**

Food!

**DEVI**

We got prata,

**GIRLY**

Mee pok - so sedap!

**SITI**

What about the ketupat at the satay club?

**BEE**

If no chye tau kway, then gai fan lor

**DEVI**

Eat till you faint so cheap, some more

**OSMAN**

Ya, the best thing has to be the price

**BEE**

Singapore's my Fried Rice Paradise!

**SITI**

We can eat, eat, eat, till we nearly drop

**DEVI**

Then we all get up, and we

**ALL**

Shop, shop, shop!

**DEVI**

And if you asked us how we rate this place,  
We'll just say this:

**ALL**

It's great!

**DEVI**

Oona, renda, moona

**ALL**

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Rasa sayang sayang, eh  
Hoi!

**SITI**

Let's talk about work: it's quite okay

**OSMAN**

Life here's like a holi-holi-day!  
We take things easy, there's no big rush  
Unless the people upstairs make a fuss

**SITI**

We work, then makan, watch movie

**OSMAN**

What for? CC got free TV.

**SITI**

We window shop at night market

**OSMAN**

Lucky Plaza got free toilet

**SITI**

Life is tough, but we can't complain  
At least we're not sleeping in the drain

**BEE**

Life is really fine for me  
When I've got my friends and family

**GIRLY**

Success to us quite simply means  
There is such a thing as a Singapore Dream

**OSMAN**

Oi, why you all dowan to say  
You just want lots of money, leh!

**SITI**

Satu, dua, tiga

**ALL**

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