

THE SNAIL

Song Play

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Open circle facing center, hands joined,
leader at right.

SONG

Measures

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| 1 - 4 | Let's join hands and make a shell, |
| 5 - 8 | A place for our snail to dwell. |
| 9 - 12 | Round and round we'll creep and sing, |
| 13 - 16 | Closer, closer wind each ring, |
| 17 - 20 | Here's your house we built it well, |
| 21 - 24 | Little snail crawl in your shell. |

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| 1 - 4 | Little snail now turn about, |
| 5 - 8 | Find a hole and lead us out. |
| 9 - 12 | Round and round we'll creep and sing, |
| 13 - 16 | Winding out of every ring, |
| 17 - 20 | Little snail we're out in time, |
| 21 - 24 | Here we are back in our line. |

ACTION

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| 1 - 24 | LEADER WINDS the group into a close spiral,
finishing in center, "a little snail within a shell". |
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| 1 - 24 | LEADER reverses direction and UNWINDS THE
SPIRAL, finishing in original open circle forma-
tion. |
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The leader may also find a hole and tunnel out
under any pairs of upraised hands.

Repeat the entire song play with child at left end
of line leading.