

Full Score - sample

Vacation Song

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♩ = 152

1. My

5. F C7 F

moth - er went on va - ca - tion to a warm and sun - ny land. She

2. father... 3. brother... 4. sister... 5. (I) did not have a vacation... 6. (I) wrote to all my relations...

9. C7 F

went for some re - lax - a - tion and end - ed up in a Mar - im - ba band.

13. B^b F * Instrumental improvisation C F B^b

She plays like this. * She plays like that. * She plays like

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Duration: approx. 3:12

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My mother went on vacation to a warm and sunny land.
She went for some relaxation and ended up in a marimba band.

She plays like this. * She plays like that. *
She plays like this. * I wonder when she's coming back!

My father went on vacation to a cold and windy place.
His beard froze into icicles all hanging down from off his face.

He plays like this. * He plays like that. *
He plays like this. * I wonder when he's coming back!

My brother went on vacation to see the African gazelles.
He gave up his occupation to devote himself to playing bells.

He plays like this. * He plays like that. *
He plays like this. * I wonder when he's coming back!

My sister went on vacation to an island in the sun.
She says she'll stay there forever

because she's having so much fun!

She plays like this. * She plays like that. *
She plays like this. * I wonder when she's coming back!

I did not have a vacation, they would not let me go.
To fill my time and keep busy, I learned to play the bongos.

I play like this. * I play like that. *
I play like this. * I wish they'd all come back!

I wrote to all my relations who were so far away.
I said, "Please come back and see me,
we'll get together and play."

We play like this. * We play like that. *
We play like this. * I'm glad they all came back!

Day-o! Day-o! Day-o! I'M GLAD THEY ALL CAME BACK!
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* Instrumental improvisation

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