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Splashing in the Puddles

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♩ = 138 Swing the eighths $\text{♪} = \overset{\text{3}}{\text{♩}}$

F Dm⁷ G⁷ C⁷ F Dm⁷ G⁷ C⁷

The piano introduction consists of two systems of music. The first system has four measures with chords F, Dm7, G7, and C7. The second system has four measures with chords F, Dm7, G7, and C7. The melody is in the right hand, and the bass line is in the left hand.

5 F Gm⁷ C

The vocal line for the first system starts at measure 5. It features a melody in the right hand with lyrics underneath. The chords F, Gm7, and C are indicated above the staff.

1. Splash - ing in the pud - dles, _____ run - ning through the rain - drops, _____
 2. When we're go - ing swim - ming _____ in the days of sum - mer _____
 3. You can't stop the rain - drops _____ or con - trol the weath - er. _____

The piano accompaniment for the first system continues from measure 5. It features a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.

1. Splash - ing in the pud - dles,
 2. When we're go - ing swim - ming
 3. You can't stop the rain - drops

The piano accompaniment for the second system continues from measure 5. It features a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.

8 Gm⁷ C F

The vocal line for the second system starts at measure 8. It features a melody in the right hand with lyrics underneath. The chords Gm7, C, and F are indicated above the staff.

_____ does - n't real - ly mat - ter _____ if it
 _____ and a show - er comes a - long, _____ , it
 _____ Don't let rain - y weath - er _____ make you

run - ning through the rain - drops,
 in the days of sum - mer
 or con - trol the weath - er.

does - n't real - ly mat - ter _____
 and a show - er comes a - long,
 Don't let rain - y weath - er _____

The piano accompaniment for the third system continues from measure 8. It features a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.

11 Gm7 C Gm7 C F

sprin - kles or it pours. _____ I put on my rain - coat, _____
 pays not to for - get; _____ from the sky a - bove or _____
 grum - py, sad, or blue. _____ Get out your um - brel - la, _____

if it sprin - kles or it pours.
 it pays not to for - get;
 make you grum - py, sad, or blue.

14 Gm7 C Gm7 C

_____ go and find some pud - dles. _____
 _____ in a lake of wa - ter, _____
 _____ put on your ga - losh - es. _____

I put on my rain - coat,
 from the sky a - bove or
 Get out your um - brel - la,

go and find some pud - dles.
 in a lake of wa - ter,
 put on your ga - losh - es.

17 Gm7 C F Dm7

Is - n't that what rub - ber boots are for, I ask you?
 is - n't the i - de - a to get wet, I ask you?
 There is al - ways some - thing you can do, I tell you.

19 Gm7 C7 F unison C7

Some folks pout when

Is - n't that what rub - ber boots are for?
 is - n't the i - de - a to get wet?
 There is al - ways some - thing you can do.

22 F Dm7 Gm7 C7 F

rain - y weath - er comes their way and some folks sing, "Rain come back some oth - er day."

Splashing in the Puddles

Splashing in the puddles, running through the raindrops,
 doesn't really matter if it sprinkles or it pours.
 I put on my raincoat, go and find some puddles.
 Isn't that what rubber boots are for, I ask you?
 (Isn't that what rubber boots are for?)

Chorus:

**Some folks pout when rainy weather comes their way
 And some folks sing, "Rain come back some other day."
 Some folks think their plans are ruined by the rain
 But I just say, "I think I'll get my boots,"
 And I go out to play.
 (doot doo doo doo doo doo doo doo)**

When we're going swimming in the days of summer
 and a shower comes along, it pays not to forget;
 From the sky above or in a lake of water,
 Isn't the idea to get wet, I ask you?
 (Isn't the idea to get wet?)

Chorus

You can't stop the raindrops or control the weather.
 Don't let rainy weather make you grumpy, sad, or blue.
 Get out your umbrella, put on your galoshes.
 There is always something you can do, I tell you.
 (There is always something you can do.)

Chorus

You can't stop the raindrops or control the weather.
 Don't let rainy weather make you grumpy, sad, or blue.
 Get out your umbrella, put on your galoshes.
 There is always something you can do.

Rainy days, rainy days, rainy days
 don't make me blue. Do doo doo doo doo doo doo!

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