

# Bring Me Back My Lovin' Honey Boy

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Moderato

Piano introduction in G major, 2/4 time. The right hand features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes and chords, while the left hand provides a steady bass line. The tempo is marked 'Moderato' and the dynamics start with a forte 'f'.

Piano accompaniment for the first vocal line. The right hand has a melodic line with some grace notes, and the left hand continues the bass line. Dynamics include 'p' (piano) and 'f' (forte). The tempo remains 'Moderato'.

Oh,  
Oh,

Piano accompaniment for the second vocal line. The right hand has a melodic line with some grace notes, and the left hand continues the bass line. Dynamics include 'p' (piano) and 'f' (forte). The tempo remains 'Moderato'.

list - en Mis - ter Cap - tan of the Hen - ry Clay, I'm  
Cap - tan, won't you send my hon - ey boy a - shore? Oh,

Piano accompaniment for the third vocal line. The right hand has a melodic line with some grace notes, and the left hand continues the bass line. Dynamics include 'p' (piano) and 'f' (forte). The tempo remains 'Moderato'.

got to tell you some - thin' 'fore you sail a - way I  
Cap - tan, let me kiss my an - gel child some more! The

love to see that big boat plow-in' down that stream, I love to hear the mel-o-dies the  
kiss-es from his lips have such a teas-in' taste, And I've just got to tell him they're too

whis-tles scream. But you're tak-in' some-thing from me that I prize It  
good to waste. Hel-lo there! hon-ey boy, you come on o-ver here Come,

ain't no cot-ton, Cap-tain, 'taint no mer-CHAN-dise It's my man so  
kiss me long and lov-in' if it takes a year! Come back soon, my

dear to me, Please mis-ter Cap-tain, hear my plea:  
lit-tle pet, And, Good-bye, Cap-tain, don't for-get!

CHORUS *p-f*      lov - in' hon-ey boy!      lov - in' hon-ey boy!

Bring me back my lov - in' hon-ey boy

ba - by bunch of joy      ba - by bunch of joy

Bring me back my ba - by bunch of joy

Watch him like you would your child,      If you lose him, I'll go wild, Be-cause I

love him, love him, Good-ness! how I love him, my hon-ey boy.

(Trombone obligato)

Cap-tain I'll be wait-ing on the le - vee night and day

Ev - 'ry time I hear a whis-tle I'll get down and pray For the

boat that's got my lov-in' man a-board On my knees I'm goin' to ask the Lord!

Bring me back my lov - in' hon-ey boy! boy!