

THE HANGING TREE

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"THE HANGING TREE"

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INTRODUCING BEN PIAZZA

Screenplay by WENDELL MAYES and HALSTED WELLES

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Tune Ukulele
G C E A

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Moderato, with a steady rhythm

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand plays a series of chords in a steady, rhythmic pattern, while the left hand provides a simple bass line. The tempo is marked 'Moderato, with a steady rhythm' and the dynamics are 'mf'.

The first line of the song features a vocal melody with lyrics: "I came to town to search for gold, And I there were men who craved my gold, And". The piano accompaniment continues with a steady rhythm. Chord diagrams for Eb, Bb7, and Eb are shown above the vocal line.

The second line of the song features a vocal melody with lyrics: "brought with me a mem-o-ry, And I seemed to hear meant to take my gold from me, When a man is gone". The piano accompaniment continues with a steady rhythm. Chord diagrams for Eb, Bb7, C7, and Fm are shown above the vocal line.

The third line of the song features a vocal melody with lyrics: "the night-wind cry, 'Go hang your dreams on THE HANGING TREE, your he needs no gold, So they car-ried me to THE HANGING TREE to". The piano accompaniment continues with a steady rhythm. Chord diagrams for Fm, Gm, Ab, and Eb are shown above the vocal line.

✠ For professional use: Raise the key one half tone at each cross (✠).

*Symbols for Guitar and Banjo, Frames for Ukulele

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Ab Eb Bb7

dreams of love that could nev - er be, Hang your fad - ed dreams
 join my dreams and a mem - o - ry, Yes, they car - ried me

Bb7 Fm Eb Bb7

— on THE HANG - ING TREE. I searched for gold and I
 to THE HANG - ING TREE. To real - ly live you must

Eb Bb7

found my gold, And I found a girl who loved just me,
 al - most die, And it hap - pened just that way with me,

Bb7 C7 Fm Gm

— And I wished that I could love her too, But I'd
 — They took the gold and set me free, And I

Ab Eb Ab Eb

left my heart on THE HANG - ING TREE, I'd left my heart with a mem - o - ry,
 walked a - way from THE HANG - ING TREE, I walked a - way from THE HANG - ING TREE,

Chords: Eb, Bb7, 1. Fm, Eb

And a fad - ed dream on THE HANG-ING TREE. Now
 And my own true love she

Chords: 2. Fm, Eb, Ab, Gm

walked with me. That's when I knew that THE HANG-ING TREE

Chords: Gm, Ab, Eb

Was a tree of life, new life for me, A

Chords: Ab, Eb, Ab, Eb

tree of hope, new hope for me, a tree of love, new love for me, THE HANG-ING TREE, THE

Chords: Ab, C7, Fm, Bb7, Eb

HANG-ING TREE, THE HANG-ING TREE.

sfz
gva