

MOCKIN' BIRD HILL

(TRA-LA LA TWITTLE DEE DEE DEE)

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Fast Waltz

Piano

mp

The piano introduction is in 3/4 time, marked 'Fast Waltz' and 'Piano' with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic. It features a simple waltz melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand, both in the key of G major.

Verse

1. When the sun in the morn-in' peeps o - ver the hill And kiss-es the
2. Got a three-cor-nered plow and an a - cre to till And a kiss-es the l
3. When it's late in the eve-ning I climb up the hill And sur - vey all my

G C D7

mp

The first system of the verse includes the vocal melody and piano accompaniment. The vocal line has three verses of lyrics. The piano accompaniment is in G major, with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic. Chords G, C, and D7 are indicated above the staff.

ros - es 'round my win - dow sill; Then my heart fills with glad - ness when
bought for a ten dol - lar bill; There's a tum - ble - down shack and a
king - dom while ev - 'ry - thing's still; On - ly me and the sky and an

G

The second system continues the verse with two verses of lyrics. The piano accompaniment continues in G major. A G chord is indicated above the staff.

I hear the trill Of the birds in the tree - tops on MOCK - IN' BIRD HILL.
rust - y ol' mill, But it's my Home Sweet Home up on MOCK - IN' BIRD HILL.
ol' whip-poor-will, Sing-in' songs in the twi - light on MOCK - IN' BIRD HILL.

C D7 G

The third system concludes the verse with three verses of lyrics. The piano accompaniment continues in G major. Chords C, D7, and G are indicated above the staff.

Chorus

G C G C G

TRA - LA LA TWIT-TLE-DEE DEE DEE, it gives me a thrill To

mf

D7 G C G

wake up in the morn - in' to the mock - in' bird's trill; TRA - LA

G C G C G

LA TWIT-TLE-DEE DEE DEE, there's peace and good will; You're

D7 G

wel - come as the flow - ers on MOCK - IN' BIRD HILL. 1-2 *Fine* *G*

2. Got a HILL.
3. When its

D.S. al Fine *rit.*