

The Rose of Alabama

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THE ROSE OF ALABAMA

Words by S. S. Steele sung by
A. F. WINNEMORE & HIS BAND OF SERENADERS
ARRANGED FOR THE
Piano Forte.

Boston GEO. P. REED Tremont Row.

With Spirit.

Musical notation for the piano introduction, consisting of two staves (treble and bass clef) in 2/4 time, key of D major. The music is marked 'With Spirit.' and features a rhythmic melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand.

A way from Missis... sip... pi's vale, Wid my ole hat dar for a sail, I

Musical notation for the first vocal line, including a treble staff with the melody and a piano accompaniment in the bass staff.

cross'd up... on a cot... ton bale, To Rose ob Al... a... ba... ma.

Musical notation for the second vocal line, including a treble staff with the melody and a piano accompaniment in the bass staff.

Oh, brown Ro... sey, De Rose ob Al... a... ba... ma, A

Musical notation for the third vocal line, including a treble staff with the melody and a piano accompaniment in the bass staff.

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sweet to...bac...co posey Is de Rose of Al...a...ba...ma A

sweet to...bac...co po-sey Is de Rose of Al...a...ba...ma.

Repeat
1st
Symphony

2
I landed on de sand bank,
I sat upon a holler plank,
An' dare I made the banjo twank,
For Rose ob Alabama.
Oh, brown Rosey, etc.

3
Oh, arter d'reckley, by an' bye,
De moon rose white as Rosey's eye,
Den like a young coon out so sly,
Stole Rose ob Alabama.
Oh, brown Rosey, etc.

4
I axe her set down whar she please,
So cross my legs she took her ease,
"Its good to go upon de knees,"
Says Rose ob Alabama.
Oh, brown Rosey, etc.

5
De river rolled, de crickets sing,
De lightnin' bug he flash'd his wing,
And like a rope my arms I fling
Round Rose of Alabama.
Oh brown Rosey etc.

6
I hug so long I cannot tell,
For Rosey seemed to like it well,
My banjo in de river fell,
Oh Rose ob Alabama.
Oh brown Rosey etc.

7
Like alligator arter prey,
I plunge in, but it float away,
But all de time it seemed to say,
"Oh, Rose ob Alabam."
Oh, brown Rosey, etc.

8
And ev'ry night in moon or shower,
To hunt dat banjo for an hour,
I meet my sweet tobacco flower,
My Rose ob Alabama.
Sing, oh, brown Rosey, etc.

