

IF THAT'S YOUR IDEA OF A WONDERFUL TIME ~ TAKE ME HOME

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Valse moderato

The piano introduction is in 3/4 time, key of B-flat major. It begins with a forte (f) dynamic. The right hand features a series of chords and eighth-note patterns, while the left hand provides a steady bass line with quarter notes and eighth notes.

John-ny took Ger-ald-ine out one
John-ny looked fool-ish and said "My

§ Till ready

The first line of the song features a vocal melody in the treble clef and piano accompaniment in the grand staff. The piano part is marked piano (p) and consists of a simple harmonic accompaniment. The lyrics are: "John-ny took Ger-ald-ine out one John-ny looked fool-ish and said 'My".

night to show her a won-der-ful time, _____ When they sat down in a
dear the eve-ning has on-ly be-gun, _____ I'll take you down to a

The second line of the song continues the vocal melody and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "night to show her a won-der-ful time, _____ When they sat down in a dear the eve-ning has on-ly be-gun, _____ I'll take you down to a".

Ca - bar - et, He bought two ci - gars for a dime. _____
pic - ture show, Where we'll have a bar-rel of fun. _____

The third line of the song concludes the vocal melody and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "Ca - bar - et, He bought two ci - gars for a dime. _____ pic - ture show, Where we'll have a bar-rel of fun. _____".

"Bring us a cou - ple of sod - as John - ny cried" when the
I know the fel - low who owns the place, I'll ask him to

wai - ter drew near, _____ Af - ter an hour _____ Miss
pass us in - side, _____ Ger - ald - ine looked in - to

Ger - ald - ine whis - pered in John - ny's ear. _____
John - ny's face shak - ing her head she cried: _____

CHORUS

If that's your i - dea of a won - der - ful time take me home, _____ Take me

p-f

home, _____ I want you to know that I'm chok-ing _____ From that five cent ci -

gar that you're smok-ing, _____ You came out with a one dol-lar bill,

You've got eigh-ty cents left of it still, If that's your i - dea of a

won-der-ful time take me home. _____ If home. _____

1. 2. D.S.