

I Got Plenty O' Nuttin'

(Chorus For Mixed Voices)

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Allegretto

Piano

The piano introduction is in 4/4 time, marked 'Allegretto'. It features a lively melody in the right hand with eighth and sixteenth notes, and a supporting bass line in the left hand. The piece begins with a forte (f) dynamic and includes a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand towards the end.

SOPRANO

Oh, I got plen - ty o' nut - tin', — An'
I got plen - ty o' nut - tin', — An'

ALTO

Oh, I got plen - ty o' nut - tin', — An'
I got plen - ty o' nut - tin', — An'

TENOR

Oh, I got plen - ty o' nut - tin', — An'
I got plen - ty o' nut - tin', — An'

BASS

Oh, I got plen - ty o' nut - tin', — An'
I got plen - ty o' nut - tin', — An'

The piano accompaniment for the vocal chorus consists of two staves. The right hand plays a series of chords, mostly triads, while the left hand provides a steady bass line. The dynamics are marked 'dim.' (diminuendo) and 'p' (piano). The section concludes with a repeat sign.

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marcato

nut - tin's plen - ty fo' me. I got no car, got no mule, I
 nut - tin's plen - ty fo' me. I got the sun, got the moon,

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 nut - tin's plen - ty fo' me. I got the sun, got the moon,

got no mis - er - y. De folks wid plen - ty o' plen - ty
 Got the deep blue sea. De folks wid plen - ty o' plen - ty

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 Got the deep blue sea. De folks wid plen - ty o' plen - ty

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 Got the deep blue sea. De folks wid plen - ty o' plen - ty

Got a lock-on de door,— 'Fraid some-bod-y's a - go - in' to rob 'em while dey's
 Got to pray-all de day,— Seems wid plen-ty you sure got to wor-ry how to

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out a mak - in' more. _____ What for? _____
 keep the deb-ble a - way, _____ A - way. _____

out a mak - in' more. _____ What for, what
 keep the deb-ble a - way, _____ A - way, a -

out a mak - in' more. _____ What for, what
 keep the deb-ble a - way, _____ A - way, a -

out a mak - in' more. _____ What for, what
 keep the deb-ble a - way, _____ A - way, a -

for? -way. Hum Hum

for? -way. I got no lock on de door, dat's no way to be
I ain't a - fret - tin' 'bout hell Till de time ar - rive.

for? -way. I got no lock on de door, dat's ho way to be
I ain't a - fret - tin' 'bout hell Till de time ar - rive.

marcato e
Hum Hum 'Cause de things dat I to be good, to be

marcato e
Hum Hum 'Cause de things dat I to be good, to be

marcato e
Dey kin steal de rug from de floor, — Dat's o-keh wid me, 'Cause de things dat I
Nev-er wor-ry long as I'm well, — Nev-er one to strive to be good, to be

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marcato e

cresc. *p*

prize, Like de stars in de skies, are all free. — Oh, I got plen-ty o'
 bad, What the hell? I is glad I's a - live. — Oh, I got plen-ty o'

cresc. *p*

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cresc. *f* *p* *8va.....*

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nut - tin', — An' nut-tin's plen - ty fo' me. I got my gal,
 nut - tin', — An' nut-tin's plen - ty fo' me. I got my gal,

got my song, got Heb-ben the whole day long.
got my song, got Heb-ben the whole day long.

got my song, got Heb-ben the whole day long.
got my song, got Heb-ben the whole day long.

(spoken in a high voice)
No use com-plain-in!
No use com-plain-in!

Got Heb-ben the whole day long.
Got Heb-ben the whole day long.

Got my gal,
Got my gal,
Got my gal,
Got my gal,

Got my Lawd,
Got my Lawd,

1. *rall.*
 Lawd, Got my song. ————— D.S.

rall.
 Lawd, Got my song. ————— D.S.

rall.
 Lawd, Got my song. ————— D.S.

rall.
 — Got my song. ————— D.S.

f rall. *poco rit.* *f a tempo* D.S.

2. *rall. cresc. ed animato*
 Lawd, Got my song. —————

rall. cresc. ed animato
 Lawd, Got my song. —————

rall. cresc. ed animato
 Lawd, Got my song. —————

rall. cresc. ed animato
 — Got my song. —————

f rall. cresc. ed animato