

To MEL HENDRICKSON
As recorded by MANHATTAN TRANSFER

Java Jive

For Mixed Chorus (SATB) with Piano, Guitar, Percussion and Electric or String Bass

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Soprano 5 *mf*

Alto *mf* I love cof - fee, I love tea, —

Tenor *mf* I love cof - fee, I love tea, —

Bass *mf* I love cof - fee, I love tea, —

I love cof - fee, I love tea, —

I love the Ja - va jive and it loves me. — Cof - fee and tea — and the

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10 (whisper)

jiv - in' and me, — a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup! Boy! —

(whisper)

jiv - in' and me, — a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup! Boy! —

jiv - in' and me, — a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup!

jiv - in' and me, — a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup!

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cup, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup! Oo

cup, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup! Oo

cup, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup! Oo

cup, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup! So slip me a slug from that

won-der-ful mug and I'll cut a rug till I'm snug in the jug. A

[29]

f draw one,—

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slice) of) on - ion on a raw one,—

[30]

mf I love cof - fee, I love tea,—

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(Solo voice if desired) (end Solo)

opt. wait - er, wait - er, per - co - la - tor! I love cof - fee, I love tea,—

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[35] (whisper)

jiv - in' and me,— a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup! Boy!—

(whisper)

jiv - in' and me,— a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup! Boy!—

jiv - in' and me,— a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup!

jiv - in' and me,— a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup!

f Soy - beans, —
f Soy - beans, —
f Soy - beans, —
f Bos - ton beans, — I said the it - ty, bit - ty ~~it - ty~~ green-beans.

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cab-bage and greens. — Oo, wah, oo, wah. —
 cab-bage and greens. — Oo, wah, oo, wah. —
 cab-bage and greens. — Oo, wah, oo, wah. —
 You know that I'm not keen with - out a bean — un -

(Solo)

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Talk it boy!
 (Optional Solo or section)
f I love ja - va
 less it is a cheer-y cof - fee bean.

mp

(sigh) Yeh!

(optional Solo or section)

f whoops! Mis - ter Mo - to, I'm a cof - fee pot. —
 sweet and hot, — whoops! Mis - ter Mo - to, I'm a cof - fee pot. — Ya

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shoot me the pot, and I'll pour me a shot, a cup, a cup, a cup, a

decresc.

(Optional Solo or section)
f Oo slip me a slug from that
mf (end Solo) dat zam maz - za.

[55]

(optional)
 won - der - ful mug and I'll cut a rug that's snug in a jug. Drop

f Ta - kin' it slow.
 (end Solo)
 your nick - el in my pot, Joe.
f Ta - kin' it slow.
f Ta - kin' it slow.

[60]

Wait - er, wait - er, per - co - la - tor! I love

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[65]

it loves me. Cof - fee and tea and the

it loves me. Cof - fee and tea and the

it loves me. Cof - fee and tea and the

it loves me. Oh I love cof - fee and tea and the

jiv - in' and me, a cup, a cup, a cup, a cup. Boy!

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