

# Sit down you're rockin' the boat

Frank Loesser  
(from 'Guys & Dolls')

Now who would like to start the ball rolling by giving testimony?

**A**

$\text{♩} = 100$

DW *I dreamed last night I got on the boat to Heav-en And by some chance I had*

Cl.

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DW *brought my dice a long, And there I stood and I hol-lered,"Some-one fade me,But the pas-sen-gers they knew right from*

Cl.

10 **B**  $\text{♩} = 100$  (All)

Gm C G7

DW *wrong. For the peo-ple all said,"Sit down,— sit down— you're rock-in'the boat." The*

Cl.

15 (DW)

DW *peo-ple all said,"Sit down— sit down— you're rock-in'the boat;— And the de-vil will drag you un*

Cl.

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DW *- der By the sharp la - pel— of your check-ered coat;— Sit down,*

23 (All)

DW *— sit down,— sit down,— sit down,— Sit down— you're rock - in' the boat."*

26 **C**  $\text{♩} = 100$  E7

DW *I*

Cl.

31 **D**

DW  
sailed a - way on that lit - tle boat to Heav-en And by some chance found a bot - tle in my fist, And

A.  
Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ Ooh \_\_\_\_\_

35 rit. Gm C G<sup>7</sup>

DW  
there I stood nice-ly pas-sin' out the whis-key, But the pas sen-gers were bound to re - sist. *For the*

A.  
Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ Ooh Ooh Ooh

Cl.  
\_\_\_\_\_

39 **E** ♩=100

DW  
peo-ple all said, "Be-ware \_\_\_\_\_ you're on \_\_\_\_\_ a heav-en-ly trip." Peo-ple all said, "Be-ware \_\_\_\_\_ be-ware

Cl.  
\_\_\_\_\_

45

DW  
\_\_\_\_\_ you'll scut-tle the ship. \_\_\_\_\_ And the de-vil will drag you un - der By the fan - cy tie 'round your

A.  
Sit down! \_\_\_\_\_

Cl.  
\_\_\_\_\_

50

DW  
wick-ed throat; Sit down, \_\_\_\_\_ sit down, sit down, \_\_\_\_\_ sit down. Sit down \_\_\_\_\_ you're rock-in'the boat." \_\_\_\_\_ And

A.  
sit down, sit down, \_\_\_\_\_ sit down. Sit down \_\_\_\_\_ you're rock-in'the boat." \_\_\_\_\_ Down. \_\_\_\_\_

v3 \_\_\_\_\_

V.S.

Crazy laughter

56 **F** ♩=100

DW as I laughed at those pas-sen-gers to Heav-en A great big wave came and washed me ov - er-board, And

A. Ooh\_\_\_\_\_ Ooh\_\_\_\_\_

Cl. \_\_\_\_\_

60 rit.

DW as I sank, and I hol-lered,"Some-one save me,"That's the mo-ment I woke up, thank the Lord.

A. Ooh\_\_\_\_\_ Ooh\_\_\_\_\_ Ooh\_\_\_\_\_

Cl. \_\_\_\_\_ rit.

65 **G** ♩=100

DW And I said to my-self,"Sit down\_\_\_ sit down\_\_\_ you're rock-in'the boat."

Cl. \_\_\_\_\_

DW Said to my-self,"Sit down\_\_\_ sit down\_\_\_ you're rock-in'the boat. And the dev-il will drag you un

A. \_\_\_\_\_

Cl. \_\_\_\_\_

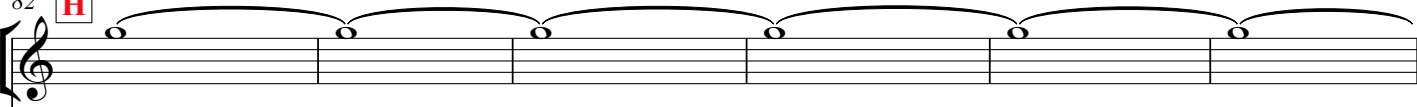
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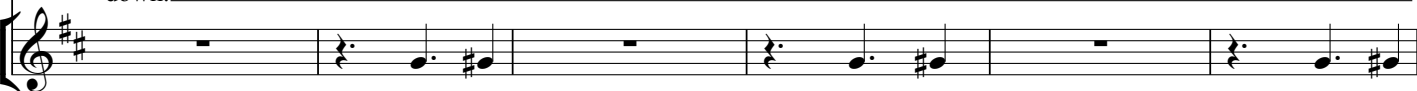
DW - der With a soul so heav-y you'd nev-er float; Sit down,\_\_\_ sit down, sit down,\_\_\_ sit down. Sit

A. dev-il will drag you un - der. sit down, sit down,\_\_\_ sit down.---

Cl. \_\_\_\_\_

82 **H**

DW 

Cl. 

down.

88

DW 

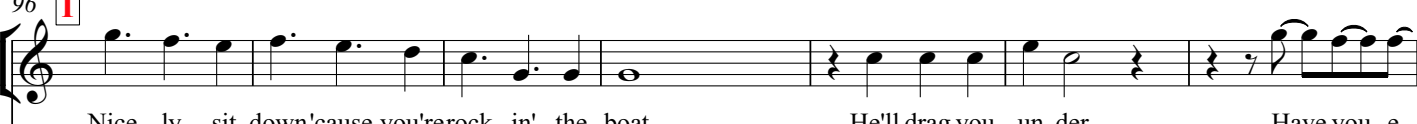
A. 


Cl. 

down. Sit down. Oh

down, sit down, sit down, sit down, sit down. (Oh!!) Said to my-self, sit down.

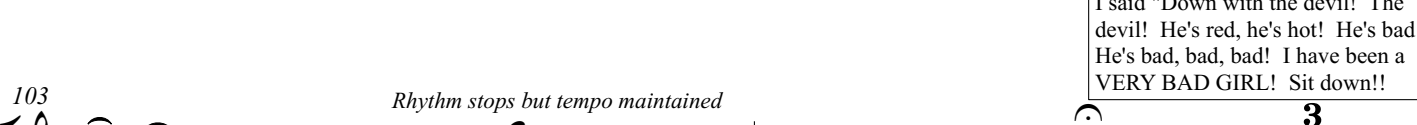
96 **I**

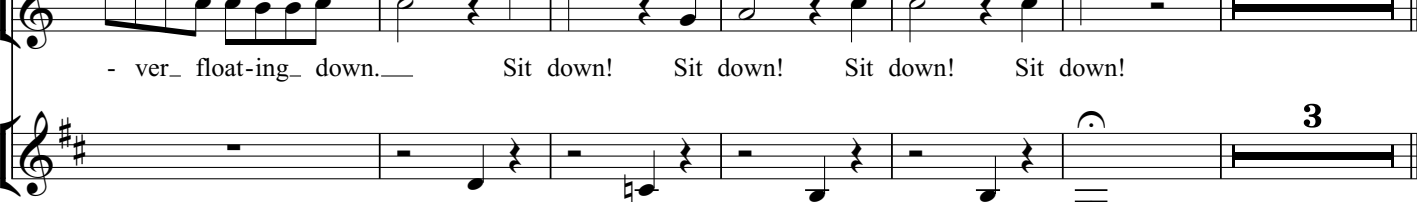
DW 

Cl. 

Nice - ly sit down 'cause you're rock - in' the boat. He'll drag you un - der, Have you e -

103 *Rhythm stops but tempo maintained*

DW 

Cl. 

- ver\_ float - ing\_ down. Sit down! Sit down! Sit down! Sit down!

I said "Down with the devil! The devil! He's red, he's hot! He's bad! He's bad, bad, bad! I have been a VERY BAD GIRL! Sit down!!"


112 **J**


DW 

Cl. 

You're rock - in' the boat! Yeh! You're rock - in' the boat! (Oh)

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DW 

Cl. 

Sit down, You're rock - in' the boat!

*ff*