

# Bennie and the Jets

Bb Low for Standard Key

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Elton John

Slow [Elton John 1973] ( $\text{♩} = 66$ )

**Intro**

Musical score for the intro section. The key signature is Bb (two sharps). The melody consists of eighth-note patterns. Chords shown above the staff are A<sub>MA</sub><sup>7</sup>, A<sub>MA</sub><sup>7</sup>, G<sub>MA</sub><sup>7</sup>, and G<sub>MA</sub><sup>7</sup>. The bass line provides harmonic support.

**Verse**

Musical score for the verse section. The key signature is Bb. The melody starts with B<sub>MI</sub><sup>7</sup> followed by E<sup>7</sup>. The lyrics "Hey kids, shake it loose together. The spot" are written below the notes.

2 **A**

**A#<sup>07</sup>**

Musical score for the second line of the verse. The melody continues with A<sup>07</sup>. The lyrics "- light's hit - ting some-thing that's been known to change the weath - er." are written below the notes.

3 **B<sub>MI</sub><sup>7</sup>**

**E**

**F#<sub>MI</sub>**

Musical score for the third line of the verse. The melody moves through B<sub>MI</sub><sup>7</sup>, E, and F#<sub>MI</sub>. The lyrics "We'll kill the fatted calf\_ tonight, so\_ stick a-round." are written below the notes. The word "so" is connected by a brace to "stick".

You're

5 **B<sub>MI</sub>**

**C#<sub>MI</sub>**

**D**

Musical score for the fifth line of the verse. The melody continues with B<sub>MI</sub>, C#<sub>MI</sub>, and D. The lyrics "gon-na hear e - lec - tric mus - sic sol-id walls of sound.\_ Say," are written below the notes.

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## Pre-Chorus

Candy and Ronnie, have you seen them yet, ooh, but they're so spaced out. B-BBBB

## **Chorus**

Musical score for bar 9. The bass line consists of eighth-note patterns. The treble line starts with a rest, followed by a sixteenth note, a eighth note, a sixteenth note, and a eighth note. Above the staff, the label "AMA" is written above a bracket spanning the last three notes of the treble line.

Bennie and the Jets. Oh, but they're weird and they're wonderful. Oh, Bennie and the Jets.

11 **B**  
- nie, she's really keen.

D She's got e - lectric boots,

E a mohair suit, -you know I

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F#MI                    F#MI/E      D      C/D      D      A MA<sup>7</sup>      A MA<sup>7</sup>

read it in a magazine, oh.      B-B-B Bennie and the Jets.

*To Coda Last Time* Coda

17 GMA<sup>7</sup> GMA<sup>7</sup> AMA<sup>7</sup> AMA<sup>7</sup> GMA<sup>7</sup> GMA<sup>7</sup>

Bennie, Bennie, Bennie, Bennie and the Jets.

## Verse 2

Hey, kids, plug into the faithless.

Maybe they're blinded, but Bennie makes them ageless.

We shall survive; let us take ourselves along,

where we fight our parents out in the streets to find who's right and who's wrong.

### **Verse 3**

## Piano solo.