

I've Got the World on a String

Standard Key for Viola

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Medium [Bing Crosby 1933] ($\text{♩} = 116$)

A1

1 | F⁶ E^{♭7} D⁷ G_{MI}⁷ C⁷
I've got the world on a string, sit-tin' on a rain-bow,

3 | F_{MA}⁷ B⁷ A_{MI}⁷ A_{♭MI}⁷
Got the string a-round my fin - ger,

5 | G_{MI}⁷ C⁷ G_{MI}⁷ C⁷ F⁶ D_{MI}⁷ G_{MI}⁷ C⁷
What a world, what a life, I'm in love. I've got a

A2 | 9 | F⁶ E^{♭7} D⁷ G_{MI}⁷ C⁷ F_{MA}⁷ B⁷ A_{MI}⁷ A_{♭MI}⁷
song that I sing, I can make the rain go, an-y time I move my fin - ger,

13 | G_{MI}⁷ C⁷ G_{MI}⁷ C⁷ F⁶ B⁷ F⁶
Luck - y me, can't you see, I'm in love. Life is a beau-ti-ful thing,

B | 17 | A⁷ A⁷ D⁷ D⁷
as long as I hold the string, I'd be a sil - ly so-and -

21 | G⁷ G⁷ G_{MI}⁷ C⁷
so if I should ev - er let go. I've got the

A3 | 25 | F⁶ E^{♭7} D⁷ G_{MI}⁷ C⁷ F_{MA}⁷ B⁷
world on a string, sit-tin' in a rainbow, Got the string a-round my fin -

28 | A_{MI}⁷ A_{♭MI}⁷ G_{MI}⁷ C⁷ G_{MI}⁷ C⁷ F⁶ (G_{MI}⁷ C⁷)
- ger, What a world, what a life, I'm in love.