

Taking a Chance on Love

Standard Key

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Medium [Ethel Waters 1940] (♩ = 130)

A1 CMA⁷ (C[♯]o⁷) DMI⁷ G⁷ CMA⁷

Here I go a - gain, _ I hear those trumpets blow a - gain, _

5 AMI⁷ D⁹ DMI⁷ G⁷ EMI⁷ E^b7 DMI⁷ G⁷

All a - glow a - gain, _ tak - ing a chance on love.

A2

9 CMA⁷ (C[♯]o⁷) DMI⁷ G⁷ CMA⁷

Here I slide a - gain, _ a - bout to take that ride a - gain, _

13 AMI⁷ D⁹ DMI⁷ G⁷ C⁶

Star - ry eyed a - gain, _ tak - ing a chance on love. I

17 **B** GMI⁷ C⁹ F⁶ (F[♯]o⁷) GMI⁷ C⁷ FMA⁷

thought the cards were a frame - up _ I nev - er would try. But

21 FMI⁷ B^b9 E^b6 E^o7 FMI⁷ A^b7 G⁷

now I'm tak - ing the game up and the ace of hearts is high.

A3

25 CMA⁷ (C[♯]o⁷) DMI⁷ G⁷ CMA⁷

Things are mend - ing now, _ I see a rain - bow bend - ing now, _

29 AMI⁷ D⁹ DMI⁷ G⁷ C⁶ (DMI⁷ G⁷)

We'll have our hap - py end - ing now, _ tak - ing a chance on love.

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Verse 2 Here I come again. I'm gonna make things hum again,
Acting dumb again taking a chance on Love.

Here I stand again. about to beat the band again,
Feeling grand again, taking a chance on Love.

I never dreamed in my slumbers and bets were taboo.
But now I'm playing the numbers on a little dream for two.

Wading in again, I'm leading with my chin again,
I'm starting out to win again taking a chance on Love.

Verse 3 Here I slip again, About to take that tip again
Got my grip again taking a chance on Love.

Now I prove again that I can make life move again,
In the groove again taking a chance on Love.

I walk around with a horseshoe in clover I lie.
And brother rabbit, of course you better kiss your foot goodbye.

On the ball again, I'm riding for a fall again,
I'm gonna give my all again taking a chance on Love.