

Steel Guitar Rag

Standard Key for Viola

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Fast Two-Feel [Bob Wills 1936] (♩ = 218)

A **F**⁶ **F**⁶ **F**⁶ **F**⁶

Been runnin' a - round, seen many a town So maybe you'll

5 **F**⁶ **C**⁷ **F**⁶ **F**⁶

find I'm the kind of guy to brag. But lis-ten to

B

9 **F**⁶ **F**⁷ **B**^{b9} **F**⁶ **F**⁶ **C**⁷ **F**⁶ **F**⁷

me and see if you don't a - gree, no melo-dy rolls like that steel guitar rag. And

C

17 **B**^b **B**^b **F** **F**

when they slide that thing a - long the strings it

21 **G**⁷ **G**⁷ **C**⁷ **C**⁷

sounds so dog - gone heav - en - ly, You hear an - gels sing an' when

D

25 **B**^b **B**^b **B**^{bM} **F** **F** **G**⁷ **C**⁷ **F** **F**

you start your feet, your heart will beat the rhythm to that steel guitar rag. You

E

33 **F** **F** **F** **F**

may be kind - a choos - y 'bout the kind of songs you hear. You

37 **F** **F** **C**⁷ **C**⁷

may like songs that's blues - y so you cry right in your beer. But

F

41 **F** **F** **B**^b **B**^{bM}⁶

if you like a tune that's bound to drive a - way your care, make happy your

45 **F**⁶ **C**⁶ **F**⁶ **F**⁶

soul with that steel gui - tar rag.