

When It's Sleepy Time Down South

Standard Key for Viola

Leon & Otis René & Clarence Muse

Medium [Louis Armstrong 1931] ($\text{♩} = 116$)

A1 F_{MA}⁷ B_b^{9(#11)} C A_{MI}⁷ D⁷

Pale moon shining on the fields be - low, Folks are crooning songs soft and low,

G⁹ G^{9/F} E^{7sus} E⁷ F_{MA}⁷ B_b⁹ C⁶

need - n't tell me so, be-cause I know It's Sleepy Time Down South.

A2 F_{MA}⁷ B_b^{9(#11)} C A_{MI}⁷ D⁷

Soft winds blowin' thru the pinewood trees, Folks down there live a life of ease,

G⁹ G^{9/F} E^{7sus} E⁷ F_{MA}⁷ B_b⁹ C⁶ B⁷

When the twilight brings the ev'ning breeze, It's Sleepy Time Down South.

B E E_{MA}⁷ E⁶ F^{o7} F_{#MI}⁷ B⁷ E B^{9sus}

Steamboats on the river, a - coming, a-going, Splashing the night a-way,

E E_{MA}⁷ E⁶ F^{o7} F_{#MI}⁷ B⁷ E G⁷

Hear those banjos ringing, the folks all asinging, They dance 'til break of day.

A3 F_{MA}⁷ B_b^{9(#11)} C A_{MI}⁷ D⁷

Dear old Southland with its dreamy songs, Takes me back to where I be - long,

G⁹ G^{9/F} E^{7sus} E⁷ F_{MA}⁷ B_b⁹ C⁶ (G_{MI}⁷ C⁷)

I'll find heavven in my mammy's arms When It's Sleepy Time Down South.