

Fascinating Rhythm

Bass for Standard Key

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Medium [Ella Fitzgerald 1959] (♩ = 114)

A1 **B♭⁷** **B♭⁷** **B♭⁷** **B♭⁷**

Fascinating rhythm, you've got me on the go. Fascinating rhythm, I'm all a quiver.

E♭⁷ **E♭⁷** **E♭⁷** **E♭⁷**

What a mess you're making, the neighbors want to know why I'm always shaking just like a flivver.

B **A♭** **FMI⁷** **B♭⁷** **E♭** **E♭⁷**

Each morn-ing I get up with the sun, start a hopping nev-er stopping.

CMI⁷ **CMI⁷** **F⁷** **B♭⁷** **C♯⁰⁷**

To find at night, no work has been done. I know that

A2 **B♭⁷** **B♭⁷** **B♭⁷** **B♭⁷**

once it didn't matter but now you're doing wrong. When you start to patter, I'm so un-hap-py.

E♭⁷ **E♭⁷** **E♭⁷** **E♭⁷**

Won't you take a day off? De - cide to run along somewhere far a way off and make it snap-py.

C **A♭** **DMI^{7(♭5)}** **G⁷** **CMI** **CMI/B♭** **F⁷**

Oh, how I long to be the man I used to be.

B♭⁷ **B♭⁷** **E♭** **E♭**

Fas-ci-nating rhythm oh, won't you stop pick - ing on me!