

Hambone

African American (arr. Washington)

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Ham - bone, Ham - bone, where you been?

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'Round the world and I'm go-in' a-gain.

2. Hambone, hambone, have you heard?
Papa's gonna buy you a mockin' bird.

3. An' if that mockin' bird don't sing,
Papa's gonna buy you a diamond ring.

4. An' if that diamond ring don't shine,
Papa's gonna take you to the five and dime.

5. Hambone walk an' hambone talk,
Hambone eat with a shovel and a fork.

6. I left my hambone by the fence,
I haven't seen my hambone since.