

Ain't She Sweet

Words by
Jack Yellen

In 1959, Jack Yellen attended the 50th anniversary of his high-school graduating class. As writer of "Ain't She Sweet" (1926) and dozens of other hit songs, he was somewhat of a celebrity. But his one-time English teacher was unimpressed. "So you're the one who wrote 'Ain't She Sweet,'" she said. "And I thought I taught you that 'ain't' is bad grammar!"

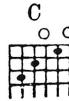
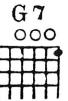
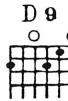
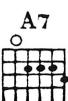
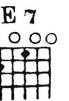
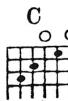
Music by
Milton Ager

Moderately, with a bounce

The musical score consists of four staves. The top staff is for the piano, showing a treble clef, common time, and dynamic markings like *f* and *p*. The second staff is for the vocal part, with lyrics written below the notes. The third staff is for the bassoon or guitar bass part. The bottom staff is for the guitar part, with chord diagrams above the notes. The lyrics are:

Ain't She Sweet? See her com-ing down the street! Now I
ask you ver-y con - fi-den - tial-ly Ain't She Sweet?
Ain't she nice? Look her o-ver once or twice. Now I

Chords indicated in the score include C, A♭7, G7, D9, E7, A7, G7, C, G7, C, A♭7, G7, C, A♭7, G7, and C.



(No Chords)

ask you ver-y

con - fi - den - tial-ly

Ain't she

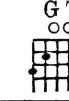
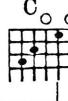
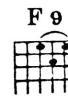
nice? Just cast an eye



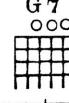
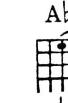
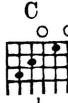
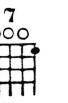
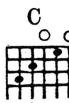
(No Chords)

in her di - rec - tion

Oh, me! Oh, my!



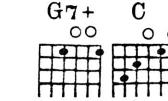
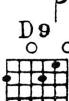
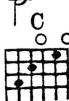
Ain't that per - fec - tion?



I re - peat,

Don't you think that's kind of neat?

And I



ask you ver-y

con - fi - den - tial-ly

Ain't She

Sweet?