

The Aba Daba Honeymoon

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Moderato

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a rhythmic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The tempo is marked 'Moderato' and the dynamics start with a forte 'f'.

'Way down in the Con - go-land Lived a
Well, you should have heard that band Play up-

The first vocal line is on a single staff. The piano accompaniment continues below, with dynamics marked 'p' (piano).

hap - py chim - pan - zee, — She loved a mon - key with a
on their wed - ding day, — Each Chimp and Mon - key had

The second vocal line continues the melody. The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line and chordal support.

long tail, (Lord - y, how she loved him!) Each night he would
nut - shells, Lord - y, how they played them; And now it is

The third vocal line concludes the piece. The piano accompaniment ends with a final chordal cadence.

find her there, Swing-ing in the co-coa-nut tree,— And the mon-key gay, at the
ev - 'ry night, High up in the co-coa-nut tree,— It's the same old thing, with the

break of day, Loved to hear his Chim - pie say:—
same old swing, When the Monk and Chim - pie sing:—

CHORUS

"Ab - a, dab - a, dab - a, dab - a, dab - a, dab - a, dab," Said the

Chim - pie to the Monk, — "Bab - a, dab - a, dab - a, dab - a,

dab - a, dab - a, dab," Said the Mon-key to the Chimp. — All night long they'd

chat - ter a - way, All day long there were hap - py and gay, Swing - ing and

sing - ing in their hun - ky, ton - key way. — "Ab - a, dab - a, dab - a, dab - a,

dab - a, dab - a, dab," means "Monk, I love but you," —

"Bab - a, dab - a, dab," in mon - key - talk, means "Chimp, I love you

too," — Then the big ba - boon, one night in June, He
One night they were made man and wife, And

mar - ried them, and ver - y soon They went up - on their
now they cry, "This is the life," Since they came from their

ab - a, dab - a hon - ey - moon. — moon. —
ab - a, dab - a hon - ey - moon. — moon. —