

# BANANA BOAT SONG

Harry Belafonte version

[A]↓ Daaay-oh! Da-[E7]↓ay-ay-ay-[A]↓oh!  
[A]↓ Daylight come and me [E7]↓ wan' go [A]↓ home  
[A]↓ Day, me say [E7]↓ day, me say [D]↓ day, me say [A]↓ day,  
me say [D]↓ day, me say [A]↓ day-ay-ay-[E7]↓oh!  
[A]↓ Daylight come and me [E7]↓ wan' go [A]↓ home

[A] Work all night on a drink of rum  
[A] Daylight come and me [E7] wan' go [A] home  
[A] Stack banana till de mornin' come  
[A] Daylight come and me [E7] wan' go [A] home

[A] Come Mister Tallyman, [E7] tally me banana  
[A] Daylight come and me [E7] wan' go [A] home  
[A] Come Mister Tallyman, [E7] tally me banana  
[A] Daylight come and me [E7] wan' go [A] home

Lift [A] six foot, seven foot, eight foot bunch  
[A] Daylight come and me [E7] wan' go [A] home  
[A] Six foot, seven foot, eight foot bunch  
[A] Daylight come and me [E7] wan' go [A] home

[A] Day me say [E7] day-ay-ay-[A]oh!  
[A] Daylight come and me [E7] wan' go [A] home  
[A] Day, me say [E7] day, me say [D] day, me say [A] day  
([A] Daylight come  
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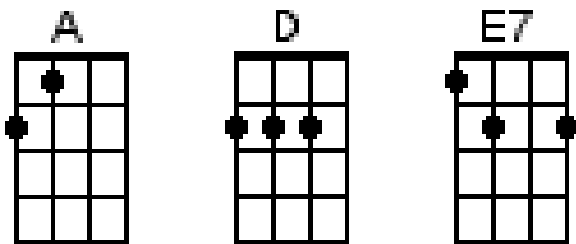
[A] A beautiful bunch o' ripe banana  
[A] Daylight come and me [E7] wan' go [A] home  
[A] Hide de deadly black tarantula  
[A] Daylight come and me [E7] wan' go [A] home

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