

A HEN, A CHICK AND A STRING GUITAR

Music by Bob King
Words by Margaret Read MacDonald

Bm
A
Bm
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Bm

Voice

Grand - pa gave me a cluck - ing red hen. 'Cluck! Cluck! Cluck! Cluck! Cluck!
Grand - ma gave me a quack - ing whiteduck. 'Quack! Quack! Quack! Quack! Quack!

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Ay! Ay! Ay! What a fine hen! 'Cluck! Cluck! Cluck! Cluck! Cluck! One day that hen
Ay! Ay! Ay! What a fine duck! 'Quack! Quack! Quack! Quack! Quack! One day that duck

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Gave me a chick. I had a hen, And I had a chick.
Gave me a duckling. I had a duck, and I had a duckling.

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Ay! Ay! Ay! Ay! Ay! How I loved my two lit - tle pets!
How I loved my four lit - tle

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pets!
Unc - le gave me a
Aun - tie gave me a

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purr - ing yellow cat. 'Purr! Purr! Purr!
bark - ing black dog. 'Woof! Woof! Woof! Woof! Woof!

Ay! Ay! Ay! What a fine cat!
Ay! Ay! Ay! What a fine dog!

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'Purr! Purr! Purr!' One day that cat Gave me a kitt - en. I had a cat, And
'Woof! Woof! Woof! Woof! Woof!' One day that dog Gave me a pup - py. I had a dog, And

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I had a kitt - en. I had a pup - py. I had a cat. I had a kitten. I had a duck. I had a duckling. I had a hen.

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I had a chick. Ay! Ay! Ay! Ay! Ay! How I loved my six lit - tle pets!
How I loved my eight lit - tle pets!

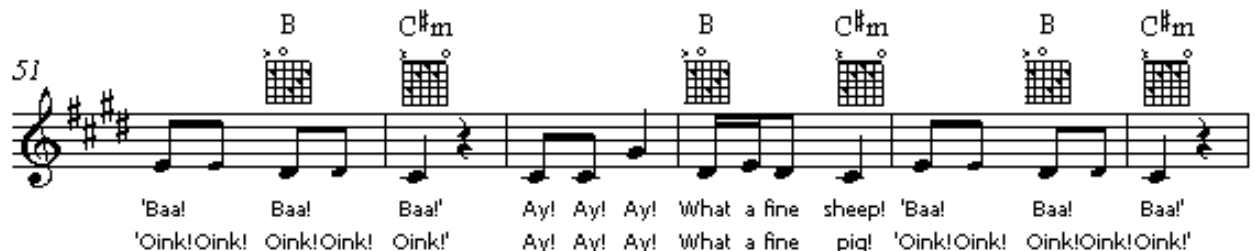
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A Little Faster



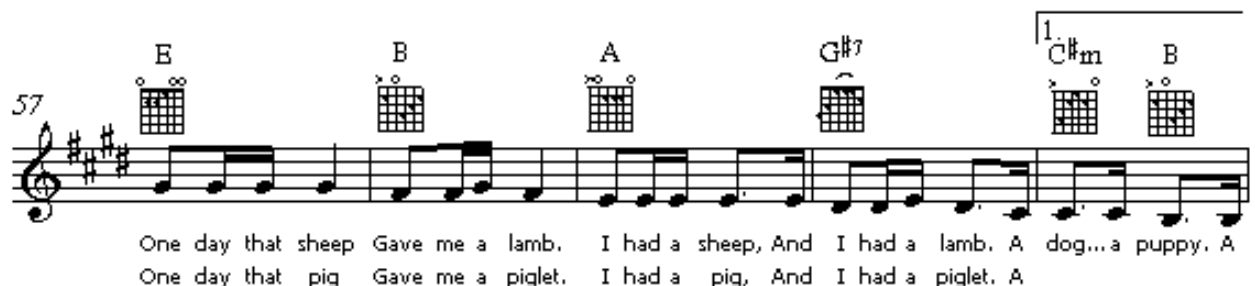
Bro - ther gave me a bleat - ing white sheep.
Sis - ter gave me an oink - ing pink pig.

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'Baa! Baa! Baa!' 'Oink!Oink! Oink!Oink! Oink!' Ay! Ay! Ay! What a fine sheep! 'Baa! Baa! Baa!'
'Oink!Oink! Oink!Oink! Oink!' Ay! Ay! Ay! What a fine pig! 'Oink!Oink! Oink!Oink!Oink!'

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One day that sheep Gave me a lamb. I had a sheep, And I had a lamb. A dog...a puppy. A
One day that pig Gave me a piglet. I had a pig, And I had a piglet. A

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C#m E C#m B C#m E C#m G#7

cat... a kitt - en. A duck... a duckling. A hen... a chick. Ay! Ay! Ay! Ay! Ay! How I

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C#m

2. C#m B C#m E

loved my ten lit - tle pets! sheep... a lamb. A dog... a pup - py. A

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C#m B C#m E C#m B C#m E C#m G#7

cat... a kitten. A duck... a duckling. I had a hen I had a chick, Ay! Ay! Ay! Ay! Ay! How I

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C#m Dm

Faster

loved my twelve lit - tle pets! Moth - er gave me a Fath - er gave me an

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C Dm C Dm C Dm C Dm

moo - ing brown cow. 'Moo! Moo! Moo! Ay! Ay! Ay! What a fine cow! 'Moo! Moo! Moo!
neigh - ing grey horse. 'Neigh! Neigh! Neigh! Ay! Ay! Ay! What a fine horse! 'Neigh! Neigh! Neigh!

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F C Bb A7 Dm C Dm F

One day that cow Gave me a calf. I had a cow And I had a calf. A pig... a piglet. A sheep... a lamb. A
One day that horse Gave me a colt. I had a horse And I had a colt. A cow... a calf! A pig... a pig - let! A

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Dm C Dm F Dm C Dm F Dm C Dm F

dog... a puppy A cat... a kit - ten A duck... a duckling A hen... a chick. *2nd time only*
 sheep... a lamb! A dog... a pup - py! A cat... a kitten! A duck... a duckling! I had a hen, And I had a chick,

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Dm A7 Dm

Ay! Ay! Ay! Ay! Ay! How I loved my four - teen pets!
 How I loved my six - teen pets!

108 **Tempo Primo**

C Dm C Dm

My friend gave me a lit - tle gui - tar! 'Plunk! Plunk! Plunk! Plunk! Plunk!'

112

C Dm C Dm

Ay! Ay! Ay! What a fine gui - tar! 'Plunk! Plunk! Plunk! Plunk! Plunk!' And

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F C B^b A⁷

eve - ry - time__ I played my gui - tar My pets all came from near and far,__ The

120

Dm C Dm F Dm C Dm F Dm C

horse danced And the colt danced! The cow danced And the calf danced! The pig danced And the

125

Dm F Dm C Dm F Dm C Dm F

piglet danced! The sheep danced And the lamb danced! The dog danced And the puppy danced, The

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Dm C Dm F Dm C Dm F Dm C

cat danced And the kitten danced! The duck danced And the tuckling danced! The hen danced And the

135

Dm F Dm C Dm F Dm A7

chick danced! They all danced And I danced too! Ay! Ay! Ay! Ay! Ay! How I

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Dm Gm

Guitar Solo

love all of my pets!

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A7 Dm Gm

love all of my pets!

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A7 Dm Gm A7

love all of my pets!

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Dm Gm A7 Dm

love all of my pets!

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A7 Dm Gm Dm A7 Dm

love all of my pets!

let ring