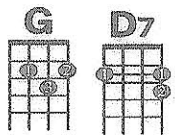
Play a Simple Melody

Composer: Irving Berlin (1914)



G D7 G
Won't you play simple melody, like my mother sang to me
G D7 G
One with good old fashioned harmony. Play a simple melody.

G D7
Musical demons set your honey a dreamin' won't you play me some rag?
G
Just change that classical rag to some sweet beautiful drag.
D7
If you will play from a copy of a tune that is choppy you'll get all my applause
G
And that is simply because, I want to listen to rag.

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And that is simply because I want to listen to rag.
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