

I've Got the World on a String

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Music: Harold Arlen

Med. Slow Swing

A F⁶ E^{b7} D⁷ (A^{b7}) G^{M7} B^bM⁶ F^{M7} B^{b9}(#11)

I've got the world on a string, sit-tin' on a rain-bow, Got the string a-round my fin-

A^{M7} D⁹ A^bM⁷ D^{b9} G^{M7} C⁷ F^{#o7} G^{M7} C¹³ A⁷(#5) D⁷(#9)

ger, What a world, what a life, I'm in love.

G^{M7} C⁷ F⁶ E^{b7} D⁷ (A^{b7}) G^{M7} B^bM⁶

I've got a song that I sing, I can make the rain go,

A^{M7} B^{b9}(#11) A^{M7} D⁹ A^bM⁷ D^{b9} G^{M7} C⁷ F^{#o7}

an - y time I move my fin - ger, Luck - y me, can't you

G^{M7} C¹³ F⁶ B^{b6} B^{o7} F⁶

see, I'm in love. Life is a beau - ti - ful thing,

B E^{M7} A⁹ D¹³ %

as long as I hold the string, I'd be a sil - ly so - and -

G⁹ % G^{M9} C¹³

so if I should ev - er let go. I've got the

C F⁶ E^{b7} D⁷ (A^{b7}) G^{M7} B^bM⁶ A^{M7} B^{b9} A^{M7} D⁹ A^bM⁷ D^{b9}

world on a string, sit-tin' on a rain-bow, Got the string a-round my fin - ger,

G^{M7} D⁷ G^{M7} C¹³ F⁶ (D⁷(#9) G^{M7} C⁷)

What a world, What a life, I'm in love.

At faster tempos, changes falling on beats 2 & 4 may be omitted.