

WATERMELON MAN

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With A Steady Beat

The musical score is written for piano and voice. It begins with a piano introduction in 4/4 time, marked 'With A Steady Beat'. The piano part features a rhythmic melody in the right hand and a steady bass line in the left hand. The vocal line enters with the lyrics 'Oh! Wa-ter-mel-on man, — Ah!'. The piano accompaniment continues with a similar rhythmic pattern. The vocal line then sings 'Wa-ter-mel-on man, — 'Cause he's got the best — wa-ter-mel-on He's a real good wa-ter-mel-on man. — Ev-ry-bod-y dig'. The piano part provides harmonic support with chords and a consistent bass line. The score concludes with the vocal line singing 'Wa-ter-mel-on man, —' and the piano part ending with a final chord.

Chords indicated above the vocal line:

- C7
- G7
- C7
- F7
- C7
- To Coda
- G7
- F7
- G7
- F7
- C7
- G7
- C7
- G7

Ah! Wa-ter-mel-on man, —

They are just as round as they can be. — Make you al-most.

want to eat the seeds — Ev'-ry-bod-y dig Wa-ter-mel-on man. —

D. S. al Coda

Coda
 I will buy one from you ev'-ry day. — Just be sure you'll al-ways come my way. —

That would really be Wa-ter-mel-on. —