

What Is Green?

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Bright, cheerful swing ♩ = 132 (♩ = ♩³)
 D13

Voices

Piano

G G⁶/D GMa⁷ Do⁷ D7/C Dsus⁷ D+⁷ G B⁷

⁵ f

Green is the grass_ And the leaves of trees_ Green is the smell Of a coun - try breeze._ Green_

Emi⁹ E⁹ Ami⁷ Ami⁹ Dsus⁹ D⁷ GMa⁷

10

is let - tuce And some - times the sea._ When green is a feel - ing You pro - nounce it N. V.

G G⁶/D G^{Ma}7 E⁷ A¹³ D⁷ D⁺⁷ G B⁷

15

Green is a cool - ness You get in the shade_ Of the tall old woods Where the moss is made._ Green_

Detailed description: This system contains the first two lines of the song. The vocal line (treble clef) starts with a G major chord and moves through G6/D, G major with a major 7th, E7, A13, D7, D+7, G, and B7. The piano accompaniment (grand staff) features a steady bass line with chords in the right hand. A measure rest of 15 is indicated above the vocal line.

Emi⁹ E⁹ Ami⁷ Ami⁹ D^{sus7} D⁷ D^{sus9} G⁶

20

is a flut - ter That comes in Spring_ When frost melts out Of ev - 'ry - thing._

Detailed description: This system contains the second two lines of the song. The vocal line (treble clef) features chords Emi9, E9, Ami7, Ami9, Dsus7, D7, Dsus9, and G6. The piano accompaniment (grand staff) continues with chords and a bass line. A measure rest of 20 is indicated above the vocal line.

D D⁷/A G A⁷ Emi⁷ D⁶ D/C# C(^b5)

Green is_ a grass - hop - per Green is_ jade_

Detailed description: This system contains the final two lines of the song. The vocal line (treble clef) features chords D, D7/A, G, A7, Emi7, D6, D/C#, and C(b5). The piano accompaniment (grand staff) concludes with chords and a bass line.