

# On The 'Gin 'Gin 'Ginny Shore

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Moderato

The piano introduction is in 2/4 time, marked Moderato. It features a treble and bass clef. The treble clef has a melody with eighth and sixteenth notes, including triplets. The bass clef has a steady accompaniment of eighth notes. Dynamics include *f* and *sfz*.

*Till Ready*

I was born where Vir-gin-ia ro-ses smile up to the skies  
When I look at an o-cean lin-er steam-ing down the coast

The first vocal line is in 2/4 time, marked *Till Ready*. It is in a key with one flat (B-flat). The melody is simple and follows the lyrics. The piano accompaniment consists of chords and eighth notes. Dynamics include *mf* and *p*.

Where the blue birds in the trees Sing wood-land mel-o-dies I was raised where the mummies win'y'a  
I have one thought in my mind I want to hitch be-hind When I think of my old aunt Din-ah's

The second vocal line continues the melody in 2/4 time. The piano accompaniment includes triplets and various dynamics like *v*.

with their lul-la - bies \_\_\_\_\_ And the old place seems to fill my dreams Ev'ry time I close my eyes: \_\_\_\_\_  
gin, gin, ginger toast \_\_\_\_\_ If I've got no fare to bring me there I can go by par-cel post: \_\_\_\_\_

The third vocal line concludes the piece in 2/4 time. The piano accompaniment features triplets and dynamic markings like *v*.

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## CHORUS

When the moon shines on the 'gin,gin,gin-ny shore Those sweet Vir-gin-ia lov-ers croon — An

*p f*

old Vir-gin-ia tune — In the shel-ter of the syc,syc,syc-a - more — I want to

say 'hel-lo' to the old tri - o — Mam-my Jin-ny, Aunt Je-mi-ma, Old Black Joe And they

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all hang round the cab,cab,cab-in door — That's just the kind of life — I'm long-ing

for — Ban-joes strummin',darkies hummin' Mam - my' — When the

moonshines on the 'gin, 'gin, 'gin-ny shore      When the shore

*sfz Fine*

PATTER

Gin in the bot-tle when I'm a-lone      Gin in the en-gine that brings me home

*mf*

Gin in my mam-my Jin-nys gin-ger cake E-nough left o-ver for a

tum-my ache A nice gin rick-ey tastes so sweet      Just makes you want to strut your feet

'Way back in six-ty-four They all got gin-nied on the 'gin-ny shore And they

*sfz*      *D.S. al Fine*