

Dinah (Take 1)

Thelonious Monk

Carolina
Gave me Dinah;
I'm the proudest one
Beneath the Dixie sun. News is spreadin'
'Bout our weddin';
I hear church bells ringin',
Here's the song my heart keeps singin': Dinah,
Is there anyone finer
In the state of Carolina?
If there is and you know her,
Show her! Dinah,
With her Dixie eyes blazin',
How I love to sit and gaze in
To the eyes of Dinah Lee! Yet, every night,
My, how I shake with fright,
Because my Dinah might,
Change her mind about me! But if Dinah,
Ever wandered to China,
I would hop an ocean liner,
Just to be with Dinah Lee! Dinah,
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