

# The Beat Goes On / Soul Bossa Nova

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Drums keep pounding a rhythm to the brain  
La da da da dee, la da da da da Charleston was once the rage, uh huh  
History has turned that page, uh huh  
The mini skirt's the current thing, uh huh  
Teenybopper is a newborn king, uh huh  
And the beat goes on  
The beat goes on  
Drums keep pounding a rhythm to the brain  
La da da da dee, la da da da da The grocery store's a super mart, uh huh  
Little girls still break their hearts, uh huh  
Oh, well, the men still keep on marching off to war  
Electrically they keep their baseball scores  
And the beat goes on  
The beat goes on  
The beat goes on and on and on  
And the beat goes on  
Grandmas sit in chairs and reminisce  
Boys still chasing girls to get a kiss  
Well, the cars keep going faster  
And faster all the time  
A bum still cries  
Hey buddy, have you got a dime  
And the beat goes on  
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