

# Carnival Tabanca

## Bunji Garlin

Ahh-ah--ah-aye, Oh Lord  
Ahh-ah-ah-aye, yeah, Ahh-aye - Good Lord

Everybody let me see yuh  
Clap those hands,  
Come now and let me see you  
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Ah tell you ah have it  
Ah tell you ah have it  
Ah tell you ah have it - Lord  
Tell you ah got it, oh Lord, Lord

I have a real Carnival tabanca  
Hard Carnival tabanca  
As soon as Carnival done this year  
Well I just start ketching fever  
When the doctor come diagnose me  
Tell meh wife me well, is not dengue  
Is just delusions and delusion have  
Me thinking Soca can help me  
Every time I hear a police siren  
I tinking is escort  
Cominâ€™ to take me to the next venue  
So meh performance would not be short

When ah see a big truck in Port-of-Spain  
Tinking is Harts of Bliss  
Is ah big dump truck passinâ€™  
Wit red sanâ€™ in it, Lord

Ah tell you ah have it  
Ah tell you ah have it  
Ah tell you ah have it  
Lord, tell you ah have it, yeah

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I miss jumpinâ€™ on de road with Tribe  
Deh wit meh woman on meh right hanâ€™ side  
All meh friend anâ€™ dem from outside  
Who from North and who from South side  
I miss jumpinâ€™ with de band in de road  
Alcohol in meh hand -it cold  
When dem gyul dem â€˜bumpersâ€™ start roll  
Man dem markinâ€™ â€˜bumpersâ€™ to hold  
Well anytime I go out and buy some paint  
All I see is Jâ€™Ouvert  
When de blue devils dem from Paramin  
Dey blockinâ€™ road to get pay

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Ah tell you ah have it  
Ah tell you ah have it  
Ah tell you ah have it

Lord, tell you ah have it, yeah

Ah have ah tabanca - Carnival tabanca  
Ah have ah tabanca - real bad tabanca  
Ah tell you ah tabanca - Carnival tabanca  
Ah have ah tabanca - real bad tabanca

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