

Let's eat

James Skousen

Full score



Allegro ♩ = 84

Dr. Koku

Chorus

Bah-Munga

Viv

Piano *mp*

5

Pno.

9 *mf*

Dr. Koku

Pno.

You don't know what is like____ li - ving in the jun - gle when ev - ery day's a bloo - dy strug - gle,

13

Dr. Koku

just to stay a - live.____ Ev - ery - bo - dy dies.____ But hey!

Pno.

17

Dr. Koku

It ain't gon - na be me.____ Take your trou-bles in stride.____

Pno.

21

Dr. Koku

See your con - tri - bu - tion is an e - le - gant so - lu - tion to the pe - rils____ we sur - vive,____ and

Pno.

25

Dr. Koku

if I____ may con - fide,____ Think! Though we____ shrink your head, all your____ kids____ are fed

Pno.

29

Dr. Koku

hap - pi - ly - in bed, sleep - ing____ a sleep of the dead.____ And

Pno.

3
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33

Dr. Koku I don't wan - na eat a - no - ther mashed dung bee - tle. Pour on that ten - der - i - zer,

Chorus *mf* Let's eat! Let's

Pno.

37

Dr. Koku that smell's a tan - tal - i - zer. Sweet meat is when the heat has

Chorus eat! Let's eat!

Pno.

41

Dr. Koku reached one se - ven - ty five. We're gon - na have a hot time.

Chorus Let's eat! Let's

Bah-Munga Oh well done

Pno.

45

Dr. Koku And watch the tem - per - a - ture climb. Be - tween us two it's gon - na get

Chorus eat! Let's eat!

Pno.

49

Dr. Koku

— much_ hot - ter for you._____

Chorus

mp 8 Ooo._____

Pno.

53

Dr. Koku

I bet___ it's gon - na be tough,

Chorus

8 8 8 8

Pno.

57

Dr. Koku

— know-ing that your ev - ery thing is ca - ter - ing the jun - gle fling I wish there was a___ way.

Pno.

61

Dr. Koku

— We could make your stay._____ Ea - si - er___ on the chuck.

Pno.

65

mf

Dr. Koku

(Tribesman)

mf

Chorus

mf

Bah-Munga

Pno.

On your nerves, think of us as a spa.

Flank steak!

Rump roast!

69

Dr. Koku

Pam-per-ing and spoil-ing while the mus-cle boy is oil-ing you with grease and sa-vory herbs. The

Pno.

73

Dr. Koku

rub-bing will en-sure you're right out of the gate, rea-dy for the plate.

Pno.

77

Dr. Koku

We're in such a state. No-bo-dy gon-na wait. and

Pno.

81

Dr. Koku how I'm gon - na pick be-tween the dark and light meat? Come get this fire star - ted.

Chorus (Tribe)

Pno. eat! Let's

85

Dr. Koku And cook the soon de - par - ted. The big one here, I fear, will

Chorus eat! Let's eat!

Pno. eat! Let's eat!

89

Dr. Koku take near a cou - ple of days. With such fan - tas - tic fla - vors.

Chorus Let's eat! Let's

Viv *mf* Watch it!

Pno. Watch it!

93

Dr. Koku We're gon - na brng the neigh - bors. But what will we chew if we're not

Chorus eat! Let's eat!

Pno. eat! Let's eat!

97

Dr. Koku

through and we've run out of you.

mp

All day climb-ing trees

Chorus

pp

Ooo...

Pno.

101

Dr. Koku

and bump-ing heads and bang-ing knees and for it what do you get?

Chorus

Pno.

105

Dr. Koku

What do you get? Hunt-ing game with spears

(Soloist)

Chorus

No-thing left to eat, our cup-board's bare.

Pno.

109

Dr. Koku

and shoot-ing ar-rows that get no-where near what you want to get?

Chorus

Pno.

113

Dr. Koku

So what do you get? A one way tic-ket to the

(Soloist)

Chorus

Just one piece of meat, but ne-ver rare.

Pno.

117

Dr. Koku

ti-ger claw or your head jammed deep in the li-on jaw. A rush of dark down the

Pno.

121

Dr. Koku

bo-a maw or the bloo-dy brush of the pan-ther paw.

cresc.

Pno.

125

Dr. Koku

Pan-ther paw. Pan-ther paw.

mf

Pno.

129

Dr. Koku

When we gon-na eat!

Pno.

133

Pno.

137

Pno.

141

Pno.

145

Pno.

149

Dr. Koku

mf
Here drink this.

Viv

Gee. Your little monkey shoes do have little monkey faces on them. How can I help?

Pno.

153

Dr. Koku

Loo - sen__ up and en - joy.____ Take a lit - tle drink un - til you think you start to sing in - to a

Pno.

Pno.

Pno.

Pno.

Pno.

Pno.

177

Dr. Koku

who could try the jun - gle champ of bar - be - cue. That's me!

Chorus

(All) *mf* Let's eat! Let's

mf Soon you can come and get it.

Pno.

181

Chorus

eat! Let's eat!

Taste temp - ting treats you bet it. Fells great to eat your weight.

Bah-Munga

mf But leave

Pno.

185

Dr. Koku

The din - ner bell is ring - ing.

Chorus

Let's Eat! Let's

Bah-Munga

some room for the tart.

Viv

Hey watch it!

Pno.

12
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189

Dr. Koku

— Lip smack - ing food were bring - ing. — The time has final - ly come to

Chorus

eat! Let's eat!

Pno.

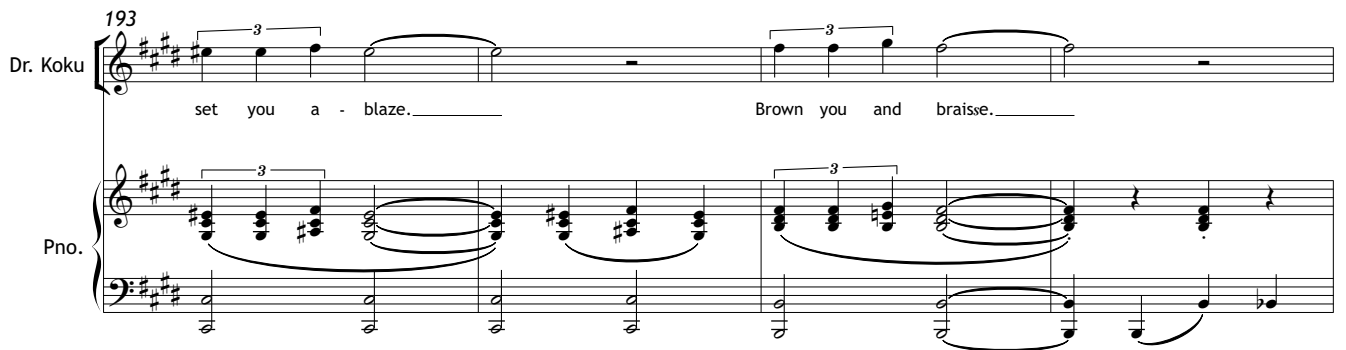


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Dr. Koku

set you a - blaze. — Brown you and braise. —

Pno.

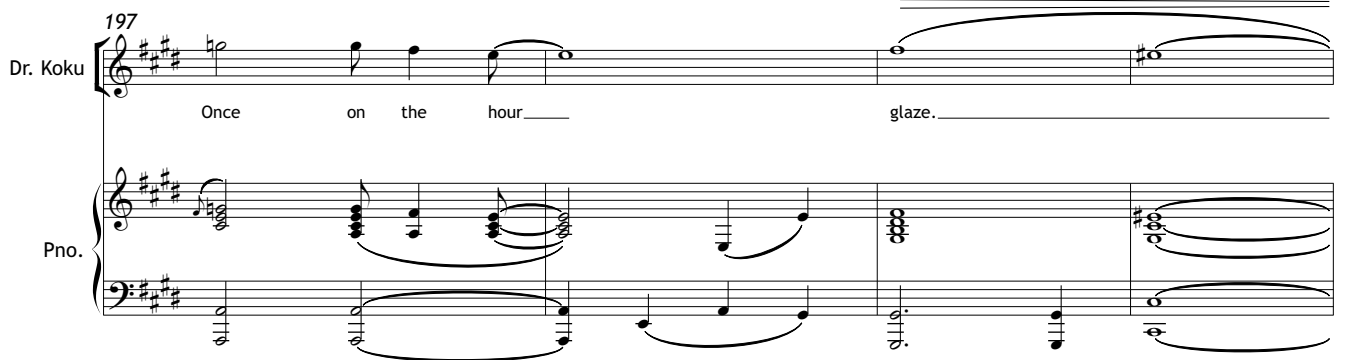


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Dr. Koku

Once on the hour — glaze. —

Pno.

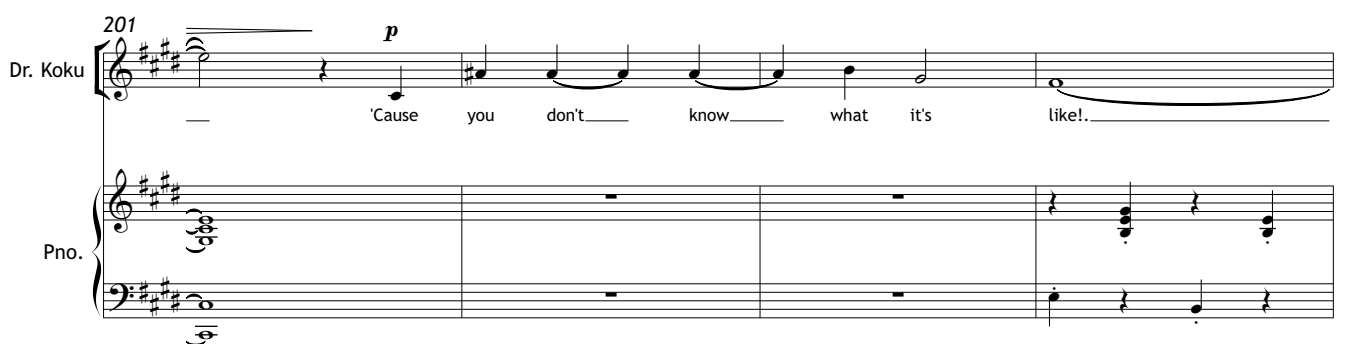


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Dr. Koku

p 'Cause you don't — know — what it's like! —

Pno.



205

Dr. Koku

Chorus

Bah-Munga

Viv

Pno.

f

Let's

f

Let's

f

Let's

f

Let's

208

Dr. Koku

Chorus

Bah-Munga

Viv

Pno.

eat!

eat!

eat!

eat!

eat!

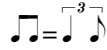
ff

8^{vb}

Let's eat

James Skousen

Dr. Koku



Allegro ♩ = 84

8

mf



You don't know what is like__

li-ving in the jungle when ev-



- eryday's a bloo-dy struggle, just to stay a - live.__

Ev - ery - bo - dy dies.



__ But hey! It ain't gon-na be me.__

Take your troubles in stride.



__ See your con-tri-bu-tion is an e - le-gant so - lu-tion to the pe - rils__ we sur - vive, -



__ and if I__ may con - fide,__ Think! Though we__ shrink your head,



all your_ kids_ are fed hap - pi - ly - in bed, sleep-ing__ a sleep of the dead._____



__ And I don't wan-na eat a - no - ther mashed dung bee - tle.

Pour on that



ten - der-i - zer, that smell's a tan - tal - i - zer.__

Sweet meat is V.S.

83

Come get this fire star - ted. And cook the soon de - par - ted.

87

The big one here, I fear, will take near a cou-ple of days.

91

With such fan - tas-tic fla - vors. We're gon - na brng the neigh - bors.

95

But what will we chew if we're not through and we've run out of you.

99

mp
All day climb-ing trees and bump-ing heads and bang-ing knees

103

and for it what do you get? What do you get?

107

Hunt-ing game with spears and shoot - ing ar - rows that get no -

111

- where near what you want to get? So what do you get?

115

A one way tic-ket to the ti-ger claw or your head jammedeep in the

119

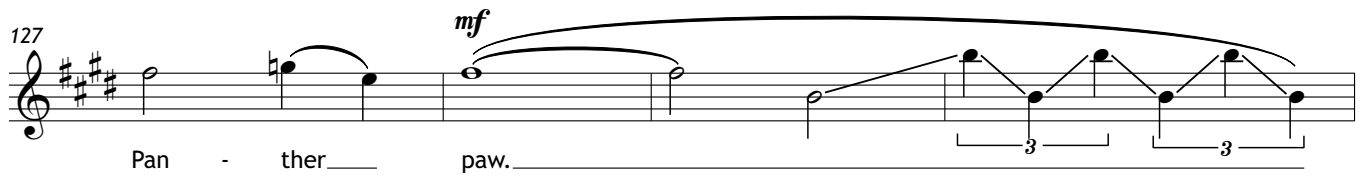
li on jaw. A rush of dark down the bo-a maw or the bloo-dy brush of the V.S.

123 *cresc.*



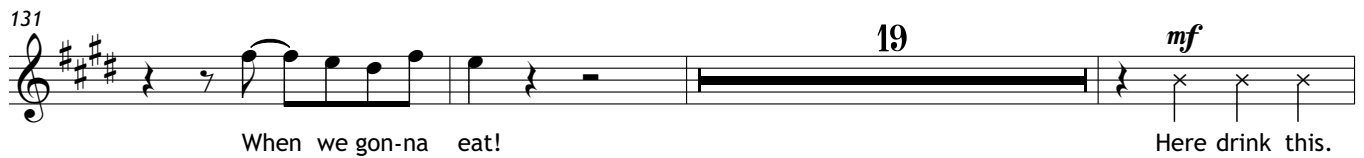
pan - ther__ paw.___ Pan - ther__ paw.___

127 *mf*



Pan - ther__ paw.___ (triplets in measures 129-130)

131 *mf* 19



When we gon-na eat! Here drink this.

153



Loo-sen__ up and en-joy.___ Take a lit-tle drink un-til you think you start to sing in - to a

157



warm and mel-low__ glow.___ Tastes just like mer - lot__ and__ the

161



ma - ri - nates from with-in. Bas - ting of - ten__ is__ best._

165



Co-veryour con-fec-tion with a suc-cu-lent pro-tec-tion so the meal melts in your__ mouth.___

169



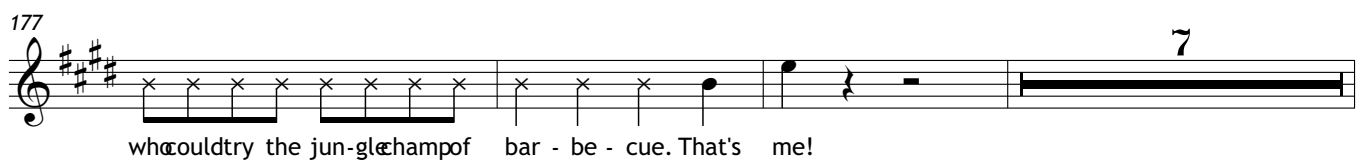
Don't let it dry out, boy!_ 'Cause once our chub-by guest has been put to rest_

173



and the food is blessed we'll put__ taste__ to the test.___ and

177 7



who could try the jun-gle hamp of bar - be - cue. That's me!

187

The din - ner__ bell is ring - ing.____ Lip smack - ing food were bring - ing.____

191

The time has final - ly come to set you a - blaze.____

195

Brown you and braisse.____ Once on the hour____

199

glaze.____ 'Cause you don't____ know____

203

____ what it's like!____

207

Let's eat!

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190  **15**

Let's eat!

207

The musical score consists of two staves, both in treble clef and key of A major (three sharps). The music is in 4/4 time. Measures 207 and 208 feature a forte (*f*) dynamic. In measure 207, the first staff has a whole rest, while the second staff has a half note chord of A4 and C#5. In measure 208, the first staff has a half note chord of A4 and C#5, while the second staff has a half note chord of A4 and C#5. The lyrics 'Let's' and 'eat!' are written above the second staff in measure 208. Measures 209 and 210 contain whole rests on both staves.

f

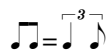
f Let's eat!

Let's eat!

Let's eat

James Skousen

Bah-Munga



Allegro ♩ = 84

41 22 *mf* 117



Oh well done Rumpoast!

184 *mf* 20

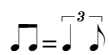


But leave some room for the tart.____

207 *f*



Let's eat!



Let's eat

Viv Allegro ♩ = 84

James Skousen

89 *mf* 58 37

Watch it!

Gee. Your little monkey shoes

186

20 *f*

Hey watch it! Let's eat!

209