

# Just A Simple Son Of Brooklyn

Lead sheet

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Swing 8ths

The musical score is written in a single system with a key signature of three flats (B-flat major) and a common time signature. The tempo/style is 'Swing 8ths'. The score consists of eight staves of music, each with a line of lyrics underneath. Chord progressions are indicated above the notes. The lyrics are: 'Sir! Mis-ter Dogs - bo - rough, you don't know me from nothing. Or maybe just from hearsay, which is worse. A man whose just misun-derstood. My repu-tation ain't so good. A simple son of Brooklyn's what I am. Once upon a time not so long a - go I came out west, just a country boy, and cried, 'Chi - ca - go, soon you will be mine!' I did it all al-one. But for the help of seven buddies standing by. With- out a plot to piss in like my - self, But de - termined to get their meat from ev-ery'.

Chord progressions for each staff:

- Staff 1: Fm<sup>7</sup> Ab<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup> F#<sup>7</sup>
- Staff 2: Fm<sup>7</sup> Ab<sup>Δ</sup> Db<sup>Δ</sup> G<sup>∅</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> Eb<sup>7</sup>
- Staff 3: Db<sup>Δ</sup> Bbm<sup>7</sup> Db<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> Ab<sup>7</sup>
- Staff 4: Db<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> Eb<sup>7</sup> Db<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> Ab<sup>7</sup>
- Staff 5: G<sup>7</sup> F#<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> Db<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup>
- Staff 6: Fm<sup>7</sup> Eb<sup>7</sup> Db<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> Ab<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup>
- Staff 7: Fm<sup>7</sup> Eb<sup>7</sup> Db<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> Db<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup>

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Fm<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> A<sup>b7</sup> G<sup>7</sup> F<sup>#7</sup>

cow Sir! Mis-ter Dogs - bo - rough, you don't know me from nothing. Or

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Fm<sup>7</sup> A<sup>bΔ</sup> D<sup>bΔ</sup> G<sup>∅</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> E<sup>b7</sup>

maybe just from hearsay, which is worse. A man whose just misun-derstood. My

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D<sup>bΔ</sup> B<sup>b7</sup> D<sup>b7</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup>

rep-u - ta-tion ain't so good. A simple son of Brooklyn's what I am. Sir! Mis-ter

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Fm<sup>7</sup> A<sup>b7</sup> G<sup>7</sup> F<sup>#7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> A<sup>bΔ</sup>

Dogs-bo-rough, you don't know me from nothing. Or maybe just from hearsay, which is

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D<sup>bΔ</sup> G<sup>∅</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> E<sup>b7</sup> D<sup>bΔ</sup> B<sup>b7</sup>

worse. A man whose just mis-un-derstood. My rep-u - ta-tion ain't so good. A

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D<sup>b7</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> B<sup>b7</sup>

sim-ple son of Brooklyn's what I am. The tribe of seven's grown to

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Fm<sup>7</sup> B<sup>b7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> B<sup>b7</sup>

thirty now. And there'll be more of us, I guaran-tee. But now I know exactly what you're

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Fm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> E<sup>b7</sup> D<sup>b7</sup> C<sup>7</sup>

wondering. What does Arturo U-i want of me? Not much, just this. I

52  $Fm^7$   $A\flat^{\Delta}$   $D\flat^{\Delta}$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $E\flat^7$

don't want to be misconstrued no more. I've been treated like some sleazy greaseball

55  $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $A\flat^7$   $G^7$   $F\sharp^7$   $Fm^7$   $E\flat^7$

racketeer or whatever it is they call me in this town I want respect At

59  $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $A\flat^{\Delta}$   $D\flat^{\Delta}$   $C^7$   $B^7$   $B\flat m^7$

least from the police. Whom I appreciate so very much. And that's the reason I am

63  $Fm^7$   $B\flat m^7$   $Fm^7$   $B\flat m^7$

standing here. And begging you even though I don't like to beg. To say a little word on

67  $Fm^7$   $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $A\flat^7$   $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $A\flat^7$

my behalf Whenever, God forbid, the heat is on.

72  $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $A\flat^7$   $G^7$   $F\sharp^7$

Sir! Mister Dogs - borough, you don't know me from nothing. Or

75  $Fm^7$   $A\flat^{\Delta}$   $D\flat^{\Delta}$   $G^{\circ}$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $E\flat^7$

maybe just from hearsay, which is worse. A man whose just misunderstood. My

78  $D\flat^{\Delta}$   $B\flat m^7$   $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $Fm^7$   $A\flat^7$

reputation ain't so good. A simple son of Brooklyn's what I am. Perhaps, right now,

82  $G^7$   $F\#^7$   $Fm^7$   $Eb^7$   $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $A\flat^7$

the vegetable trade is safe. But how long with our corrupt police,

86  $G^7$   $F\#^7$   $Fm^7$   $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$

will the vegetable dealer be selling his vegetables safely - in - peace?

89  $Fm^7$   $A\flat^7$   $G^7$   $F\#^7$   $Fm^7$   $Eb^7$

Who knows, but maybe by to-night, Some little stores will be smashed to bits.

92  $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $A\flat^7$   $G^7$   $F\#^7$

I think the grocers would enjoy some protection For

95  $Fm^7$   $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $A\flat^7$   $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $A\flat^7$   $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $B^7$

just a teensy modest fee. I

100  $B\flat m^7$   $Fm^7$   $B\flat m^7$

guess what worries you is thirty guys armed to the teeth and walking in and out of the head

103  $Fm^7$   $B\flat m^7$   $Fm^7$   $D\flat^7$   $C^7$

office. How do we know that we're really safe? The answer is far simpler than you'd

107  $Fm^7$   $Fm^7$   $Eb^7$   $D\flat^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $A\flat^7$   $G^7$   $F\#^7$

think. He who has the cash. Who dishes out the payroll, that's the boss. You're the

112  $Fm^7$   $E_b^7$   $D_b^{\Delta}$   $B_b m^7$   $D_b^7$   $C^7$   
 boss and I respect you. Hey I got enemies, too. You gott-a help me, or I'm through.

115  $Fm^7$   $Fm^7$   $A_b^7$   $G^7$   $F^{\#7}$   
 Sir! Mis-ter Dogs - bo - rough, you don't know me from nothing. Or

118  $Fm^7$   $A_b^{\Delta}$   $D_b^{\Delta}$   $G^{\circ}$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $E_b^7$   
 maybe just from hearsay, which is worse. A man whose just misun-derstood. My

121  $D_b^{\Delta}$   $B_b m^7$   $D_b^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   
 rep-u - ta-tion ain't so good. A simple son of Brooklyn's what I am. Sir! Mis-ter

124  $Fm^7$   $A_b^7$   $G^7$   $F^{\#7}$   $Fm^7$   $A_b^{\Delta}$   
 Dogs-bo-rough, you don't know me from nothing. Or maybe just from hearsay, which is

127  $D_b^{\Delta}$   $G^{\circ}$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $E_b^7$   $D_b^{\Delta}$   $B_b m^7$   
 worse. A man whose just mis-un-derstood. My rep-u - ta-tion ain't so good. A

130  $D_b^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $D_b^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   
 simple son of Brooklyn's what I am. A simple son of Brooklyn's what I am. I said a

134  $D_b^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   $D_b^7$   $C^7$   $Fm^7$   
 simple son of Brooklyn's what I am. So I app-eal to you as man to man