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MAMMY'S LIL' BOY

Rocking Song



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Who's all time dodgin' in de cotton en de corn?
Mammy's lil' boy, Mammy's lil' boy.
Who's all de time a stealing ole Massa's dinner horn?
Mammy's lil' baby boy.

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MAMMY'S LI'L BOY.

(ROCKING SONG.)

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The musical score is arranged in three systems. The first system includes a VOICE line and a PIANO line. The VOICE line consists of three measures with whole rests. The PIANO line features a rhythmic accompaniment with eighth and sixteenth notes. The second system continues the piano accompaniment. The third system shows the VOICE line with three measures of whole rests, while the PIANO line continues with a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.

dolce.

Who all time dod-gin' in de cot-ton en de corn?
 Who all time run-nin' ole gob-ble roun' de yard?
 Who all time stum-pin' es toe er-gin er rock?

Mammy's li'l' boy, Mammy's li'l' boy! Who all de time a steal-in' ole
 Mammy's li'l' boy, Mammy's li'l' boy! Who tek 'e stick 'n' hit ole
 Mammy's li'l' boy, Mammy's li'l' boy! Who all the time er-rip-pin'

Massa's din-ner horn? Mammy's li'l' ha-by boy..... oh Mammy's li'l' ha-by
 pos-som dog so hard? Mammy's li'l' ha-by boy..... oh Mammy's li'l' ha-by
 big hole en es frock? Mammy's li'l' ha-by boy..... oh Mammy's li'l' ha-by

REFRAIN.

li'l' ha-by boy. By ch ba-by boy, oh by By oh lit-tle
 li'l' ha-by boy. By oh ba-by hoy, oh by By oh lit-tle
 li'l' ha-by boy. By oh ba-by boy, oh by By oh lit-tle

boy, Oh, run ter es mammy, En she tek him en 'er arms, Mammy's li'l' ba - by
 boy, Oh, run ter es mammy, En climb up en 'er lap, Mammy's li'l' ba - by
 boy, Oh, run ter es mammy, En she wipe es li'l' eyes, Mammy's li'l' ba - by

ritard.

boy..... oh Mammy's li'l' ba - by li'l' ba - by boy.
 boy..... oh Mammy's li'l' ba - by li'l' ba - by boy.
 boy..... oh Mammy's li'l' ba - by li'l' ba - by boy.

4. Who all time er. losin' de shovel en de rake?
 Mammy's li'l' boy, Mammy's li'l' boy!
 Who all de time tryin' ter ride 'e lazy drake?
 Mammy's li'l' baby boy.
 Byo baby boy, oh bye,
 By-o li'l' boy!
 Oh, scoot fer yer mammy
 En she hide yer f'om yer ma,
 Mammy's li'l' baby boy.
5. Who all de time er-trottin' ter de kitchen fer er bite?
 Mammy's li'l' boy, Mammy's li'l' boy!
 Who mess 'esef wi' taters twell his clothes dey look er sight?
 Mammy's li'l' baby boy.
 Byo baby boy, oh bye,
 By-o li'l' boy!
 En 'e run ter es mammy
 Fer ter git 'im out er trouble,
 Mammy's li'l' baby boy.
6. Who all time er-frettin' en de middle er de day?
 Mammy's li'l' boy, Mammy's li'l' boy!
 Who all time er-gettin' so sleepy 'e can' play,
 Mammy's li'l' baby boy.
 Byo baby boy, oh bye,
 By-o li'l' boy!
 En 'e come ter es mammy
 Ter rock 'im en 'er arms,
 Mammy's li'l' baby boy.

Deir now, lay right down on Mammy's bed en go 'long back ter sleep,--shoo shoo!.....
 Look hyah, nigger, go way f'om dat do! You wake dis chile up wid dat jewsharp, en I'll
 wear yer out ter frazzles!--Sh-h-h-h--