

SM 5376

# Open Your Arms My Alabama

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Moderato

The first system of music is a piano introduction. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The key signature has one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The music features a steady, rhythmic accompaniment with some melodic lines in the treble staff.

The second system of music is a piano accompaniment. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The music continues the accompaniment from the first system, with some chords and melodic fragments.

When I was a kid so high I kissed my folks and said "Goodbye" -  
I can see right near the farm - The school that I played hook-ey from -

The third system of music includes the first two lines of the lyrics. It features a vocal line on a treble clef staff and a piano accompaniment on a grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The lyrics are: "When I was a kid so high I kissed my folks and said 'Goodbye' - I can see right near the farm - The school that I played hook-ey from -".

That was in A - la - bam - y,                      Then I had Dad and Mam - my,  
The charms of A - la - bam - y,                      Are like the arms of Mam - my,

The fourth system of music includes the last two lines of the lyrics. It features a vocal line on a treble clef staff and a piano accompaniment on a grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The lyrics are: "That was in A - la - bam - y,                      Then I had Dad and Mam - my, The charms of A - la - bam - y,                      Are like the arms of Mam - my,".

Now I pray up - on my knees to live those mem - o - ries. —  
How I'd love to dream a - gain the dreams that I dreamed then. —

CHORUS

Open your arms my A - la - bam - y please take me back to your heart

And rock - a - bye me just like a mam - my, Bun - dle me up in all your

sun - shine it's been a long time since I have closed my eyes be -

neath your sun-ny skies Tell ev'ry lit-tle Pos - sy To make it nice and

coz - y, Things have-n't been so ros - y Since I've been a - lone (So)

O - pen your arms my A - la - bam - y Please take me back to your heart and

1. wel - come me home. 2. home.