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# CARRY ME BACK TO OLD VIRGINNY

## SONG AND CHORUS

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Moderato

VOICE

PIANO *mf*

1. Car - ry me back to old Vir - gin - ny, There's where the cot - ton and the  
2. Car - ry me back to old Vir - gin - ny, There let me live 'till I

*f*

corn and ta - toes grow, There's where the birds warble sweet in the springtime,  
with - er and de - cay, Long by the old Dismal Swamp have I wan - der'd,

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There's where the old darkey's heart am long'd to go.      There's where I la - bor'd so  
 There's where this old darkey's life will pass a - way.      Mas - sa and mis - sis have

hard for old massa,      Day af - ter day in the field of yel - low corn,  
 long gone be - fore me,      Soon we will meet on that bright and golden shore,

*rit.*  
 No place on earth do I love more sincerely      Than old Vir - gin - ny, the state where I was born.  
 There we'll be hap - py and free from all sorrow,      There's where we'll meet and we'll nev - er part no more.

*rit.*

CHORUS

SOPRANO

Car\_ry me back to old Virginny, There's where the cotton and the corn and ta\_toes grow,

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

Car\_ry me back to old Virginny, There's where the cotton and the corn and ta\_toes grow,

*rit. Repeat pp last time*

There's where the birds warble sweet in the springtime, There's where this old darkey's heart am long'd to go.

*rit.*

There's where the birds warble sweet in the springtime, There's where this old darkey's heart am long'd to go.

*rit.*