

THANKS FOR THE MEMORY

(Words and Music by Leo Robin and Ralph Rainger - 1937)

Yes, We've tra-velled far and wide to-gether;
Did we tra-vel too fast? Now I rem-in-isce and won-der wheth-er
An-y good things ev-er last. But that, dear, is past.

Thanks - for the mem-o-ry - of rain-y af-ter-noons
Swing-y Har-lem tunes, and mo-tor trips and burn-ing lips
And burn-ing toast and prunes, How love-ly - it was! -
Thanks -for the mem-o-ry - of can-dle-light and wine,
Cas-tles on the Rhine, Your co-zy chair and par-ties where
We sang "Sweet Ad-a-line" How love-ly - it was! -

Ma-ny's the time that we feast-ed -
and ma-ny's the time we fast-ed. -
Oh, well, it was swell while it last-ed; -
We did have fun and no harm done.

And thanks - for the mem-o-ry - of sun-burns at the shore,
Nights in Sing-a-pore. You might have been a head-ache
But you nev-er were a bore, So thank you so much. -

Thanks - for the mem-o-ry - of sen-ti-ment-al verse,
No-thing in my purse, and chuck-les when the preach-er said
"For bet-ter or for worse" How love-ly - it was! -

Thanks - for the mem-o-ry - of lin-ge-rie with lace, -
Pils-ner by the case, and how I jumped the day you trumped
My one and on-ly ace. How love-ly - it was! -

We said good-bye with a high-ball; -
Then I got as "high" as a stee-ple. -
But we were in-tel-li-gent peo-ple; -
No tears, no fuss, Hur-ray for us.

So thanks - for the mem-o-ry - and strict-ly en-tre-nous, -
Dar-ling, how are you? And how are all the lit-tle dreams
That nev-er did come true? ~~Awfully glad I met you,~~
~~Chee-rie-o and too-dle-oo -~~ and thank you - so much! -

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Moderato non troppo

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mf

C7 **F** **D6dim** **C7** **Fdim** **Gm7**

Thanks Thanks for the mem - o - ry of can - dile light and wine,
Thanks for the mem - o - ry of sen - ti - men - al verse,

mp - mf

C7 **F** **D6dim** **C7** **Fdim** **Gm7**

Cas - tles on the Rhine, The Par - the - non and mo - ments on the Hud - son Riv - er Line.
Noth - ing in my purse, And chuck - les when the preach - er said "For bet - ter or for worse"

Gm **Gm7** **Gm7-5** **C7** **C7** **F**

love - ly it was! Thanks for the mem - o - ry of
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F Fdim C7 F
 mem -o - ry of sun - burns at the shore,-- nights in Sing - a - pore.---
 mem -o - ry and strict - ly en - tre - nous,-- Dar - ling, how are you?---
 You
 And

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Ddim C7 1. Fdim Gm7 Fdim Gm Gm7 C7 F C7+ C7
 might have been a head - a - che but you nev - er were a bore,-- So thank you so much.
 how are all the lit - tle dreams that

2.

Fdim Gm7 Gdim F
 nev - er did come true?-- Awf - 'ly glad I met you, Chee - ri -
 o and too - dle -oo-- And thank you so much!

rain-y af -ter -noons, —
 lin -ge -rie with lace, —
 Swing - y Har -lem tunes, — And
 Pils -ner by the case, — And
 mo -tor trips and burn -ing lips and
 how I jumped the day you trumped my

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F#dim Gm7 F#dim Gm Gm7 Gm7-5 C7 E7 Ab

burn -ing toast and prunes. — How love - ly it was!
 one and on - ly ace. — How love - ly it was!

Ma - ny's the time that we
 We said good bye with a

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E7 E7 Ab F#dim C G Am

feast - ed And ma - ny's the time that we fast - ed. Oh, well, it was swell while it
 high - ball; Than I got as "high" as a stee - ple. But we were in - tel - li - gent

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Dm Dm7-5 G7 Gm7 Gm7-5 C7 C+ E7 C7

last - ed; We did have fun and no harm done. And thanks for the
 peo - ple; No tears, no fuss, Hur - ray for us. So thanks for the