

The Coffee Song (They've Got an Awful lot of Coffee in Brazil)

Bob Hilliard and Dick Miles 1946 (1st note sung is a "G") practice sheet at ukesterbrown.com

G7 C Gdim Dm7 G7

Way down among Brazilians coffee beans grow by the billions

C Am D7

So they've got to find those extra cups to fill

Dm7 G7 C G7

They've got an awful lot of coffee in Brazil

C Gdim Dm7 G7

You can't get cherry soda cause they've got to sell their quota

C D7

And the way things are I guess they never will

Dm7 G7 C

They've got a zillion tons of coffee in Brazil

Gdim Dm7 G7 C Gdim Dm7 G7 C

No tea or tomato juice, you'll see no potato juice

A7 Dm A7 D7 G7

'Cause the planters down in santos all say no! no! no!

C Gdim Dm7 G7

A politicians daughter was accused of drinking water

C Am D7

And was fined a great big fifty dollar bill

Dm7 G7 C G7

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You date a girl and find out later she smells just like a percolator

C Am D7

Her perfume was made right on the grill

Dm7 G7 C G7

Why they could percolate the ocean in Brazil

C Gdim Dm7 G7

And when their ham and eggs need savor coffee ketchup gives em flavor

C Am D7

Coffee pickles way outsell the dill

Dm7 G7 C

Why they put coffee in the coffee in Brazil

Gdim Dm7 G7 C Gdim Dm7 G7 C

No tea or tomato juice, you'll see no potato juice

A7 Dm A7 D7 G7

'Cause the planters down in santos all say no! no! no!

C Gdim Dm7 G7

So you'll add to the local color serving coffee with a cruller

C Am D7

Dunking doesn't take a lot of skill

Dm7 G7 C

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