BIDIN' MY TIME

Music and Lyrics by
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Moderately

Gracefully

Eb Cm Fm7 Bb 7 Eb Eb 7 Fm7 Gm Bb 7 Bb 7

Some fell-ers love to Tip-Toe Through The Tu-lips;
Some fell-ers love to Tell It To The Dai-sies;

Eb Cm Fm7 Eb Fm7 F7 Fm7F# m7-5 Bb 7

Some fell-ers go on Sing-ing In The Rain.
Some Stroll Be-neath The Hon-ey-suc-kle Vines;

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Some fellers keep on Paintin' Skies With Sunshine.
Some fellers when they've Climbed The Highest Mountain.

Some fellers keep on Swingin' Down The Lane.
Still keep a Cryin' For The Carolinas.

Refrain (leisurely)

I'm bidin' my time; 'Cause that's the kind-a guy I'm. While
I'm bidin' my time; 'Cause that's the kind-a guy I'm.

Other folks grow dizzy I keep busy Bidin' my time. Next year,
ginin' on a Mon'dy Right through Sun'dy, Bidin' my time. Give me,
next year,
    Some-thin’s bound to hap - pen;
this year,
    I’ll just keep on nap - pin’,

give me
    Glass that’s full of tink - le,
let me
    Dream like Rip Van Wink - le.

This year,
    Let me
    And bid-in’ my

Let me,
    And bid-ed his
    He bid-in’ my

Some-thin’s bound to hap-pen;
    I’ll just keep on nap-pin’;
Glass that’s full of tink-le;
    Dream like Rip Van Wink-le.

and bid-ed his
    He bid-in’ my

The kind-a guy I’m;
    There’s no re-gret-tin’
That’s the kind-a guy I’m;
    Chas’in’ ‘way flies,

There’s no re-gret-tin’
    Chas’in’ ‘way flies,

There’s no re-gret-tin’
    Chas’in’ ‘way flies,

And like that Wink-le guy I’m;
    ‘Cause that’s the kind-a guy
And like that Wink-le guy I’m;
    ‘Cause that’s the kind-a guy

‘Cause that’s the kind-a guy
    ‘Cause that’s the kind-a guy

1. When I’m set-tin’ bid-in’ my
2. How the day flies, bid-in’ my

time.
    time.

When I’m set-tin’ bid-in’ my

How the day flies, bid-in’ my

1. Eb Bb 7 Gm7 Bb 7
2. Eb