

Marianne

Songwriters: William H. Eaton Jr.



[CHORUS]

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All day, all night, Marianne

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Down by the sea side siftin' sand

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Even little children love Marianne

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Down by the seaside siftin' sand

Marianne, oh, Marianne, oh, won't you marry me?
We can have a bamboo hut and brandy in the tea
Leave your fat old mamma home, she never will say yes
If mama don't know now, she can guess
(My, my, yes)

[REPEAT CHORUS]

When she walks along the shore, people pause to greet
White birds fly around her; little fish come to her feet
In her heart is love but I'm the only mortal man
Who's allowed to kiss my Marianne
(Don't rush me)

[REPEAT CHORUS]

When we marry we will have a time you never saw
I will be so happy I will kiss my mother-in-law
Children by the dozen in and out the bamboo hut
One for every palm tree and coconut
(Hurry up now)

[REPEAT CHORUS]