

A picnic on the grass

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The pleasure of eating in the open air.

Written by Homer H. Harbour from '140 folk songs' published 1921.

Were you ev - er on a pic - nic When the sum - mer sky is blue, With the
green grass for a ta - ble And for ta - ble - cloth too?

The musical score is written in G major (one sharp) and 3/4 time. It consists of two staves. The first staff has a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The notes are: G4, A4, B4, A4, G4, F#4, E4, D4, C4, B3, A3, G3. Chords are indicated above the staff: D above G4, A7 above A4, and D above G3. The second staff has a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. The notes are: G4, A4, B4, A4, G4, F#4, E4, D4, C4, B3, A3, G3. Chords are indicated above the staff: D above G4, G above A4, D above B4, A7 above G4, and D above F#4. The piece ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.



Were you ever on a picnic
When the summer sky is blue,
With the green grass for a table
And for tablecloth too?

With the platters made of oak leaves
Tied together with a string,
And with cups made out of birch bark
You can drink from the spring.

Picking flowers, picking berries,
Till the good things all are spread;
Eating dinner in the sunshine
While the birds sing o'erhead.