

Sadie Green, the Vamp of New Orleans

Jim Kweskin (1965), from the Five Harmaniacs (1926)

Sadie Green was the vamp of New Orleans
She had more beaus than the Navy has Marines
When she starts to dance, oh gee
Mother, pin a rose on me
She makes bald men tear their hair
Now hold her noose, don't let her rear

Since that vamping lady came to town
She turned everything right upside down
Oh boy, what a catch
She's got big brown eyes and feet to match
What a queen, Sadie Green
She's the vamp of New Orleans

D, G-D, Edim, D
G, Edim-D7, G, G
G, Edim-D7, G, G
Em, B7
Em, B7
A7, A7
D7, D7
G, Edim-D7, G, G
C, C, B7, B7
E, E
A7, A7
G, E7
A7-D7, G
Em, B7, Em-B7, Em
Em, B7, Em-B7, Em
D, D, G-C, Em
A7, A7, D7, D7