


SHAKE THE PAPAYA DOWN

(trad. Jamaica)

I 
Ma - ma says no play; This is a work day. Up with the bright sun; get all the work done.
Sweet, sweet pa-pa - ya, Fruit of the is - land, When all the work's done, dance on the white sands.


If you will help me, climb up the tall tree, Shake the pa - pa - ya down.
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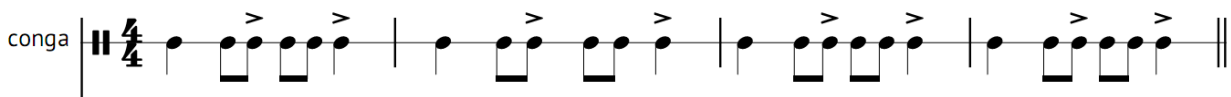


II 
Shake them down, shake them down, Climb the tall_ tree, shake them down.


Shake them down, shake them down, Shake the pa - pa - ya down.

III 
I love pa - pa - ya, yes, I do._ Juic-y pa - pa - ya, yes, I do._


If you will help_ me, I'll help you._ Shake the pa - pa - ya down.

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Shake the papaya down – Mande o mamão pro chão

<p>Mama says no play; This is a work day, Up with the bright sun, get all the work done. If you will help me climb up the tall tree, Shake the papaya down.</p> <p>Sweet sweet papaya, fruit of the island, When all the work's done, dance on the white sands, If you will help me climb up the tall tree Shake the papaya down.</p> <p>Shake them down, shake them down, Climb the tall tree, shake them down. Shake them down, shake them down, Shake the papaya down!</p> <p>I love papaya, yes I do, Juicy papaya, yes I do. If you will help me, I'll help you, Shake the papaya down!</p>	<p>Mamãe diz sem brincadeira; Hoje é dia de trabalho, Levante com o sol brilhante, faça todo o trabalho. Se você me ajudar a subir na árvore alta, Mande o mamão pro chão.</p> <p>Doce, doce mamão, fruta da ilha, Quando todo o trabalho estiver feito, dance nas areias brancas, Se você me ajudar a subir na árvore alta, Mande o mamão pro chão.</p> <p>Mande pro chão, mande pro chão, Suba na árvore alta, mande pro chão, Mande pro chão, mande pro chão, Mande o mamão pro chão.</p> <p>Eu amo mamão, sim, eu amo, Mamão suculento, sim, eu amo. Se você me ajudar, eu ajudo você, Mande o mamão pro chão!</p>
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