

Score

# RANKY TANKY

(As sung by Ranky Tanky)

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Gullah ♩ = 220

The musical score is written in 4/4 time and consists of three systems of staves. The first system includes parts for Alto, Tenor 1, and Tenor 2. The second system includes parts for Alto (A), Tenor 1 (T 1), and Tenor 2 (T 2). The third system shows measures 7, 8, and 8 for Alto, Tenor 1, and Tenor 2 respectively, with thick black lines indicating rests.

**System 1:**

- Alto:** We are the great-est! Yeah! Yeah!
- Tenor 1:** We are the great-est! Yeah! Yeah!
- Tenor 2:** Who is the great-est? Are you sure? Pos-i-tive? De-fin-i-

**System 2:**

- A:** Yeah! — Al - right! Al - right
- T 1:** Yeah! — Al right! Al - right!
- T 2:** tive? Al - right! Al - right!

**System 3:**

- A:** 8
- T 1:** 8
- T 2:** 8

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15

A

T 1

T 2

23

Verse

A

Verse

T 1

Verse

T 2

Old la - dy come from Boos - ter. — Had two hens and a roos - ter. — The

27

A

T 1

T 2

roos - ter died, the old la - dy cried now she don't eat eggs like she use - ta. —

31

A

T 1

T 2

Old la - dy come from Boos - ter. \_\_\_ Had two hens and a roos - ter. \_\_\_ The

35

A

T 1

T 2

roos - ter died, the old la - dy cried now she don't eat eggs like she use - ta. \_\_\_

39

A

T 1

T 2

Oh ma ya look so. \_\_\_ Oh pa ya look so. \_\_\_

Oh ma ya look so. \_\_\_ Oh pa ya look so. \_\_\_

Oh ma ya look so. \_\_\_ Oh pa ya look so. \_\_\_

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43

A

T 1

T 2

Who's been here since I've been gone? Two lit - tle boys with the blue caps on.

47

A

T 1

T 2

Shout "SLAP!" Shout "SLAP!"

Lean - ing on a hick - or - y stick. Pa - pa gon - na slap - him good.

51 Chorus

A

T 1

T 2

Sing Ran - ky Tan - ky. Ran - ky Tan - ky.

Chorus Sing Ran - ky Tan - ky. Ran - ky Tan - ky.

Chorus Pain in my head! Pain in my heart!

55

A

T 1

T 2

Ran - ky Tan - ky. \_\_\_\_

Ran - ky Tan - ky. \_\_\_\_

Pain in my feet! Pain all ov - er me!

59

A

T 1

T 2

Ran - ky Tan - ky. \_\_\_\_

Ran - ky Tan - ky. \_\_\_\_

Ran - ky Tan - ky. \_\_\_\_

Ran - ky Tan - ky. \_\_\_\_

Pain in my head! Pain in my heart!

63

A

T 1

T 2

Ran - ky Tan - ky. \_\_\_\_

Ran - ky Tan - ky. \_\_\_\_

Pain in my feet! Pain all ov - er me!

67

A  
 Old la - dy come from Boos - ter. \_\_\_ Had two hens and a roos - ter. \_\_\_ The

T 1  
 Old la - dy come from Boos - ter. \_\_\_ Had two hens and a roos - ter. \_\_\_ The

T 2  
 Old la - dy come from Boos - ter. \_\_\_ Had two hens and a roos - ter. \_\_\_ The

71

A  
 roos - ter died, the old la - dy cried now she don't eat eggs like she use - ta. \_\_\_

T 1  
 roos - ter died, the old la - dy cried now she don't eat eggs like she use - ta. \_\_\_

T 2  
 roos - ter died, the old la - dy cried now she don't eat eggs like she use - ta. \_\_\_

75

A  
 Old la - dy come from Boos - ter. \_\_\_ Had two hens and a roos - ter. \_\_\_ The

T 1  
 Old la - dy come from Boos - ter. \_\_\_ Had two hens and a roos - ter. \_\_\_ The

T 2  
 Old la - dy come from Boos - ter. \_\_\_ Had two hens and a roos - ter. \_\_\_ The

79

A  
roos - ter died, the old la - dy cried now she don't eat eggs like she use - ta. \_\_\_\_

T 1  
roos - ter died, the old la - dy cried now she don't eat eggs like she use - ta. \_\_\_\_

T 2  
roos - ter died, the old la - dy cried now she don't eat eggs like she use - ta. \_\_\_\_

83

A  
We are the great - est! Yeah!

T 1  
We are the great - est! Yeah!

T 2  
Who is the great - est? Are you sure? Pos - i -

86

A  
Yeah! Yeah! Al - right! Al - right

T 1  
Yeah! Yeah! Al right! Al - right!

T 2  
tive? De - fin - i - tive? Al - right! Al - right!