

# Tumbalalaika

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## Jiddish Folksong

Dm A<sup>7</sup> Dm  
 Shteyt a bo - cher, shteyt un tracht, tracht un tracht a gant - ze nacht. Ve-men tsu  
 10 Bb C<sup>7</sup> F Gm C A<sup>7</sup> Dm  
 ne - men un nit far she - men, ve-men tsu ne - men un nit far she - men. Tum-ba - la,  
 18 A<sup>7</sup> Dm  
 tum - ba - la, tum - ba - la - lai - ka, Tum - ba - la, tum - ba - la, tum - ba - la - lai - ka  
 25 Bb C<sup>7</sup> F Gm C A<sup>7</sup> Dm  
 tum - ba - la - lai - ka, shpiel ba - la - lai - ka Shpiel ba - la - lai - ka frey-lach zol zayn.

Meydl, meydl, ch'vel bay dir fregen,  
Vos kan vaksn, vaksn on regn?  
Vos kon brenen un nit oyfhern?  
Vos kon benken, veynen on treren?