

# Floatin' Down to Cotton Town

sheet music key: C

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**G** **B7 D7** **G** **Bm7 B<sup>b</sup>7 D7** **B<sup>b</sup>7**  
 I just dropped in to see you all and say— I

**D7** **D+** **G** **G** **Bm7 B<sup>b</sup>7 D**  
 leave to - day, I'm on my way; I'm go - in' back to sun - ny Dix - ie - land,

**A7** **D7** **G** **Bm7 B<sup>b</sup>7**  
 — That's why I came to shake you by the hand. The min - ute when I cross that

**D7** **B<sup>b</sup>7 D7** **D+** **G** **B<sup>b</sup>7 D** **D<sup>#</sup>7**  
 Dix - ie Line, No more I'll pine won't that be fine? Mis - ter Cap - tain, don't fail—

**A7** **D** **D<sup>#</sup>7** **A7** **A<sup>o</sup>7/E<sup>b</sup>** **D7**  
 — me, just hur - ry and sail me To that gal of mine.

**G** **F<sup>o</sup>7** **A7** **D7**  
 Float - in' down, my hon - ey, float - in' down, Float - in' on the riv - er down to

**G** **E<sup>o</sup>7** **G** **E E7(b5) A7**  
 Cot - ton Town; Just hear that whis - tle toot! toot! toot - in' a - way, And those folks all

**D** **G** **F<sup>o</sup>7** **A7**  
 sing - in', ban - jos ring - in' till the break of day. Hon - ey lamb, my lit - tle hon - ey lamb,

**D7** **D<sup>#</sup>7** **Em** **G7** **C** **C<sup>o</sup>7** **C** **E<sup>b</sup>7**  
 — I'll come back to you and Al - a - bam', While fields of sug - ar cane seem to

**G** **G7** **E7** **A7** **A<sup>o</sup>7/E<sup>b</sup>** **D7** **G**  
 wel - come me a - gain, Float - in' down to Cot - ton Town.