

Frère Jacques

Are You Sleeping

This song is about a friar who has overslept. He must wake up and sound the bell for matins, the early morning prayers.

French round

1

Are you sleep - ing, are you sleep - ing,
Frè - re Jac - ques, Frè - re Jac - ques,

The first system of music features a treble and bass clef with a common time signature. The melody is written in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. The lyrics are written below the treble staff. The bass line includes chord symbols G, A, B, and G.

2

1 2
Bro - ther John, Bro - ther John?
Dor - mez - vous? Dor - mez - vous?

The second system of music continues the melody and bass line. The lyrics are written below the treble staff. The bass line includes chord symbols B and G.

3

Morn-ing bells are ring - ing, morn- ing bells are ring - ing,
Son - nez les ma - ti - nes, son - nez les ma - ti - nes,

The third system of music continues the melody and bass line. The lyrics are written below the treble staff. The bass line includes chord symbols B and G.

4

5 2 5
Ding dong ding, ding dong ding.

The fourth system of music concludes the piece. The lyrics are written below the treble staff. The bass line includes chord symbols G, B, and G.