

The Mysterious Cat

Voice

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Allegro A

mf *spoken p*

1. I saw a proud mys - ter - i - ous cat. cat cat cat cat

mf *spoken p*

1. I saw a proud mys - ter - i - ous cat. cat cat cat cat

mf

1. I saw a proud mys - ter - i - ous cat. _____

mf

1. I saw a proud mys - ter - i - ous cat. _____

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roll 'r'

cat, to proud to chase a mouse or a rat rat cat cat

roll 'r' *mf*

cat, to proud to chase a mouse or a rat rat cat cat mys - ter - i - ous -

f

_____ a poor proud mys - ter - i - ous. _____

f

_____ a poor proud mys - ter - i - ous. _____ se - ri - ous

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f *ffp* *fp*

wee - re ous - se - ri - ous cat. cat cat sh - me

f *ffp* *ppp* *fp* *fp*

queer - i - ous se - ri - ous cat. cat cat sh - me

f *ffp* *ppp* *fp* *mp* *fp*

queer - i - ous se - ri - ous cat. me - ow sh -

ffp *ppp* *fp* *mp* *fp*

se - ri - ous cat. me - ow sh -

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me - ow mew I

me - ow mew I

me - ow sh mew

me - ow sh mew

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saw a cat 'twas but a dream who scorned the slave that brought her cream

saw a cat 'twas but a dream who scorned the slave that brought her cream

I saw a cat 'twas but a dream who scorned the slave that brought her cream that

I saw a cat 'twas but a dream who scorned the slave that brought her cream that

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wee-ri-ous se-ri-ous cat sh

mys-ter-i-ous queer-i-ous se-ri-ous cat. cat cat sh

poor proud mys-ter-i-ous queer-i-ous se-ri-ous cat.

poor proud mys-ter-i-ous se-ri-ous se-ri-ous cat.

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wee-re - ous_ se-ri-ous cat. cat cat sh me -

f *ffp* *ppp* *fp* *fp*

queer i - ous se-ri-ous cat. cat cat sh me -

ffp *ppp* *fp* *mp* *fp*

queer - i - ous se-ri-ous cat. me - ow sh

f *ffp* *ppp* *fp* *mp* *fp*

se-ri-ous cat. me - ow sh

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ow mew Did you ev - er hear of a

ow mew Did you ev - er hear of a

mp *ff* *ff*

mew Did you ev - er hear of a

mp *ff* *ff*

mew Did you ev - er hear of a

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thing like that? Did you ev - er hear of a thing like that? Did you ev - er hear of a

thing like that? Did you ev - er hear of a thing like that? Did you ev - er hear of a

thing like that? Did you ev - er hear of a thing like that? Did you ev - er hear of a

thing like that? Did you ev - er hear of a thing like that? Did you ev - er hear of a

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thing like that? Did you ev - erhear of a thing like that? _____ Whata proud proud What a

thing like that? Did you ev - erhear of a thing like that? _____ Whata proud proud What a

thing like that? Did you ev - erhear of a thing like that? _____ proud proud

thing like that? Did you ev - erhear of a thing like that? _____ proud proud

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G

proud proud What a proud proud proud proud _____ my - ste - ri - ous _____

proud proud What a proud proud proud proud _____ eer - i - ous _____

proud proud proud proud proud proud proud _____ my - ste - ri - ous _____

proud proud proud proud proud proud proud _____ my - ste - ri - ous _____

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mp wee-ri - ous_ *p* se - ri - ous cat.

mp ee - ri - ous *p* se - ri - ous cat.

mp mys - ter - i - ous_ *mp* quee - ri - ous *p* se - ri - ous cat.

mp quee - ri - ous *p* se - ri - ous cat.