

# Kookaburra

Australian Folksong

Koo - ka - bur - ra sits in the old gum tree,

The first system of musical notation for the song 'Kookaburra'. It consists of a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff, both in 6/8 time. The treble staff contains the melody with lyrics underneath. The bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving lines.

Mer - ry, mer - ry king of the bush is he.

The second system of musical notation, starting at measure 5. It continues the melody and accompaniment from the first system. The treble staff has the melody and the bass staff has the accompaniment.

Laugh, Koo - ka - bur - ra, laugh, Koo - ka - bur - ra,

The third system of musical notation, starting at measure 9. The melody in the treble staff features a prominent slur over the first two measures. The accompaniment in the bass staff continues with a steady rhythm.

Gay your life must be!

The fourth and final system of musical notation, starting at measure 13. The treble staff concludes the melody with a final note and a double bar line. The bass staff provides a concluding accompaniment.