

Save The Bones For Henry Jones

Chords And Lyrics

By Nat King Cole

Intro – G-C-G-D7 ... G-C-G-D7

G
Tonight we'll have a party - We'll eat some food that's rare
C G A7 D D7
And at the head of the table - we'll place brother Henry's chair
G C Edim
Invite all the local big dogs - We'll laugh and talk and eat
G E7
But we'll save the bones for Henry Jones
A7 D7 G D7
Cause Henry don't eat no meat

G
Today I'll go to market - and buy up a lotta fish
C G A7 D D7
Well, that will thrill brother Henry - 'Cause fish is his special dish
G C
Get a large can of molasses - so we'll have something sweet to
Edim
Eat
G E7
But we'll save the bones for Henry Jones
A7 D7 G
Cause Henry don't eat no meat

G7 C
Henry is not a drinker - He rarely takes a nip
A7 D D7
He don't need a napkins - 'Cause the things he eats don't drip -
blip!

G
 One day we had a banquet - It really was a bake
 C G A7 D D7
 They started off with short ribs - any they finished off with steak
 G C Edim
 But when the feast was over - Brother Henry just kept his seat
 G E7
 And we served the bones to Henry Jones
 A7 D7 G
 Cause Henry don't eat no meat -

Break - G-C-G-A7-D-D7

G
 Our banquet was most proper - Right down to demitasse
 C G A7 D D7
 From soup - to lox and bagels - And pheasant under glass - class!
 G C Edim
 We thought the chops were mellow - He said his chops were beat
 G E7
 We served the bones to Henry Jones
 A7 D7 E E7
 'Cause Henry don't eat no meat - He's an egg man
 A7 D7 G E7
 Henry don't eat no meat - He digs that yogurt
 A7 D7 G E7
 Henry don't eat no meat - A vegetarian
 A7 D7 G C7 G
 Henry?- Coming mother! - Henry don't eat no meat