

# Shake Sugaree

50's ?  
uke version: 7.6.15



Elizabeth  
"Libba" Cotten  
(1896-1987)

- C**  
1 Have a little song - won't take long  
**F**  
Sing it right, once or twice
- chorus** **C**  
Oh, lordy me, didn't I shake sugaree?  
**G7** **C**  
Everything I got is done and pawned  
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(optional line) Everything I got is done and pawned
- 2 Pawn my watch, pawn my chain  
Pawn everything that was in my name (chorus)
- 3 Pawn my buggy, horse and cart  
Pawned everything that was on my lot (chorus)
- 4 Pawn my chair, pawn my bed  
Ain't got nowhere to lay my head (chorus)
- 5 Pawn my tobacco, pawn my pipe  
Pawned everything that was in my sight (chorus)
- 6 Have a little secret, I ain't gonna tell  
I'm going to heaven in a brown pea shell (chorus)
- 7 Pawn my farm, pawn my plough  
Pawned everything, even pawned my old cow (chorus)
- 8 Pawn my hat, pawn my shoes  
Pawned everything that I could use (chorus)
- 9 Have a little secret, I ain't gonna tell  
I'm goin' to heaven and I ain't goin' to hell (chorus)
- 10 Chew my tobacco, spit my juice  
Would raise some cain, but it ain't a bit 'a use

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