

Trainspotting

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Perfect Day

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♩ = 58 Words & Music by Lou Reed

The musical score is presented in four systems, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats) and the time signature is 12/8. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

System 1: Chords: F, B^bm, F, B^bm. The piano part plays a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes.

System 2: Chords: B^bm, E^b (fr³), A^b (fr⁴), D^b. Lyrics: "Just a per-fect day — drink san - gri - a in the park, —"

System 3: Chords: G^b, E^bm, F. Lyrics: "and then la - ter when it gets dark, we go home."

System 4: Chords: B^bm, E^b (fr³), A^b (fr⁴), D^b. Lyrics: "Just a per-fect day, — feed a - ni - mals in the zoo, —"

G^b E^bm F

then la - ter a mo - vie too and then home. Oh

B^b E^b Dm E^b

it's such a per-fect day, — I'm glad I spent it with you.

B^b F Gm F E^b

Oh such a per-fect day, — you just keep me hang - ing on, — you just

1. 2.

Gm F E^b Gm F E^b

keep me hang - ing on. keep me hang - ing on.

Gm F Eb F Gm F Eb F Gm F Eb
 fr³ fr³ fr³ fr³ fr³ fr³ fr³ fr³ fr³ fr³ fr³ fr³

F⁶/A Ab Eb Bb
 x⁰o⁰ fr⁴ fr³ x⁰ x

play 4 times

You're going to reap— just what you sow.

F⁶/A Ab Eb Bb
 x⁰o⁰ fr⁴ fr³ x⁰ x

Repeat to finish

2°

Verse 2:
 Just a perfect day
 Problems all left alone
 Weekenders on our own,
 It's such fun.
 Just a perfect day
 You made me forget myself
 I thought I was someone else,
 Someone good.