

Monster Mash

Words and music by Bobby (Boris) Pickett and Leonard L. Capizzi, 1962

Soprano Baritone

G
I was working in the lab late one night
E^m
When my eyes beheld an eerie sight
C
For my monster from his slab began to rise
D
And suddenly to my surprise (He did...)
G
{He did} the mash (He did the monster mash)
E^m
The monster mash (It was a graveyard smash)
C
{He did} the mash (It caught on in a flash)
D
{He did} the mash (He did the monster mash)
G
From my laboratory in the castle east
E^m
To the master bedroom where the vampires feast
C
The ghouls all came from their humble abodes
D
To get a jolt from my electrodes (They did...)
C
The zombies were having fun
D
The party had just begun
C
The guests included Wolfman
D
Dracula and his son
G
The scene was rocking all were digging the sound
E^m
Igor on chains backed by his baying hounds
C
The Coffin Bangers were about to arrive
D
With their vocal group, the Crypt-Kicker Five (They played...)
G
Out from his coffin Drac's voice did ring
E^m
Seems he was troubled by just one thing
C
He opened the lid and shook his fist and said
D (N.C.)
"Whatever happened to my Transylvania twist?" (It's now...)
G
Now everything's cool, Drac's a part of the band
E^m
And my monster mash is the hit of the land
C
For you, the living, this mash was meant, too
D
When you get to my door tell them Boris sent you (And you can...)

