

# Mary Had a Pretty Bird

music: Miss Natalie Merchant  
text: Mother Goose  
arrangement: Megan Gould

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Vamp old-timey

Voice

Guitar/  
Leadsheet

Standard Tuning  
Suggested Capo IV

Flute

Fiddle

Double Bass

B B B B (4)

B pizz.

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Verse 1

5

Vox

Mar - y had a pret - ty bird, fea - thers bright and

Gtr./LS

Fl.

Fdl

D.B.

8

Vox

yel - low, slen - der legs, u - pon my word, He

Gtr./LS

Fl.

Fdl

D.B.

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11

Vox

was a pret - ty fel - low. Ma - ry had a pret - ty bird,

Gtr./LS

B F# B (8) B

Fl.

Fdl

D.B.

14

Vox

Ma - ry had a pret - ty bird,

Gtr./LS

B B F#

Fl.

*tr*

Fdl

D.B.

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17

Vox

Ma - ry had a pret - ty bird,

Gtr./LS

B B

Fl.

Fdl

D.B.

B B

19

Vox

Ma - ry had a pret - ty bird.

Gtr./LS

B F# B E

Fl.

Fdl

D.B.

B F# B E

*mf*

Interlude

22

Vox

Gtr./LS

Fl.

Fdl

D.B.

B B F# E

(4)

26

Vox

Gtr./LS

Fl.

Fdl

D.B.

B B F# F#

(8)

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Verse 2

30

Vox

Ma - ry had a pret - ty bird,

Gtr./LS

B B B B

Fl.

gentle

Fdl

*p*

D.B.

B B B B

34

Vox

fea - thers bright and yel - low, slen - der legs, u -

Gtr./LS

B F# B

(4)

Fl.

Fdl

D.B.

B F# B

37

Vox

- pon my word, He was a pret - ty fel - low.

B B F# B

Gtr./LS

(8)

Fl.

Fdl

D.B.

40

Vox

Ma - ry had a pret - ty bird,

B B

Gtr./LS

Fl.

Fdl

D.B.

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42

Vox

Ma - ry had a pret - ty bird,

Gtr./LS

B F#

Fl.

3 3

Fdl

D.B.

B F#

44

Vox

Ma - ry had a pret - ty bird, Ma - ry had a pret - ty

Gtr./LS

B B B F#

Fl.

tr tr

Fdl

D.B.

B B B F#

Outro

47

Vox

bird.

B E B B

Gtr./LS

Fl.

Fdl

*mf*

D.B.

51

Vox

F# E B B

Gtr./LS

(4)

Fl.

Fdl

D.B.

**poco rit.**.....

55

Vox

Gtr./LS

Fl.

Fdl

D.B.

F# F# B

(8)

F# F# B