

Six Creepy Children's Pieces

I. The Itsy Bitsy Tarantula

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$\text{♩} = 120$

A Tarantella *

Dm

A7

Dm

6

The it - sy bitsy ta -
The it - sy bit - sy

6

Gm

ran - tu - la went up the wat - er spout play
boys and girls then went out-doors to play
Down Out came the rain, ta - ran - tu - la and
and and

II

Dm Cm Am

washed the ta - ran - tu - la out
scared all the child - ren a - way
Out Out came the sun
the teach - er, and her

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Gm Gm Gm Dm Cm D7

dried out all the rain and the it - sy bit - sy ta - ran - tu - la went up the spout a -
left shoe in her hand and the it - sy bit - sy ta - ran - tu - la was ne - ver seen a -

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Gm D7

gain gain ne - ver seen a - gain

* Tarantella and tarantula are related words. Tarantula is a big hairy spider found in the Taranto region of Italy (and here too). Tarantella is a dance that originated there. Some sources say a Tarantella is a dance caused by the venom of the Tarantula, others say it is a dance which will render a venomous bite harmless. It later became a courtship dance.