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3. Pad-dy likes Ha-wai-ian mu-sic be-cause it's such a nov-el-

1. Pat O' Bri-en aft-er buy-in' a tick-et for the Sand-wich
2. Pad-dy's yearn-in' to be learn-in' to play the Uk-a-le-le,

ty, He thinks the har-mon-y Is sweet as it can be. If he tries to
Isles, His face all full of smiles, And aft-er man-y trials; Pad-dy land-ed,
too, For his Hon-o-lu-lu Lou, Like all Ha-wai-ians do. Pad-dy's danc-er

he'll get wise to all the mel-o-dies he's heard, And he knows some-tunes al-read-y but he
then me-an-dered where the Hu-la maid-ens sway, Oh, he met a Hu-la danc-er down be-
does-n't an-swer when he starts to talk and shout, For when Pad-dy talks Ha-wai-ian no one

does-n't know a word.— Ha-wai-ian's hard to get.— With an I-rish al-pha-bet.—
side Ha-wai-i Bay.— She won his heart a-way,— And I heard the oth-er day:—
knows what it's a-bout,— If his wife on-ly knew,— He'd be in an I-rish stew.—

CHORUS

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He's sigh-in' and ly-in' in I-rish and Ha-wai-ian To his wife and Lu - lu

true" He won Brid-get, Kate and Ma-ry by sing-ing "Tip-per-ar-y," And he'll win his

true" With his "Ar-rah Ya-ka Hu-la Be-gor-ra Hick-i Du-la" And his I - rish

too; While he writes a lot of blar-ney to Ka-tie in Kil-lar-ney And she thinks that

Lu - lu too, For O' Bri-en is try-in' to learn to talk Ha-wai-ian To his

"Ji - ji Boo" Sure, O' Bri-en is try-in' to learn to talk Ha-wai-ian To his

he is true, Sure, O' Bri-en is try-in' to learn to talk Ha-wai-ian To his

Hon - o - lu - lu Lou. Lou.

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A ros - a - ry I wrought for you, Each pearl a mem - o - ry Of
 hap - pi - ness my heart once knew, Of love you had for me. Each ros - a - ry must
 have its cross To bear un - to the end, And mine is just my bro - ken heart, Which
 on - ly you can mend. My ros - a - ry will

p
rit. *a tempo*
a little animated
rit. *poco rit.* *mf*

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dreams, Where the night - in - gales are sing - ing And a white moon
beams: There's a long, long night of wait - ing Un - til my
dreams all come true; Till the day when I'll be go - ing down That

p *f a tempo*
pp *rit.*
f *pp*
ff *f*

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