

## LAISSEZ FAIRE

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*"When I wrote this song I envisioned a Cajun Bal de Maison or gathering similar to those my family has during the various holidays. Everyone either plays an instrument, sings or dances which can be a good cure for a worried mind." -- Bruce Daigrepoint*

### LAISSEZ FAIRE

Laissez-faire, laissez-faire, ma jolie  
Bon temps roule, allons danser, toute ia  
nuit  
Oh, T-Pierre va jouer p'tit fer,  
Boire la biere et jouer cuillere,  
Laissez-faire, laissez-faire, ma jolie.

Si toi t'es presse et occupe, mon ami  
Couriri ici, courir la-bas  
Fais-ci et fais ca  
Si toi tu chasses une place comme  
paradis,  
On a ici un beau pays dans la Louisiane

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Boire la biere et jouer cuillere,  
Laissez-faire, laissez-faire, ma jolie.

Travailler c'est trop dur,  
Et voler c'est pas bon,  
C'est un "va et vient"  
Pour avoir rien  
Chere fais attantion  
Si toi tu chasses un place comme paradis,  
On a ici un beau pay dans la Louisiane.

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### LET IT BE

Let it be, let it be, my pretty one  
Good times roll, let's dance all night long.  
Oh, T-Pierre will play the triangle  
Drink beer and play the spoons,  
Let it be, let it be, my pretty one.

If you're rushed and busy, my friend,  
Running here, running there,  
doing this, doing that  
If you're looking for a place like paradise,  
We have here a beautiful country in  
Louisiana

Let it be, let it be, my pretty one  
Good times roll, let's dance all night long.  
Oh, T-Pierre will play the triangle  
Drink beer and play the spoons,  
Let it be, let it be, my pretty one.

Working is too hard  
And stealing is not good  
It's a going and a coming  
To get nothing.  
Dear, be careful  
If you're looking for a place like paradis  
It's here in beautiful Louisiana

Let it be, let it be, my pretty one  
Good times roll, let's dance all night long.  
Oh, T-Pierre will play the triangle  
Drink beer and play the spoons,  
Let it be, let it be, my pretty one.