

THE CHARLESTON

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Animato



VERSE

Car - o - lin - a,



Car - o - lin - a, At last they've got you on the map, —



Cm B♭ Gm Eb

With a new_ tune, Fun-ny blue_ tune, With a pe-cu - liar snap!

Gm A7

You may not be a - ble to buck or wing,

D F7 Fm7 Bb

Fox - trot, two-step, or e - ven sing; If you've not got re - li - gion,

D7 Eb F F°

in your feet, You can do this prance and do it neat.

F 4 Dm Db+ C7 F7 C7 F7

REFRAIN

p-f con spirito

Charles-ton! Charles-ton! Made in Car-o-lin-a! Some dance,

p-f

Bb D7 Gm C7

Some prance, I'll say, There's noth-ing fin-er than the Charles-ton,

F7 Bb Db° F7 Bb

Charles-ton... Gee, how you can shuf-fle; Ev'ry step you do,

D7 G E° F

Leads to some-thing new. Man I'm tell-ing you, It's a la-pa-zoo!

A7 D F7

Buck dance, Wing dance Will be_ a back num - ber;_ But the

Bb D7 G

Charles - ton, the new Charles - ton, That dance is sure-ly a com - er.

C7 F7 Bb D⁰ F7

Some - time You'll dance it one time, That dance called

Gm Bb7 Eb C7^b5/Gb

Charles - ton, Made in South Car-o - line!

Bb6 Db⁰ F7 Bb Ebm Bb B⁰ F7 Bb