

Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy

Music & Lyrics by Don Raye & Hughie Prince

Performed by the Andrew Sisters

(Intro) ^D

^D He was a famous trumpet man from out
Chicago way

He had a boogie style no one else could ^{D7} play

^G He was the top man at his craft

But then his ^D number came up then he was gone
with the draft

He's in the ^A army now, a-blowin' ^{A7} reveille

He's the ^D boogie woogie bugle boy of Company
B

^D They made him blow a bugle for his Uncle Sam
It really brought him down 'cause he could
not ^{D7} jam

^G The captain seemed to understand

Because the ^D next day the cap' went out and
drafted a band

And now the ^A company jumps when he
plays ^{A7} reveille

He's the ^D boogie woogie bugle boy of Company
B

^D A-toot, a-toot, a-toot-diddelyada-toot

He blows it eight-to-the-bar, ^{D7} in boogie rhythm

^G He can't blow a note unless the bass and guitar
is ^D playin' with 'immm

A-a-and the ^A company jumps when he plays
^{A7} reveille

He's the ^D boogie woogie bugle boy of Company
B

TACIT He was THE boogie woogie bugle boy of
Company B

^G A-and when he plays his boogie woogie bugle
he was ^D busy as a buzy bee

When he ^A plays he makes the company ^{A7} jump
to the bar

He's the ^D boogie woogie bugle boy of Company
B

^D Toot-toot-toot, toot-diddelyada, toot-diddelyada
toot, toot,

He blows it ^{D7} eight-to-the-bar

^G He can't blow a note if the bass and guitar ^D isn't
with 'immm

A-and the ^A company jumps when he
plays ^{A7} reveille

He's the ^D boogie woogie bugle boy of Company
B

(Instrumental) ^{D D7 G D A A7 D}

^D He puts 'em all to asleep with boogie every
night
And wakes 'em up the same way in the
early ^{D7} bright

^G They clap their hands and . . . stamp their feet
'Cause they ^D know how he plays when someone
gives him a beat

He really ^A breaks it up when he plays ^{A7} rev-eil-le

He's the ^D boogie woogie bugle boy of Company
B

^D Da-doo-da da-da-doo-da-da

^D Da-doo-da ^A woh ^{A7} u' woh

^G Da-doo-da da-da-doo-da-da

^D Da-doo-da da-da-doo-da

The ^A company jumps when he plays ^{A7} rev-eil-le

The ^D boogie woogie bugle boy of Company

Beeeeeee! ^{A G D}