

Key: A Tempo: 172 BPM

Pa'u Riders

Intro: Mike count in: A/8 Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/4 E7/4 A/4 E7/1

Patty Clayton

A/8 Bm7/4 E7/4

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The sun is arisin' over the sea,

Backup vocals: Sing underline

Bm7/4 E7/4 A/4 E7/4

At daybreak we'll ride, my pony and me,

F/8 A/8

With a hoa aloha wahine so free

Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/4 E7/4

We'll ride down the pali into old Waikiki.

A/8 Bm7/4 E7/4

We'll run fast through forests so fragrant and green

Bm7/4 E7/4 A/8

Where perfumes from blossoms will hang in our braids

F/8 A/8

We'll ride into town where we'll race down the streets

Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/2 E7/2 A/4 E7/4 A/4 E7/1 pause/3

Our skirts sail behind us, a thrill bound to please. They call us

A/16 Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/4 E7/4 A/4 E7/4 A/4 E7/1 pause/3

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A/8 Bm7/4 E7/4

We ride bold and fearless as fast as we dare

Bm7/4 E7/4 A/4 E7/4

Our voices and laughter will ring through the air

F/8 A/8

In our worn leather saddles we sit proud and square

Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/4 E7/4

And leis of 'ilima grace the necks of our mares.

A/8 Bm7/4 E7/4

Our long skirts abundant bright colors we wear

Bm7/4 E7/4 A/8

That stream out behind us in glorious flair

F/8 A/8

A flower sits tight in our long dark hair

Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/2 E7/2 A/4 E7/4 A/4 E7/1 pause/3

We bring rapt attention that makes people stare. They call us

A/16 Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/4 E7/4 A/4 E7/4 A/4 E7/1 pause/3

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A/8 Bm7/4 E7/4
While riding the streets on our ponies one day
Bm7/4 E7/4 A/4 E7/4
I saw him, the man who had come from far away
F/8 A/8
That handsome vaquero, Ramon was his name,
B7/4 E7/4 B7/4 E7/4
Whose skills as a cowboy had brought him great fame.
A/8 Bm7/4 E7/4
Now he's here on this island where I've come to stay
Bm7/4 E7/4 A/8
I gave him a smile as I tossed him my lei
F/8 A/8
Now we ride side by side in our festive parades
Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/2 E7/2 A/4 E7/4 A/4 E7/1 pause/3
My long flowing pa'u bringing widespread acclaim. They call us
A/16 Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/4 E7/4 Bm7/4 E7/4 A/4 E7/4 A/4
Pa'u Riders, Pa'u Riders
E7/4 A/4 E7/4 A E7 A
Ooooo - ooooo

