

# Puff, The Magic Dragon

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Key:                      Tempo:

## VERSE 1

I[1]                      iii              IV                      I  
Puff, the magic dragon, lived by the Sea,  
            IV                              I                              II<sup>7</sup>                              V<sup>7</sup>  
and frolicked in the autumn mist in a land called Honah Lee.  
I                              iii              IV                              I  
Little Jackie Paper loved that rascal Puff.  
            IV    I  
And brought him strings and sealing wax,  
            II<sup>7</sup>      V<sup>7</sup>              I                      V<sup>7</sup>  
and other fancy stuff, oh!

## CHOIR

I                              iii              IV                              I  
*Puff, the magic dragon, lived by the Sea,*  
            IV                              I                              II<sup>7</sup>                              V<sup>7</sup>  
*and frolicked in the autumn mist in a land called Honah Lee.*  
I                              iii              IV                              I  
*Puff, the magic dragon, lived by the Sea,*  
            IV                              I                              IV                              V<sup>7</sup>              I  
*and frolicked in the autumn mist in a land called Honah Lee.*

## VERSE 2

I[1+2]      I[1]                              iii              IV                              I  
To-      || gether they would travel on boat with billowed sail,  
            IV                              I                              II<sup>7</sup>                              V<sup>7</sup>  
Jackie kept a lookout perched on Puff's gigantic tail.  
I    iii                              IV    I  
Noble Kings and princes would bow whene'er they came,  
            IV    I  
Pirate ships would lower their flags  
            II<sup>7</sup>                              V<sup>7</sup>                              I                              V<sup>7</sup>  
when Puff roared out his name, oh!      CHOIR

VERSE 3

I[1+2] I[1] iii IV I  
A || dragon lives forever, but not so little  
IV I II<sup>7</sup> V<sup>7</sup>  
boys, painted wings and giant's rings make way for other toys.  
I iii IV I  
One grey night it happened, Jackie Paper came no more,  
IV I  
and Puff, that mighty dragon,  
II<sup>7</sup> V<sup>7</sup> I V<sup>7</sup>  
he ceased his fearless roar, oh! *CHOIR*

VERSE 4

I[1+2] I[1] iii IV I  
His || head was bent in sorrow, green scales fell like  
IV I II<sup>7</sup> V<sup>7</sup>  
rain. Puff no longer went to play along the cherry lane.  
I iii IV I  
Without his lifelong friend Puff could not be brave.  
IV I  
So, Puff, that mighty dragon,  
II<sup>7</sup> V<sup>7</sup> I V<sup>7</sup>  
sadly slipped into his cave, oh!