

# There's A Boat Dat's Leavin' Soon For New York (George Gershwin (from 'Porgy and Bess'))

Improvvised piano solo by Doug McKenzie

This is a transcription of a live played improvisation. It is difficult to notate the rhythm absolutely accurately. Best to look at the video to watch or freely download the original annotated video on my website - <http://www.bushgrafts.com> or on YouTube.

The first chorus is played freely...

Chromatically 'falling off the low note in the LH

C Ab7(#11) FMaj 9 G 9sus CMaj 9 Am7 Abm7

Think Bb/Ab7

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Gm7 C7(#9b13) FMaj 9 C G/B Am7 Am7/G

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D7(b9#11) Ab/G G 13 C Ab7(#11)

'Bell tone'

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FMaj 9 G 7sus G7 C 9 Gm7 C 13 C7(b9)

Drop 2 block chords - More 'falling off' in LH

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