

Cherokee

The Firehouse Jazz Band

Ray Noble - 1938
 English composer & bandleader, also wrote "The Very Thought of You" 1934, "Goodnight Sweetheart" 1931, etc. "Cherokee" was one movement of an Indian Suite which also included other tribes. Theme song of Charlie Barnet Orch. Rec: by Count Basie, Benny Goodman, Dizzy Gillespie, George Shearing, Joe Marsala, etc.

Concert Pitch

A B^b F+7 B^b E^b maj7
 Sweet In - dian maid - en, Since first I
 Child of the prai - rie, Your love keeps

E^b m B^b Dm C⁹
 met you, My can't for - get you,
 call - ing, My heart en - thrall - ing,

Cm7 1. Fdim Cm7 F+7 2. F7 B^b
 Cher - o - kee sweet - heart. o - kee.

B C[#] m7 F[#]7 Bmaj7
 Dreams of Sum - mer time, of

Bm7 E7 Amaj7
 lov - er time gone by,

Am7 D7 Gmaj7
 Throng my mem - o - ry so

Gm7 C7 Cm7 F+7
 ten - der - ly and sigh, My

C B^b F+7 B^b E^b maj7
 sweet In - dian maid - en, One day I'll

E^b m B^b C⁹
 hold you, in my arms fold you,

Cm7 F7 B^b
 Cher - o - kee.

Back to "A" for solos. Stay on "A".
 After last solo go on to "B" & "C".