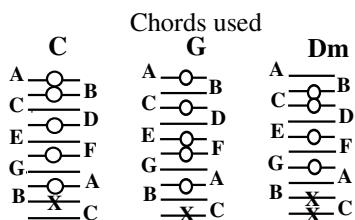


## Tune Kantele to C



## The Handle on the Banana

for Ben

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*J = 110*

C

10 strings

1. The han - dle on the ba - na - na makes it  
2. The han - dle on the ba - na - na makes it  
3. The han - dle on the ba - na - na makes it  
4. The han - dle on the ba - na - na makes it  
5. The han - dle on the ba - na - na makes it

G Dm G Dm

ea - sy to hang it on your ear.  
ea - sy to catch a fal - ling star.  
ea - sy to reach be-neath the bed.  
ea - sy to scratch an it - chy back.  
ea - sy to lead a march - ing band.

The han - dle on the ba -  
The han - dle on the ba -

C Dm C

na - na makes it ea - sy to hang it on your ear!  
na - na makes it ea - sy to catch a fal - ling star!  
na - na makes it ea - sy to reach be - neath the bed!  
na - na makes it ea - sy to scratch an it - chy back!  
na - na makes it ea - sy to lead a march- ing band!

*This song was inspired by a game  
I used to play with my then two year grandson.  
Players take turns thinking of different things  
they can do with the "handle" on the banana.*