PRINCESS POOPOOLY (PUPULE) Key of F Major

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F									
Princess Pupule has plenty papayas G ⁷									
She loves to give them away									
C ⁷									
And all of the neighbors they say F C^7 C^7 C^7									
Oh me-ya oh my-ya you really should try-ya F									
A little piece of the Princess Pupule's papayas G ⁷ C ⁷ F									
Zazza zazza zazza zay									
F									
Princess Pupule's not truly unruly G ⁷									
To pass out papayas each day C ⁷									
But all o	f the	neigl	nbors	they	say				_
	F		C			F			C^7
She may give you the fruit but she hang on to the root F									
And so she has the fruit and the root to boot G^7 C^7 F									
Zazza zazza zazza zay									

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А **One bright Sunday afternoon** \mathbf{E}^7 А It was field day in her papaya groves С But I reached the gate an hour too late G^7 The customers were lined up in droves F So let this be a warning Go early in the morning \mathbf{G}^7 F And it is true you'll never rule the day The Princess Pupule has plenty papayas G^7 She loves to give them away D^7 I mean papayas G^7 F She loves to give them away



Poopooly is a play on the Hawaiian word pupule. Written for Carmen Joyce, a Ziegfield Follies chorus girl who arrived in Hawaii 1924, at age 26, to dance in the chorus line of a show booked in the Princess Theater. The show ran 10 weeks, Carmen fell in love with Hawaii, took up residence and married several times.

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