

## Ralph Marterie

### "Caravan"

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Caravan  
Tony Bennett

This version did not chart but  
It charted twice in 1937: Duke Ellington (# 4) and  
Barney Bigard (# 20)  
In 1949 Billy Eckstine took it to # 27  
In 1953 Ralph Marterie hit # 6 and The Esquire Boys  
managed # 27.  
Words by Irving Mills and music by Duke Ellington and  
Juan Tizol

Night and stars above that shine so bright  
The myst'ry of their fading light  
That shines upon our caravan

Sleep upon my shoulder as we creep  
Across the sand so I may keep  
The mem'ry of our caravan

This is so exciting  
You are so inviting  
Resting in my arms  
As I thrill to the magic charms

Of you beside me here beneath the blue  
My dream of love is coming true  
Within our desert caravan!

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