

# Is You Is Or Is You Ain't My Baby?

Words & Music:  
Louis Jordan (1944)

Em D C B7 [*2 beats each - preferably just the bass notes*]

Em D C B7 Em D C B7  
I got a gal who's always late when we go out on a date.  
A9 D9 G B7  
But, I love her. Yes, I love her.

I'm gonna walk right up to her gate, see if I can get it straight.  
'Cause I want her. I'm gonna ask her...

Em B7 Em B7 Em Em6 Em Em6  
Is you is or is you ain't my baby?  
A9 D7 G B7  
The way you're actin' lately makes me doubt.  
Em B7 Em B7 Em Em6 Em Em6  
You---- is still my baby, baby.  
A9 D7 G G7  
Seems my flame in your hearts done gone out.

BRIDGE:

C Cm G G7  
A woman is a creature that has always been strange.  
C Cm  
Just when you're sure of one,  
F E7 Am  
You find she's gone and made a change.

Em B7 Em B7 Em Em6 Em Em6  
Is you is or is you ain't my baby?  
A9 D7 F E7  
Or has my baby found somebody new?  
A9 D7 G B7  
Or is my baby still my baby true?

*VERSE REPRISE AND OUT - END ON Em*