

BOMBALURINA

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[♩ = 86]

mf (Menacing) *Finger snaps*

SOLO

mf Mac - a - vi - ty's a Mys - tery Cat; he's called the Hid - den Paw, — For

he's the mas - ter cri - mi - nal who can de - fy the law. — He's the baf - fle - ment of Scot - land Yard, the

Fly - ing Squad's des - pair: — For when they reach the scene of crime, Mac -

F7/A *Ab7*

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- a - vi - ty's_ not there! You may seek him in the base - ment, you may look up in the air:

p

START

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But I tell you once and once a - gain, Mac - a - vi - ty's_ not there! Mac -

mf

sub. f

G7

- a - vi - ty's a gin - ger cat, he's ve - ry tall and thin; _ You would know him if you saw him, for his

mf

Cm Cm/Eb F G7 Cm Cm/Eb

eyes are sun - ken in. _ His brow is deep - ly lined with thought, his head is high - ly domed; His

F G7

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coat is dus - ty from ne-glect, his whis - kers are un-combed. He

sways his head from side to side, with move - ments like a snake; And

when you think he's half a sleep, *f* he's al - ways wide a-wake. *ff* Mac -

- a - vi - ty, Mac - a - vi - ty, there's no one like Mac - a - vi - ty. There
- a - vi - ty, Mac - a - vi - ty, there's no one like Mac - a - vi - ty, For

ff

Cm Cm/Eb F7 D7/F# (G7)

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he's a fiend in fe - line shape, a mon - ster of de - pra - vi - ty. You may
nev - er was a cat of such de - ceit - ful - ness and sua - vi - ty. He

ff
Cm Cm/Eb F7 D7 (G7)

meet him in a by - street, you may see him in the square: But
al - ways has an a - li - bi, and one or two to spare: What -

Cm Cm/Eb F7 F#0

END

when a crime's dis - cov - ered, then Mac - a - vi - ty's not there! He's
ev - er time the deed took place, Mac - a - vi - ty wasn't there! And

p

out - ward - ly res - pect - a - ble. (I know he cheats at
when the Fo - reign Of - fice find a Trea - ty's gone as -

Finger snaps