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(MARLIN rushes over to PROFESSOR RAY.)



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(Music continues under dialogue. A stream of bubbles is blown onstage. BUBBLES rushes onstage and begins trying to collect the bubbles as if they are prized possessions.)

#### **BUBBLES**

Bubbles! Bubbles, bubbles, bubbles!! My bubbles.

(NEMO is terrified and backs away from BUBBLES.)

#### **NEMO**

Ahhh!!

(BLOAT enters. NEMO nearly bumps into BLOAT.)

**BLOAT** 

Oops! Hello there!

**NEMO** 

Ahhh!!

(NEMO runs and hides behind a plant in the tank and comes face to fa with GURGLE, who is already hiding there.)

#### **GURGLE**

Stranger! Stranger in the tank!

(PEACH is pressed up against the side of the tank.)

#### **PEACH**

(to GURGLE)

Stop that, you're scaring the poor thing! It's okay, honey.

(NEMO cowers in fear. The TANK GANG gathers around, realizing that they've frightened NEMO.)

#### **NEMO**

Where am I?

#### **BLOAT**

Welcome to the Sydney Harbour Aquarium! I'm Bloat. That's Peach, Gurgle, and Bubbles.

#### **BUBBLES**

Bubbles! (Hello!)

#### **BLOAT**

This tank is our little corner of the aquarium.

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It's not much, but it's home.

(NIGEL appears at the window, peering into the tank from above.)

**NIGEL** 

G'day, mates!

**TANK GANG** 

Hi, Nigel!

**NIGEL** 

Just popping by for a quick hello!

**PEACH** 

We have a newcomer!

**NIGEL** 

Thought there might be! I saw Professor Sherman's boat dock in the harbour this morning.

**NEMO** 

I'm Nemo. I'm from the Great Barrier Reef... in the ocean.

**GURGLE** 

The ocean?! Ahh! Germs!!

(GURGLE cowers behind a plant.)

**NEMO** 

I swam away at the Drop-Off, just for a second, and this diver in a mask came out of nowhere. I have to get back to the Reef! I have to find my dad. He's probably so mad at me.

**NIGEL** 

Oh dear. I'm afraid the Great Barrier Reef is thousands of kilometers from here. But I'll keep a look out for your dad, Nemo.

(NIGEL flies away and exits offstage.)

**TANK GANG** 

Bye, Nigel!

**NEMO** 

How am I going to get out of here?

(GILL emerges from behind a rock, having heard the entire conversation.

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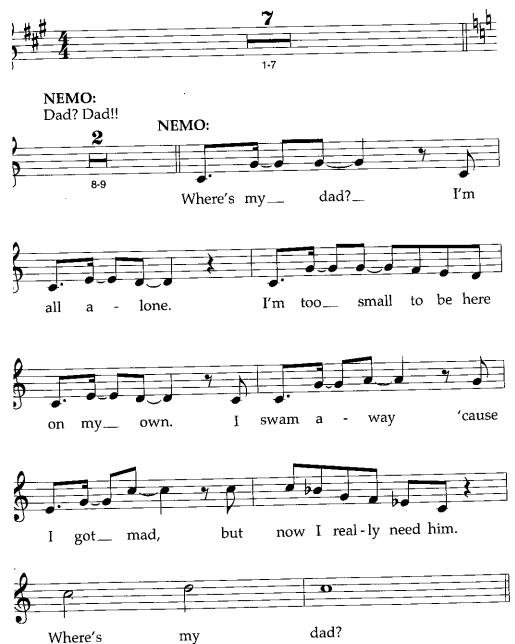
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(#14 - WHERE'S MY DAD?.)

## WHERE'S MY DAD?

(Transition to a tank at the Sydney Harbour Aquarium, populated with aquarium plants. The tank is near a window, which allows NIGEL to visit. NEMO, alone and terrified, enters the tank as if dropped in. NEMO begins running into the tank walls and realizes that there is no way out.)



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(#18 – JUST KEEP SWIMMING – PART 1.)

# JUST KEEP SWIMMING (PART 1)











