

NAVIDAD NEGRA

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[All parts]

Playa blanca, cumbia negra (x8)

Paa paa paa paa, pah pah!

[Soprano]

**En la playa blanca de_arena caliente,
en la playa blanca de_arena caliente**

--- cumbia, aguardiente

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--- Noche... a millares,
lu_na_ta_res!

El pescador de mi tierra (x4)

_ _ _ _ pah pah!

[Alto]

--- Blanca, arena, caliente, playa
Blanca, arena, caliente

**hay rumor de cumbia
y_olor a_aguardiente
hay rumor de cumbia
y_olor a_aguardiente**

--- Noche... a millares,
lu_na_ta_res!

El pescador de mi tierra (x4)

_ _ _ _ pah pah!

[Tenor]

Blanca, arena, caliente, playa

Blanca, arena, caliente

Cumbia, aguardiente

Cumbia, aguardiente

**La noche_en su traje negro
Estrellas tiene_a millares**

Lu_na_ta_res!

El pescador de mi tierra (x4)

_ _ _ _ pah pah!

[Bass]

Blanca, arena, caliente, playa

Blanca, arena, caliente, ooh ooh

Cumbia, aguardiente

Cumbia, aguardiente

Ooh... noche, a-mi-lla...

**Y con rayitos de luna
Van creciendo sus cantares**

El pescador de mi tierra (x4)

Dm dm dm, dm dm dm,

Dm dm, _ pah pah!

[All parts]

Playa blanca, cumbia negra (x8)

Paa paa paa paa, pah pah!

This song in the rhythm of 'Cumbia' -one of the main Afro-Colombian styles from the Caribbean region-, talks about local stories usually related to nature, customs and adventures of local fishermen.

Playa blanca = *White Sand* | Cumbia negra = *Black* (reference to the Afro origins of this music)
Cumbia (music style) | Aguardiente = *Alcoholic drink*

*"On the white hot sand beach, there is a rumor of cumbia and the smell of aguardiente.
The night in her black suit wears millions of stars and with moonbeams, (it) makes the
singing of the fisherman (of my land) grow."*