

If I Loved You

Moderato espressivo

Pa tempo

If I loved you, Time and a-gain I would try to say

The first system of the score features a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line is in a treble clef with a key signature of two flats and a 4/4 time signature. It contains the lyrics "If I loved you, Time and a-gain I would try to say". The piano accompaniment is in a grand staff (treble and bass clefs) and features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. There are dynamic markings of *p* and *f*, and articulation marks like accents and slurs. The system concludes with a fermata over the final note.

All I'd want you to know _____

The second system continues the vocal and piano parts. The vocal line has the lyrics "All I'd want you to know" followed by a long horizontal line indicating a sustained note. The piano accompaniment maintains the same rhythmic pattern. The system ends with a fermata over the final note.

If I loved you, Words would-nt come in an eas - y way.

The third system continues the vocal and piano parts. The vocal line has the lyrics "If I loved you, Words would-nt come in an eas - y way." The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern. The system ends with a fermata over the final note.

Round in cir - cles I'd go! _____

The fourth system continues the vocal and piano parts. The vocal line has the lyrics "Round in cir - cles I'd go!" followed by a long horizontal line. The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern. The system ends with a fermata over the final note. A *cresc.* marking is present in the piano part.

+CLARS.

Long in' to tell you, but a - fraid and shy,

VLNS.

mf

+ E.H.
+ BN.

+trpt.

I'd let my gold-en chan-ces pass me by!

Soon you'd leave me Off you would go in the mist of day,

(VLNS. TREM)

STGS. HP.

+CLS.-BN.

+ENG. HN.

+FLS.-CLS.-EH.

+CLS. Nev - er nev - er to know

crusc.

HNS.

STGS. How I loved you If I loved you! _____
 CLARS. TFLS.
 HP. *mf molto espr.* *mp*

STGS. (They sit in silence, he studies her for a moment, then turns away)
 L'istesso tempo

pp 5 3 8 5 7 9 0 3 8 5 3 8

Billy: Well, anyway. . You don't love me. That's what you said, wasn't it? Julie: Yes. (Bene blossoms)

drift down to their feet. Billy picks one up and smells it) Julie: I can smell them, can you?

some pro pp *P + BN.*

The blossoms. FLS(SOLI) The wind brings them down.

+ E.H. - BN.
pp + CLS. - HNS.
 CYM.

Moderato non moto

Billy: (*speaks ad lib.*) Aint much wind tonight. Hardly any

+ VIOLA
Billy: (*sings*)

2165.
HR.

+ FLS
+ BELLS

You

pp

rit. *simile*

Detailed description: This system contains the first two staves of music. The top staff is a vocal line for Billy, starting with the lyrics 'Aint much wind tonight. Hardly any'. The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment. Above the piano staff, there are performance instructions: '2165. HR.' and '+ FLS + BELLS'. The piano part begins with a piano (*pp*) dynamic and includes a *rit.* (ritardando) and *simile* marking.

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cant hear a sound, not the turn of a leaf, Nor the

Detailed description: This system contains the third and fourth staves of music. The vocal line continues with the lyrics 'cant hear a sound, not the turn of a leaf, Nor the'. The piano accompaniment continues with the same melodic pattern.

fall of a wave, hit-tin' the sand. The

Detailed description: This system contains the fifth and sixth staves of music. The vocal line continues with the lyrics 'fall of a wave, hit-tin' the sand. The piano accompaniment continues. A triplet of eighth notes is marked above the vocal line.

tide's creep-in' up on the beach like a thief, A -

Detailed description: This system contains the seventh and eighth staves of music. The vocal line concludes with the lyrics 'tide's creep-in' up on the beach like a thief, A -'. The piano accompaniment continues.

†E.H.

fraid to be caught steal-in' the land On a

69 †CLS.

- night like this I start to won - der What life is all

ten.

BSSN.
CELLO
BASS

Julie:

a - - - bout. And I al - ways say two

†FLS.

heads are bet - ter than one, to fig - ger it out.

STGS.
HARP.

Meno mosso

Billy: (*speaks*) I don't need you or anyone to help me. I got it figured out for myself. We ain't important. What

HP mf +CL.1. +FL. +CL.1. +FL.

are we? A couple of specks of nothin'. Look up there.

Billy: (*sings*)

w.w. a tempo f

There's a

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hell - uv - a lot o' stars in the sky And the

(w.w. - H.P.)

sky's so big the sea looks small. _____ And

dim p

two lit-tle peo- - ple, you and I,

rall

We don't count at all.

BELLS

a tempo

pp

BSSN

Billy: You're a funny kid. Don't ever remember meetin' a girl like you.

Lento

STGS.

HP. pp

molto legato

Billy: You! Are you trying to get me to marry you?

Julie: No! Billy: Then what's puttin' it into my head?

Più mosso

VLNS.-FLS.

sempre legato e pp

STGS.

HARP

You're different all right. Don't know what it is. You look up at me with that little kid-face like - like you

Musical score for piano accompaniment of the first line of lyrics. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The music is written in a simple, rhythmic style with many slurs and ties.

trusted me. - I wonder what it'd be like. Julie: What? Billy: Nothin' I know what it'd be like.

Musical score for piano accompaniment of the second line of lyrics. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The treble staff begins with the marking "(H.P.)". The music continues with slurs and ties.

Allegretto moderato

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Billy (*speaks ad lib.*) It'd be awful. I can just see myself.

Billy (*sings*)

Musical score for piano accompaniment of the third line of lyrics. It consists of three staves: a vocal line (treble clef), a piano line (treble clef), and a piano line (bass clef). The piano line includes the marking "sempre legato". The vocal line includes the lyrics "Kind-a scraw - ny and". There are handwritten annotations: "FLS.-OB. Drum" above the piano line, "CLARS. 2ND" below the piano line, and "BSSN." below the bass line.

pale, pick-in' at my food And love - sick like an - y oth - er

Musical score for piano accompaniment of the fourth line of lyrics. It consists of three staves: a vocal line (treble clef), a piano line (treble clef), and a piano line (bass clef). The piano line includes the marking "sempre legato". The vocal line includes the lyrics "pale, pick-in' at my food And love - sick like an - y oth - er".

guy _____ I'd throw a-way my sweat-er And dress up like a

_____ dude In a dick-ey and a cool-er and a tie. _____ If I

Julia: (speaks) But you don't! Billy: (speaks) No! I don't! Billy: (sings) But

loved you!

BSSN.

Broadly

some-how I can see Just ex - act - ly how I'd be.

(HN. CUE) TRB. 1. TRB. 2. BASS-TUBA. VLS. OB. CLS. STRGS. CLS. 4 (BASS) HN. SOLO

STGS.

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Moderato espressivo

p a tempo

If I loved you, Time and a-gain I would try to say

FL. OB.

HP. CLS. 7
BSSN. P
a tempo

PERC. (BRUSHES)

All I'd want you to know _____ If I

FL. 1. - OB.

FL. 1. - 2. OB.

+ HNS.

loved you, Words wouldn't come in an eas - y way 'Round in

FLS - 8va.
OB - CLS.

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+ W.W. - HNS

cir - cles I'd go! _____ Long - in' to tell you, but a -

VLNS (PIZZ)

crec

mf

+ TRB. 3.

BSSN.
PERC. (BRUSHES)

Billy: *(speaks)*

I'm not a feller to marry anybody - even if a girl was foolish enough to want me to, I wouldn't.

STGS. *mf espr.*

Julie:
Don't worry about it, Billy.

Billy:
Who's worried?

Julie:

You're right about there bein' no wind. The blossoms are jest comin' down by themselves.

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Jest their time to, I reckon.

W.M. - HNS.

(The music rises ecstat.)

+ FLS.-OB.
+ CLS.-HP.
cresc. poco a poco

T.B.S.

TUTTI *ically.*

Billy leans down and kisses her gently

(+HP.)

Curtain

ff
fff a tempo

(+T.M.P.)

End of Scene