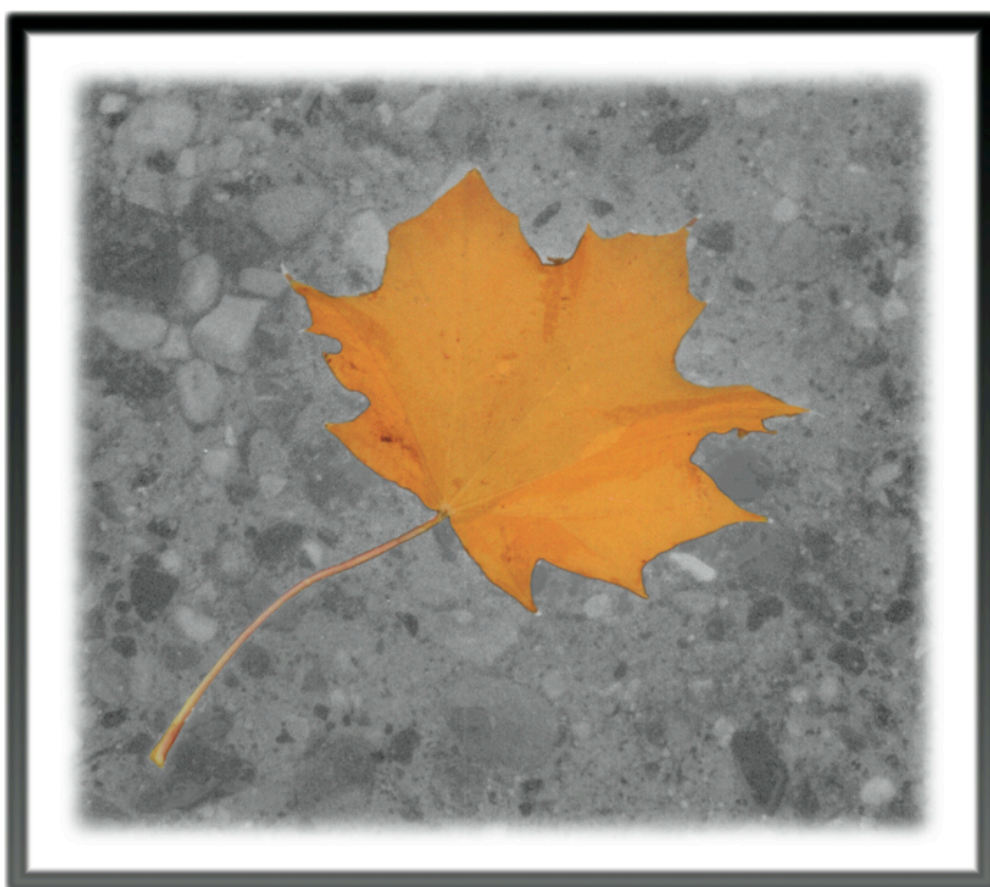


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Songbook



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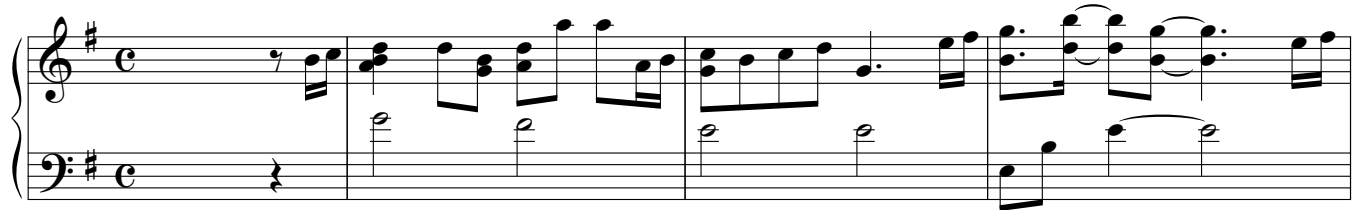
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I've Got Everything

Amy Benson Lacey



14

I've got you here to hold me, and a lit-tle boy who smiles. I've got

17

sun-sets to re-mind me to stop and sav-or life. I've got friends who stand by me, And my

20

heart is full of love. I've got a song to sing I've got ev-'ry thing.

24

Like to - night when we were walk - ing, And the wind blew through the trees, You

27

kissed me like you meant it, The best things in life are free. And I

29

know how hard we're wor - king, And how cra-zy life has been, But I can't wait for to-mor - row to

32

do it all a - gain_____ I've got you here to hold me, and a

35

lit-tle boy who smiles. I've got sun-sets to re-mind me to stop and sav-or life. I've got

38

friends who stand by me, And my heart is full of love. I've got a song to sing

41

I've got ev-'ry-thing. I've just be-gun to no - tice, My

44

eyes can fin-ally see That it is so a-maz - ing how the good Lord bles-ses me

47

I've got you here to hold me, And a lit - tle boy who smiles. I've got

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heart is full of love I've got a song to sing I've got

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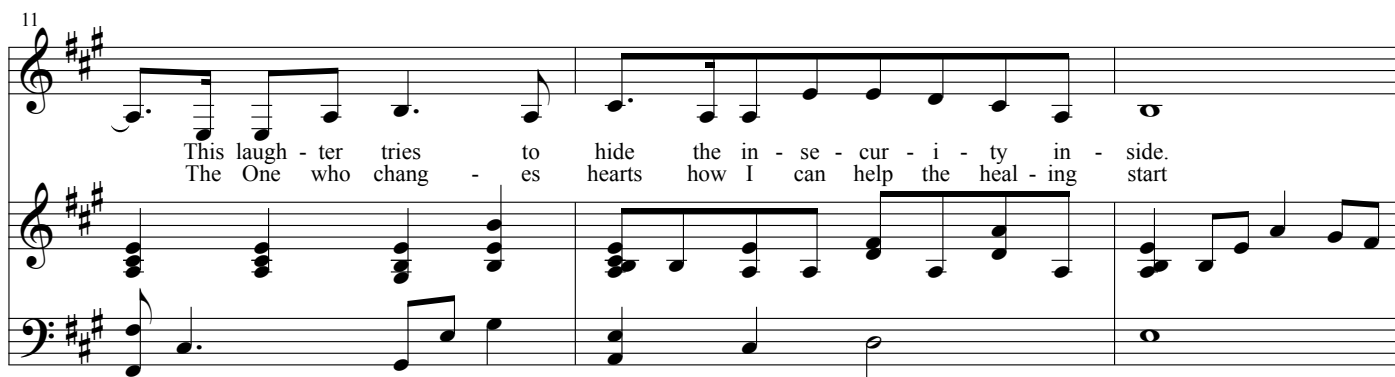
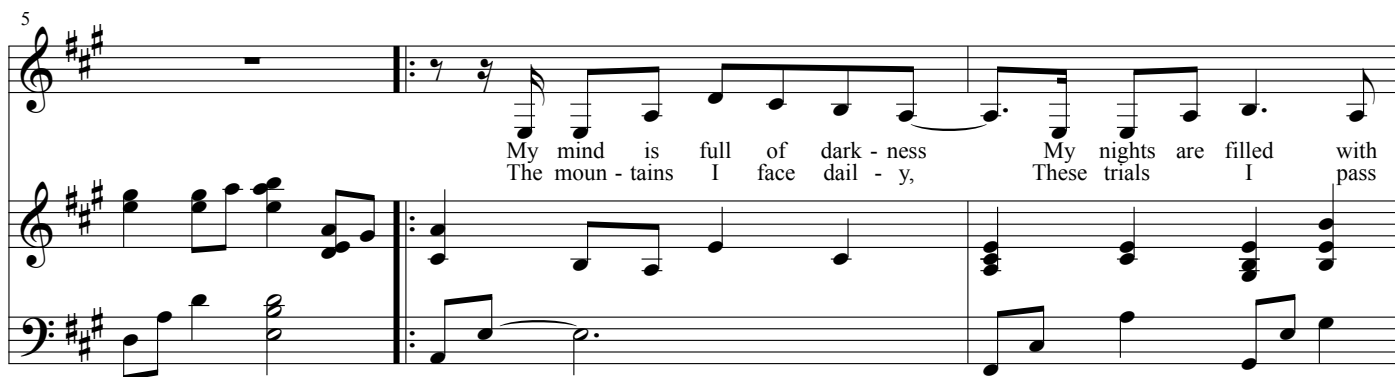
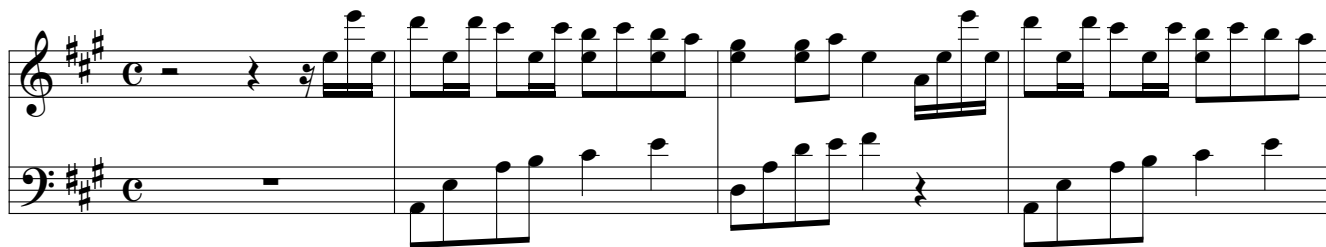
ev - erything Ooh I've got

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ev - ry thing.

He Loves Me Still

Amy Benson Lacey



14

Con-fused by what is out of my con-trol, I plead with Him to make my
I pray my sim-ple ef-forts are e-nough, Al-though I don't feel wor-thy

17

spir-it whole. of His love. I find my-self on my knees.
Am I a-lone in my need?

20

I pray for strength, His Spir-it com-forts me, He loves me still, He knows my
I pray to know, an an-swer comes to me,

23

pain, Though I trem-ble in my weak-ness, His love re-mains, I feel His

26 3

peace surr-ound-ing me. And as I fight to sur-ren-der my will He loves me

30 1st ending

still.

34 2nd ending

still. He knows what's best for me.

37

He knows all I can be, So while my spir-it grows I will trust Him, be-cause I

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love Him. He loves me still, He knows my pain, Though I

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trem - ble in my weak - ness His love re - mains I feel His peace sur-round - ing

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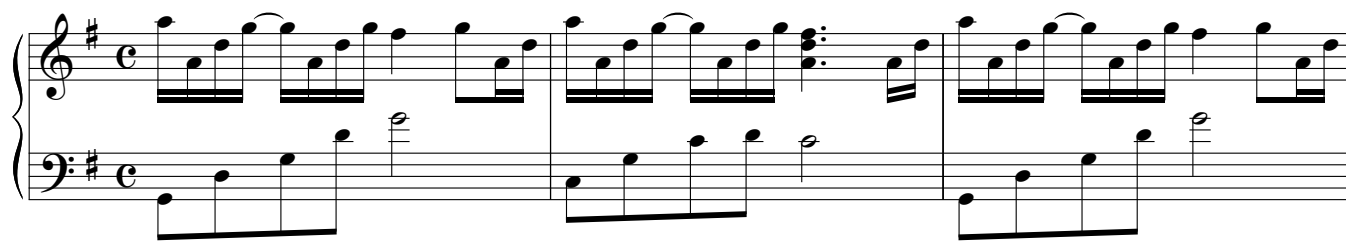
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He loves me still He loves me still

Bless Your Heart

Cecelia J. Benson
Amy Benson Lacey



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1. On an ear - ly sum - mer mor - ing, When the
2. (When I'd) col - or you a pic - ture, When I'd

Measures 4 and 5 of the song. Measure 4 contains the vocal entry with two verses. The piano accompaniment continues with a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand.

6

earth was wet with dew, I went out to weed the gar - den to do
fall and scrape my knee When the pains of grow - ing up were hard you'd

Measures 6 and 7. The vocal line continues with the lyrics. The piano accompaniment maintains the eighth-note melody in the right hand.

8

some - thing nice for you. — I was just a lit - tle kid — So I
al - ways com - fort me. There were times I seemed un - grate - ful, But I

Measures 8 and 9. The vocal line concludes the phrase. The piano accompaniment continues with the eighth-note melody in the right hand.

10

brought you out to see. I'd pulled up all the car-rots, And left you all the weeds. You
thank the Lord a-bove for a pat-ient, car-ing moth-er who show-ered me with love. You'd

13

must have felt like cry-ing But I felt you pat my head. You swal-lowed hard and
stroke my hair and lis-ten when my tears would free-ly flow. And I would al-ways

16

said, you'd say, "Bless your heart! Bless your heart!" The gen-tle words that dry a child's

20

tears. "Bless your heart! Bless your heart!" Those sim-ple words that ech-o through the

24 1st Ending 2nd Ending

years. 2. When I'd years. Those

27 pre-cious words of moth-er - hood ut-tered like a prayer I think the an-gels hear them and

30 hov - er near_ to bless our hearts! "Bless your heart!" The

33 gen-tle words that dry a child's tears. "Bless your heart! Bless your heart!" _____ Those

37

sim - ple words that ech - o through the years. On an

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ear - ly sum - mer mor - ning, When the earth is wet with dew, And I'm

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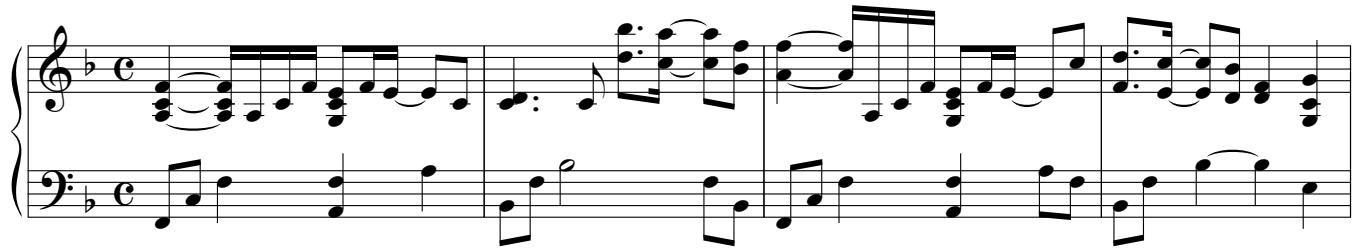
stand - ing in my gar - den, I'll al - ways think of you. Bless your heart.

45

Bless your heart!

Worth the Wait

Amy Benson Lacey
Kristy L. Gardiner



5

So man - y lone - ly nights I'd won - der where you were.

Measures 5 and 6 of the song. The vocal line begins at measure 5 with the lyrics 'So man - y lone - ly nights I'd won - der where you were.' The piano accompaniment continues with a consistent harmonic support.

7

I'd dream of find - ing you and hope my prayers were heard. Con -

Measures 7 and 8 of the song. The vocal line continues with the lyrics 'I'd dream of find - ing you and hope my prayers were heard. Con -'. The piano accompaniment provides a steady harmonic foundation.

9

vinced I'd walk this world a - lone now with you my heart has found it's home. I

Measures 9 and 10 of the song. The vocal line concludes with the lyrics 'vinced I'd walk this world a - lone now with you my heart has found it's home. I'. The piano accompaniment ends with a final chord in measure 10.

11

thought it was too late, But you were worth the wait.

14

Through some mir - a - cle my heart was lead to you.

17

I found a friend, the one to make my dreams come true. I've

19

ne - ver known a love so sweet, With you by my side I feel com - plete. I

21

thought it was too late, But you were worth the wait. _____ It was

24

worth all of those tears I cried, The long-ing that I felt in - side, It was

26

worth the bro - ken hearts a - long the way. You're the

28

one I have been search - ing for, The wind that makes my spir - it soar, I could - n't

30

ask for more. You were worth the wait. Af-ter all this heart's been through, It was

33

worth it all for you, and I'd do it all a - gain — if I had to, For you

36

40

It was

44

worth all of those tears I cried, The long-ing that I felt in - side, It was

46

worth the bro - ken hearts a - long the way. You're the

48

one I have been search - ing for, The wind that makes my spir - it soar, I could - n't

50

ask for more. You were worth the wait. Af-ter all this heart's been through, It was

53

worth it all for you, and I'd do it all a-gain if I had to for you

56

For you.

60

Come Back Home

Amy B. Lacey

The piano introduction consists of four measures. The right hand plays a melody of eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a simple accompaniment of eighth notes.

5

I see the light has gone out and now you won - der if there's

Measures 5-7: The vocal line begins with a rest in measure 5, followed by the lyrics. The piano accompaniment continues with the same pattern as the introduction.

8

some - thing left for you to care a - bout. You have hit a dead end road,

Measures 8-10: The vocal line continues with the lyrics. The piano accompaniment features a more active melody in the right hand, including a triplet in measure 10.

11

Left the truth you've al - ways known, Come back home.

Measures 11-14: The vocal line concludes with the lyrics. The piano accompaniment provides a final harmonic support, ending with a sustained chord in the right hand.

11

Left the truth you've al- ways known, Come back home.

15

It may take a change of heart. But take the first step on your own,

18

and I think you might start To feel the sun- light on your face,

21

To feel the Sav- ior's lov- ing grace, It's not too late. Can you

25

hear the call of the Shep-herd to your soul? He calls yourname, Saying,"

28

Come in - to my fold." His arms will hold you, heal you, He'll ne - ver leave you, You've

31

been a - way too long, my friend, Come back home.

35

39

Do you re - mem - ber long a - go When hope burned bright in your

42

heart, There was joy in your soul? You can feel that joy a - gain,

45

Feel His peace deep with - in, Come back home. Can you

49

hear the call of the Shep - herd to your soul? He calls your name, Say - ing,"

52

Come in - to my fold." His arms will hold you, heal you, He'll ne - ver leave you, You've

55

been a - way too long, my friend You've been a - way too long my

58

friend. You've been a - way too long my friend, Come back home.

62

Tiny Angels

Cecelia J. Benson
Amy Benson Lacey

The musical score for 'Tiny Angels' is written for voice and piano. It consists of three systems of music. The first system (measures 1-4) features a vocal melody with lyrics 'Ti - ny fin - gers, Ti - ny toes. You loved us, Gave us life.' and piano accompaniment with triplets. The second system (measures 5-8) continues the vocal melody with lyrics 'Cheeks like vel - vet, Ti - ny nose. You held us gent - ly, Said 'good - bye,' Though we're part - ed, Love won't die. Je - sus holds us in heav - en's home,' and piano accompaniment with triplets. The third system (measures 9-12) features a vocal melody with lyrics 'Though we slum - bered, We took flight. Hold on tight, you're not a - lone.' and piano accompaniment with triplets. The score is in common time (C) and uses a key signature of one flat (Bb).

5

9

Ti - ny fin - gers, Ti - ny toes.
You loved us, Gave us life.

Cheeks like vel - vet, Ti - ny nose. You held us gent - ly, Said 'good - bye,'
Though we're part - ed, Love won't die. Je - sus holds us in heav - en's home,

Though we slum - bered, We took flight.
Hold on tight, you're not a - lone.

14 *a little faster*

Ti - ny an - gels watch o - ver you, Smile down on you, Stay close to you.

19

Some-day you will hold us a-gain, But un - til then, We'll be with you. When you're lone - ly

24

you will start to hear our an - gel voic - es with your heart. When you're lone - ly you will start to

29

hear our an - gel voic - es Hear our an - gel voic - es

32 1st Ending

with your heart.

35 2nd Ending

With your heart.

I'd Say 'Yes' Again

Amy Benson Lacey

3

Sit-ting here with you,
I love watch-ing you

6

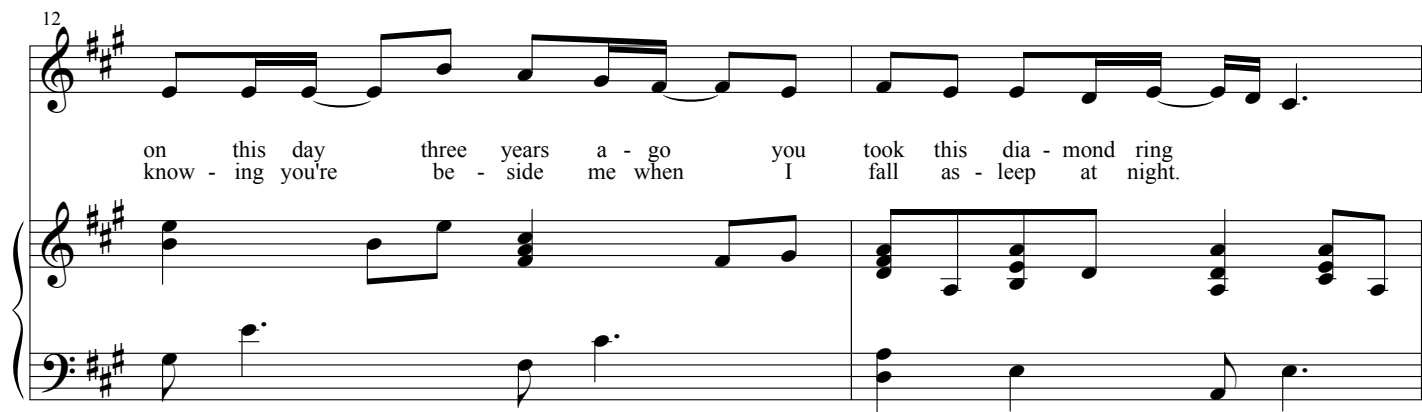
Sun-light play-ing in the trees,
with our lit-tle fam-i-ly

The leaves are blow-ing in the breeze.
and I love the way you cher-ish me.

9

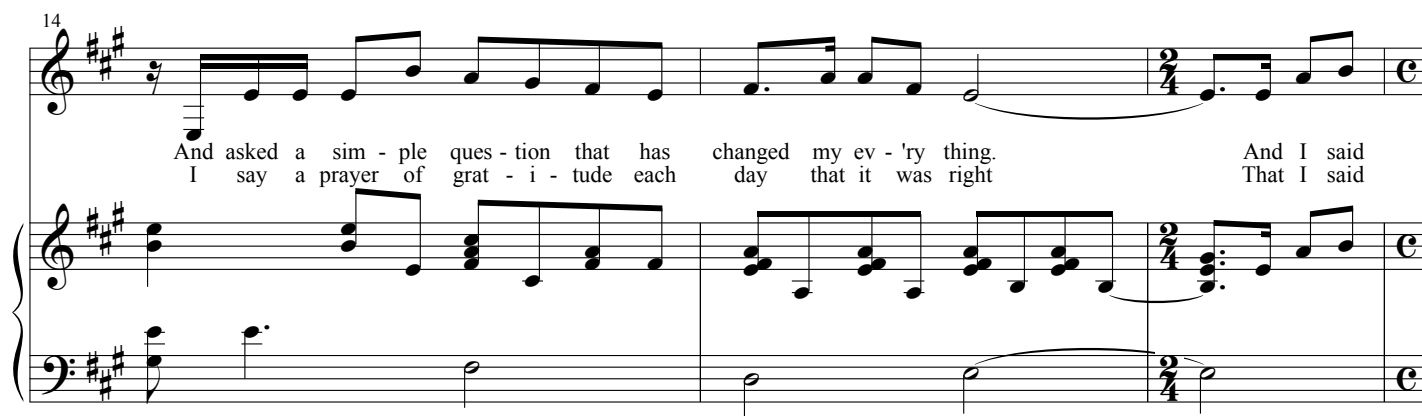
A per-fect day in Sep-tem-ber, Tell me do you re-mem-ber? It was
The lit-tle things that you do Make me grate-ful for you I like

12



on this day three years a - go you took this dia - mond ring
know - ing you're be - side me when I fall as - leep at night.

14



And asked a sim - ple ques - tion that has changed my ev - 'ry thing. And I said
I say a prayer of grat - i - tude each day that it was right That I said

17



'yes,' I said I will I said you are my des - ti - ny That's the

20



way that I feel still I knew I'd nev - er find a tru - er love or a bet - ter friend. If you

23

ask me would I mar - ry you still I'd say 'yes' a - gain.

1st Ending

26

gain. So

2nd Ending

29

stay with me and watch the leaves blow - ing to the ground as our

32

thoughts drift a - way My heart is yours, you've had it since that day

35

Beau-ti - ful day That I said 'yes,' I said I

38

will I said you are my des - ti - ny That's the way that I feel still I knew I'd

41

nev - er find a tru - er love or a bet - ter friend. If you ask me would I mar - ry you still

44

I'd say 'yes' a - gain.

Deliverance

Amy Benson Lacey

Flute

The musical score is written for Flute and Piano. It consists of four systems of music, each with a Flute staff and a Piano grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The key signature is B-flat major (two flats) and the time signature is common time (C). The score includes various musical notations such as whole notes, half notes, quarter notes, eighth notes, and triplets. There are also slurs, ties, and dynamic markings. The first system starts with a Flute staff and a Piano grand staff. The second system starts with a Flute staff and a Piano grand staff. The third system starts with a Flute staff and a Piano grand staff. The fourth system starts with a Flute staff and a Piano grand staff.

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86

93

Let's Go Home

Cecelia J. Benson
Amy Benson Lacey

Expressively

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It begins with a treble clef, a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#), and a common time signature (C). The first system shows a vocal line with a whole rest followed by a quarter note G4, and a piano accompaniment starting with a series of eighth notes in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The second system, starting at measure 5, contains the lyrics: "still re-mem-ber viv-id-ly that day so long a-go. The school bus dropped me off by our lit-tle coun-try road. A". The third system, starting at measure 9, contains the lyrics: "win-ter storm was ra-ging and I be-gan to cry. I knew no-one could come for me, the drifts were ris-ing". The score concludes with a 2/4 time signature change and a final whole note chord in the piano part.

1

5

still re-mem-ber viv-id-ly that day so long a-go. The school bus dropped me off by our lit-tle coun-try road. A

9

win-ter storm was ra-ging and I be-gan to cry. I knew no-one could come for me, the drifts were ris-ing

13

high. I wrapped my coat a - round me and trudged through freez - ing snow. It was

16

cold and dark and I was scared, I felt so all a - lone. When far off in the dis - tance I could faint - ly see. My

20

dad has sad - dled our old horse, he came and res - cued me. (He said): Hold on tight, don't let go. I'll

24

bring you safe - ly home, though it's cold and dark, I am here. I won't leave you a - lone to

28

walk this lone-ly road. Hold on tight, you're all-right. Let's go home.

32

The years passed by so quick - ly My dad grew bent and grey. His

35

eyes once bright grew dimmer. He did-n't know my name. Some-times he would wan - der, so

38

scared and all a - lone. I'd hold him close and say those words he said so long a - go. Hold on

42

tight, don't let go. I'll bring you safe - ly home, though it's cold and dark, I am here. I

46

won't leave you a - lone to walk this lone - ly road. Hold on tight, you're all-right. Let's go home.

USE REPEAT TO CHORUS

50

Dad - dy died last win - ter; I miss him ev - ery day - But I feel him close when life gets tough, and I still hear him

54

say. Hold on tight, don't let go, I'll bring you safe - ly home. Though it's cold and dark, I am

58

here. I won't leave you a - lone to walk this lone - ly road. Hold on tight, you're all right, let's go

62

home. Hold on tight, you're all right, let's go home.

66

You Were There

for Linda Lacey, Christmas 2004

Amy B. Lacey
Paul Lacey

The first system of the musical score. It features a vocal line in treble clef and a piano accompaniment in grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The key signature is B-flat major (two flats) and the time signature is common time (C). The vocal line begins with a whole rest for four measures, followed by a half note G4 and a quarter note A4. The piano accompaniment starts with a half note G2 in the bass and a half note B-flat3 in the treble, followed by a series of chords and moving lines.

You were
(You were)

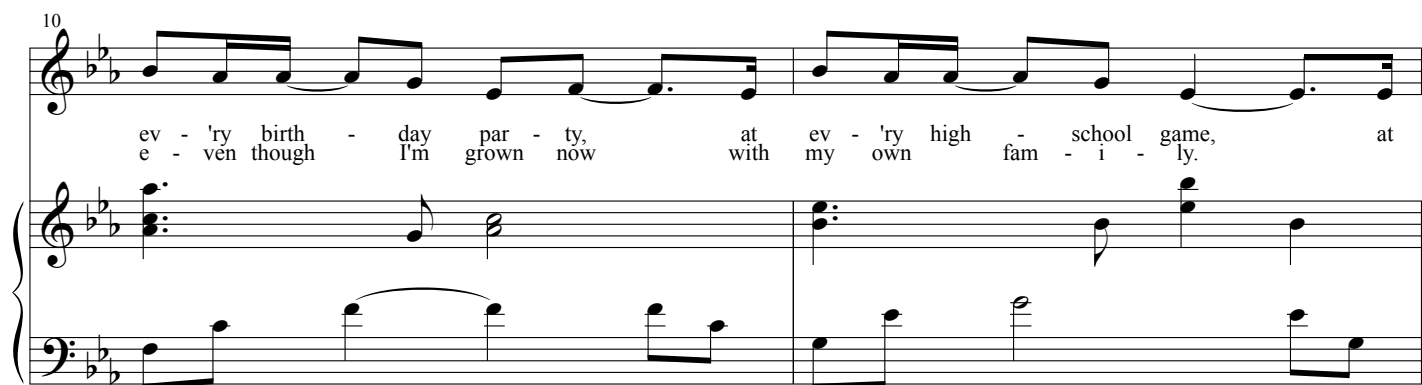
The second system of the musical score, starting at measure 6. It continues the vocal and piano parts. The lyrics are: "there when I took my first step, when I learned to ride my bike. You were there with a smile to help me when my al-ge-bra got tough. You were". The piano accompaniment includes a double bar line at the start of the system.

there when I took my first step, when I learned to ride my bike. You were
there with a smile to help me when my al-ge-bra got tough. You were

The third system of the musical score, starting at measure 8. It continues the vocal and piano parts. The lyrics are: "there when I hit a home-run and lost a tooth when I was five. At there with a heart to list-en when I first fell in love. And". The piano accompaniment includes a double bar line at the start of the system.

there when I hit a home-run and lost a tooth when I was five. At
there with a heart to list-en when I first fell in love. And

10



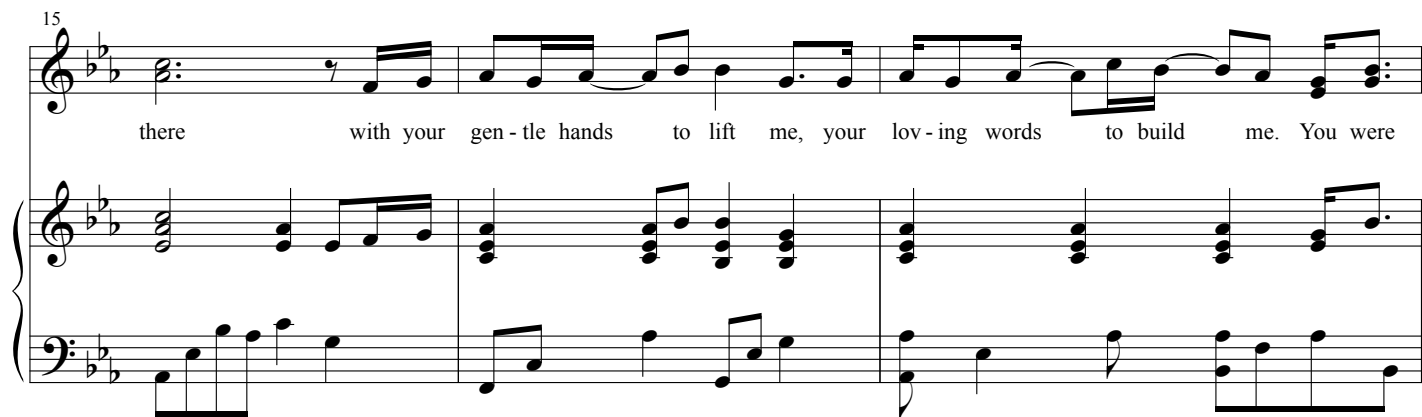
ev - 'ry birth - day par - ty, at ev - 'ry high - school game, at
e - ven though I'm grown now with my own fam - i - ly.

12



an - y time that mat - tered I knew I'ds see your face. You were there, You were
I still lean on you, Mom, You are al - ways there for me.

15



there with your gen - tle hands to lift me, your lov - ing words to build me. You were

18



there, You were there. And I hope you re - a - lize I'll be

21 1st Ending

grate - ful all my life that you were there. — You were

24 2nd Ending

there You were there

28

You were there with your gen - tle hands to lift me, your

31

lov - ing words to build me. You were there, You were there. And I

34

hope you re - a - lize I'll be grate - ful all my life that you were there.____

37

Ev-'ry mem-'ry in my mind paints a pic-ture of a time_____ that you were

41

there. You were there.____