

I. Invitation

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Music by
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♩ = 72
Warmly, not too fast

Mezzo-soprano

Piano

mf

With modest pedal throughout

5

mp
warmly

M-S.

If you're a dream - er _____ Come in. _____

Pno

mp

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M-S.

— If you're a dream - er, a wish - er, a li - ar,

Pno

p *mp*

11

M-S.

a ho - per, a pray - er, a

Pno

mf

14

M-S.

ma - gic bean buy - er, If you're a pre - ten - der

Pno

mp *mf*

17

M-S. *6/4* *4/4* *4/4* *4/4* *4/4* *4/4*

come sit by my fire for we have some flax - golden tales to spin.

Pno *f*

20

M-S. *5/4* *4/4* *4/4* *4/4*

Come in.

Pno *p*

23

M-S. *4/4* *4/4* *4/4* *4/4*

Come in!

Pno *dim.*

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II. Magic

4

♩ = 88

Playfully

rit. -----

M-S.

rit. -----

Pno

3

A tempo

mf

M-S.

San - dra's seen a lep - re - chaun, Ed - die touched a troll,

Pno

5

rit. ----- A tempo

rit. -----

M-S.

Lau - rie danced with witch - es once, Char - lie found some Gob - lin's gold.

Pno

7 *A tempo* *mp*

M-S. Don - ald heard a mer - maid sing, Su - zy spied an elf. But...

Pno *A tempo*

P *

10 *With more conviction*

M-S. all the ma - gic I have known I I've had to

Pno *mp*

4/4 2/4 4/4

14 *mf* *p* *hushed*

M-S. make, I've had to make my - self.

Pno *mf* *mp* *p*

5/4 4/4

III. I'm Making a List

♩. = 68
Sweetly
mp

M-S.

I'm ma-king a list of the things I must say for po-lite ness.

Piano

♩. = 68
mp

6

M-S.

For po-lite-ness and good-ness and kind-ness.

Pno

10

M-S.

For po-lite-ness and good-ness and kind-ness and gen-tle ness...

Pno

14

M-S. *I'm ma - king a list of the things I must say for po - lite - ness and*

Pno

18

M-S. *good - ness and kind - ness and gen - tle - ness, sweet - ness and right - ness.*

Pno

p *mp*

22

Sexy, bleusy, with attitude

mf

M-S. *Hel - lo _____ Par - don - me.*

Pno

sfz *mf*

26 $\text{♩} = 60$ Mocking

M-S. $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ How are you?

Pno mp *cresc.*

28 rit.----- $\text{♩} = 100$

M-S. Ex - cu - se me!

Pno *f*

32 rit.----- $\text{♩} = 60$

M-S. Bless you. [cough] [cough] [cough] [cough]

Pno rit.----- $\text{♩} = 60$

37

M-S.

Annoying, grating

May I?

Pno

42

M-S.

May I?

May I?

Pno

46

M-S.

Angrily

May I? Thank you and good -

Pno

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50 $\text{♩} = 72$ Sweetly

M-S. *bye!* If you know some that I for - got,

Pno

54

M-S. please stick them in your eye.

Pno

8va

v.v.

IV. Whatif

♩ = 188
With energy

M-S.

Piano

4

M-S.

Last night, while I lay think - ing here, some

Pno

7

M-S.

What - ifs_ crawled in - side my ear

Pno

R.H. crosses over



10

M-S.

Pno

and

13

M-S.

Pno

pranced and par - tied all night long and sang their same old

8va

16

M-S.

Pno

What - if song.

rit. ----- ♩ = 120

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19 $\text{♩} = 80$

M-S.

Pno

22

M-S.

Pno

24 *Push forward* *A tempo*

M-S.

Pno

26

M-S. in my cup? What - if I start to cry?

Pno

29

M-S. What - if I getsick and die? What-if I flunk that test?

Pno

32 A tempo

M-S. What - if green hair grows on my chest?

Pno



35

M-S.

What - if no - bo - dy likes me?

Pno

37

M-S.

What - if a bolt of light - ning strikes me?

Pno

39 $\text{♩} = 50$

M-S.

What - if I don't grow tal - ler? What - if my head starts

Pno

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41

gradual accel. to m. 53

M-S. M-S.
 get - ting small - er? What - if the

Pno Pno
 gradual accel. to m. 53

43

M-S. M-S.
 fish won't bite? What - if the wind tears up my

Pno Pno

45

M-S. M-S.
 kite? What - if they start a war?

Pno Pno

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18

Panting,
out of breath

♩ = 68

M-S. 53

Ev - ery - thing seems fine and then, the

Pno

15^{ma}

8^{va}

♩ = 68

M-S. 57

night - time What - ifs strike a - gain.

Pno

M-S. 60

night - time What - ifs strike a - gain.

Pno

♩ = 120

8^{va}

V. Voice

Calmly

♩ = 68

19

M-S.

p

There is a

Pno

p

simile

5

M-S.

voice in - side of you that whis - pers all day long, "I

Pno

pp

9

M-S.

feel that this is right for me, I know that this is wrong."

Pno

mp *f* *mp*

20

12

M-S. *mf*

No — tea - cher, prea - cher, — pa - rent, friend

Pno

p *mf*

16

M-S. *mp*

— or wise - man can de - cide what's right for you. Just

Pno

20

M-S. *p* *cresc.*-----

lis - ten to the voice, the voice, — the

Pno

pp *8va*

