

Don't Let The Sun Go Down On Me

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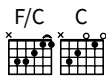
Moderately, not too fast



Musical score for the first system, including piano accompaniment and guitar chords.




I can't _ light no more of your dark - ness. _




al^l my pic - tures _____ seem to fade _ to black _ and white.

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G C/G G C/G G C/G




I'm — grow-ing tired,




G⁷ F F/C C F/C C F/C C C/E




and time stands still be - fore — me; —




F B \flat /F F G C/G



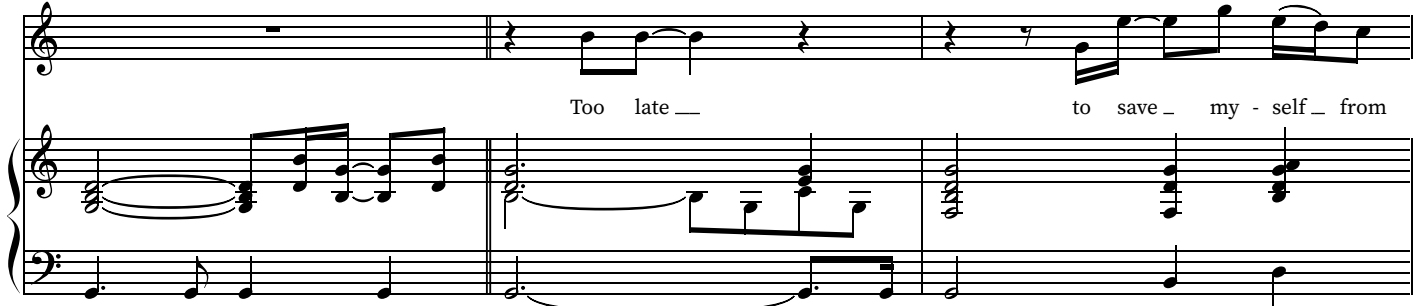
fro - zen here _ on the lad - der of _ my _ life.



G C/G G⁷ G⁷/B G(add9)/D



Too late _ to save _ my - self _ from



F/C C F/C C Dm/C C C/E F B \flat /F

fall - ing, - I ___ took a chance -

Detailed description: This system contains the first two lines of music. The top line shows guitar chord diagrams for F/C, C, F/C, C, Dm/C, C, C/E, F, and B \flat /F. Below this is a vocal line with lyrics 'fall - ing, -' and 'I ___ took a chance -'. The bottom two staves show a piano accompaniment with chords and a bass line.

F F/A F/C G C/G

and changed your way ___ of life. ___

Detailed description: This system contains the second two lines of music. The top line shows guitar chord diagrams for F, F/A, F/C, G, and C/G. Below this is a vocal line with lyrics 'and changed your way ___ of life. ___'. The bottom two staves show a piano accompaniment.

G G 7 C/G G G/B G/D

But you mis-read my mean-ing when I ___

Detailed description: This system contains the third two lines of music. The top line shows guitar chord diagrams for G, G 7 , C/G, G, G/B, and G/D. Below this is a vocal line with lyrics 'But you mis-read' and 'my mean-ing when I ___'. The bottom two staves show a piano accompaniment.

F/C C F/C C F/C C C/E F F(add9)

met ___ you, - closed the door

Detailed description: This system contains the final two lines of music. The top line shows guitar chord diagrams for F/C, C, F/C, C, F/C, C, C/E, F, and F(add9). Below this is a vocal line with lyrics 'met ___ you, -' and 'closed the door'. The bottom two staves show a piano accompaniment.

F F/A F/C C/G G F/G F/A

and left me blind - ed by _____ the light. _____

C C/B♭ F(add9)/A Am⁷/G

Don't let the sun _____ go down on me; _____ al-though I _____ search my-self, it's al-ways

D⁷/F# C/G

some-one else _ I see. _____ I'd just al - low a frag-ment of _ your life _

Dm⁷/G G C C/B♭

_____ to wan - der free. _____ But

F/A

F/G F⁵ Am⁷/E Dm⁷ C/E F C/G D/G

To Coda

los - ing ev - 'ry - thing _____ is like the sun go - ing down on _____

Detailed description: This system contains the first line of music. It features a vocal line with lyrics, a piano accompaniment in the right hand, and a bass line in the left hand. Above the vocal line, guitar chord diagrams are provided for each measure: F/A, F/G, F⁵, Am⁷/E, Dm⁷, C/E, F, C/G, and D/G. The lyrics are "los - ing ev - 'ry - thing _____ is like the sun go - ing down on _____". The system concludes with a "To Coda" symbol.

C

C/B \flat

F/A

C/G

me.

Detailed description: This system contains the second line of music. It features a vocal line with the lyric "me.", a piano accompaniment in the right hand, and a bass line in the left hand. Above the vocal line, guitar chord diagrams are provided for each measure: C, C/B \flat , F/A, and C/G. The lyrics are "me.".

F

G

C/G

G⁷sus⁴

G⁷/B

G⁷/D

I can't find, oh _ the right _ ro -

Detailed description: This system contains the third line of music. It features a vocal line with lyrics, a piano accompaniment in the right hand, and a bass line in the left hand. Above the vocal line, guitar chord diagrams are provided for each measure: F, G, C/G, G⁷sus⁴, G⁷/B, and G⁷/D. The lyrics are "I can't find, oh _ the right _ ro -".

F/C

C

C⁷/E

F

B \flat /C

-man-tic line; _____ but see me once, _

Detailed description: This system contains the fourth line of music. It features a vocal line with lyrics, a piano accompaniment in the right hand, and a bass line in the left hand. Above the vocal line, guitar chord diagrams are provided for each measure: F/C, C, C⁷/E, F, and B \flat /C. The lyrics are "-man-tic line; _____ but see me once, _".

F F/A F G C/G C/D G⁷ G^{sus4}

and see the way _ I feel. _

G C/G G G/B Dm

Don't dis - card me just be - cause _ you think

C C/E

I mean you harm. _

F F(add9) F F/A F/C

But these cuts _ I _ have, _ oh, they need

C/G G G⁷ D.S. al Coda

love to help them heal.

Coda C

me.

C/B \flat F/A A \flat ⁶ B \flat

C C/B \flat F(add9)/A Am⁷/G

Don't let the sun go down on me; although I search my-self, it's always

D⁷/F[#] C/G Dm⁷/G G

some-one else _ I see. 3 I'd just al-low a frag-ment of _ your life ___ to wan-der free.

C C/B^b F/A F/G F⁵ Am⁷/E

But los - ing ev - 'ry - thing ___ is like the

Dm⁷ C/E F C/G D/G C C/B^b

sun go - ing down on ___ me.

F/A A^b6 3fr B^b9 B^b C

Rit.