

For A Little While

A Wedding Song

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Score

Moderato

The musical score is arranged in four systems. Each system consists of a Solo vocal line and a Piano accompaniment. The piano part is written in grand staff notation (treble and bass clefs). The lyrics are written below the vocal line. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats) and the time signature is common time (C).

System 1: Solo and Piano introduction. The tempo is marked *Moderato*.

System 2: Solo and Piano with lyrics: "To the girl be - ing mar - ried, to the boy that you chose, we wish you the best that our Now the girl is a wo - man and the boy is a man; we pray you'll be do - ing the"

System 3: Solo and Piano with lyrics: "9 hearts can sup - pose. May life treat you gent - ly and ev - er so kind, you have a place a - head, you've best that you can to love one an - o - ther and ev - er be true, and may you not for - get, we'll"

System 4: Solo and Piano with lyrics: "13 left a space be - hind. Life was so much sim - pler in the days when you were small; Per - haps you broke a toy, some - still be lov - ing you. We are mel - an - chol - ly that our child has gone a - way, and yet we have a joy for"

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Solo

Pno.

times you took a fall, but it was so much eas - i - er to brush the tears a - way and
 what you are to - day; We tru - ly count our bless - ings for so much that we have had, and

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Solo

Pno.

see your smile re - turn, to know you were o - kay. For a lit - tle while we
 smil - ing thru our tears, we still can feel so glad.

Chorus

23

Solo

Pno.

had you at home; for a lit - tle while and now you are grown. For a

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Solo

lit - tle while, a lit - tle while our lives were made so

Pno.

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Solo

bright. We're so thank - ful for hav - ing you a

Pno.

32

Solo

lit - - - - tle while.

Pno.