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Words and Music by
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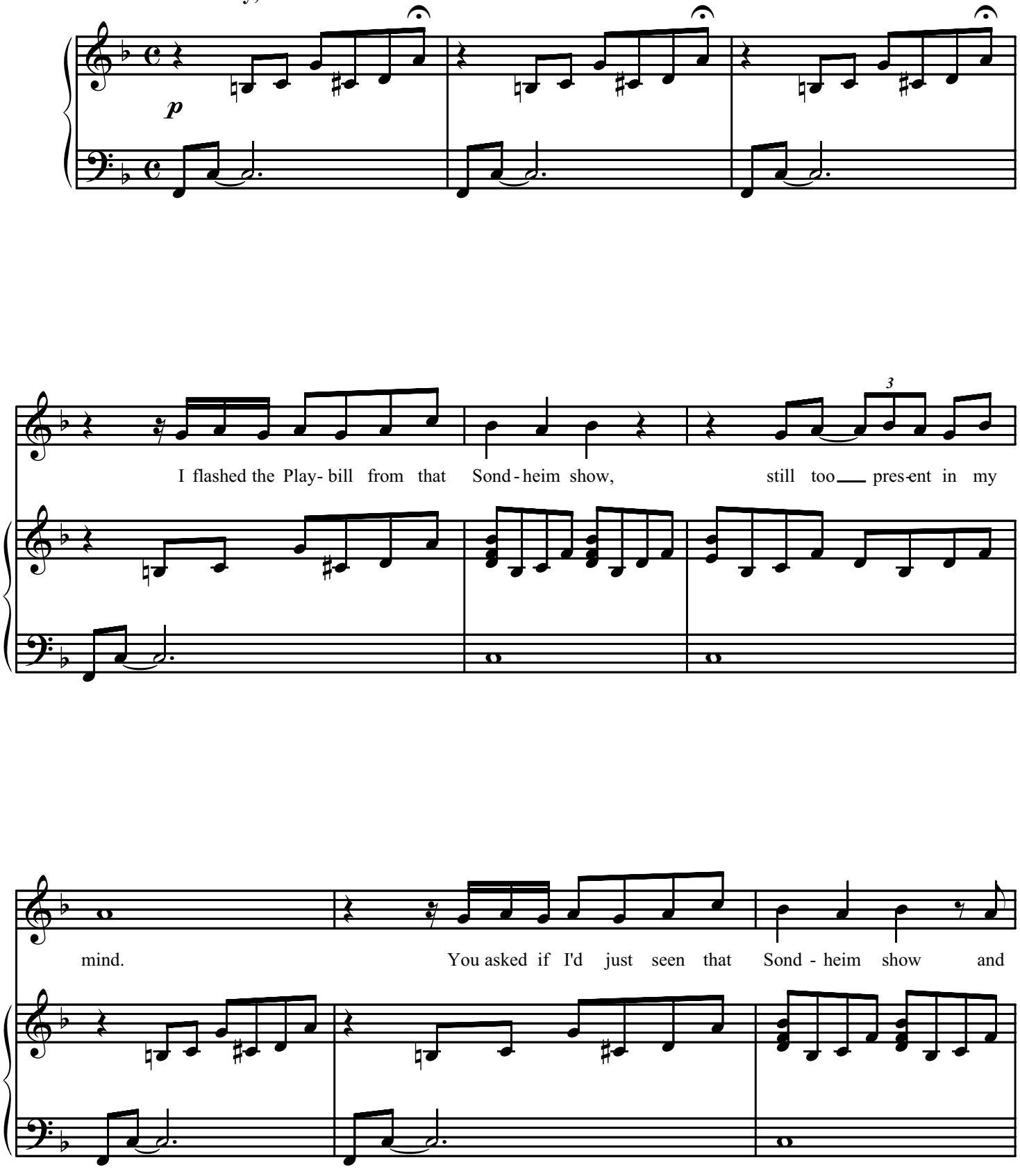
Reflectively, with rubato



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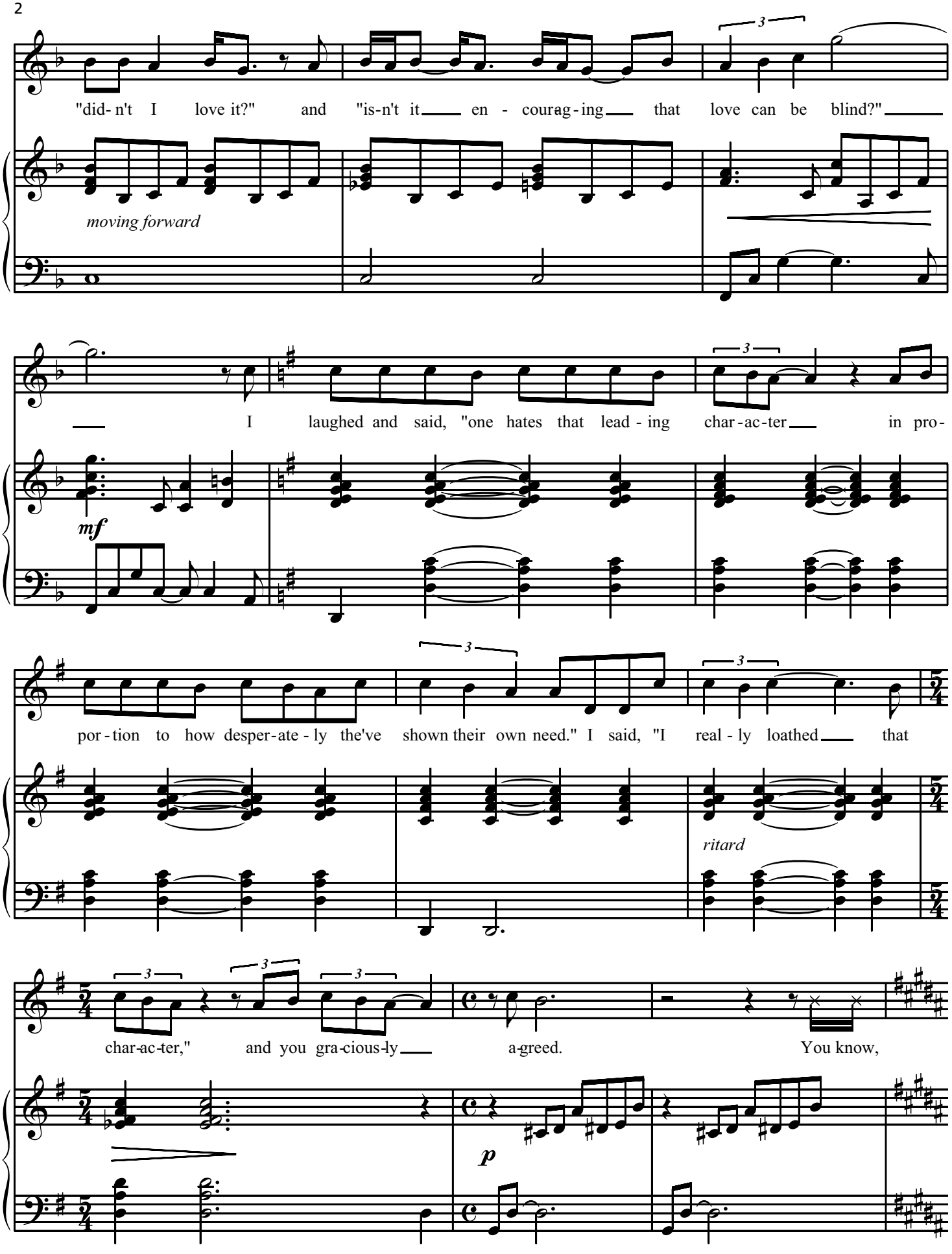
"did- n't I love it?" and "is-n't it en - cour-ag - ing that love can be blind?"
moving forward
I laughed and said, "one hates that lead - ing char - ac - ter in pro -
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por - tion to how desper - ate - ly the've shown their own need." I said, "I real - ly loathed that
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char-ac-ter," and you gra-cious-ly a-greed. You know,
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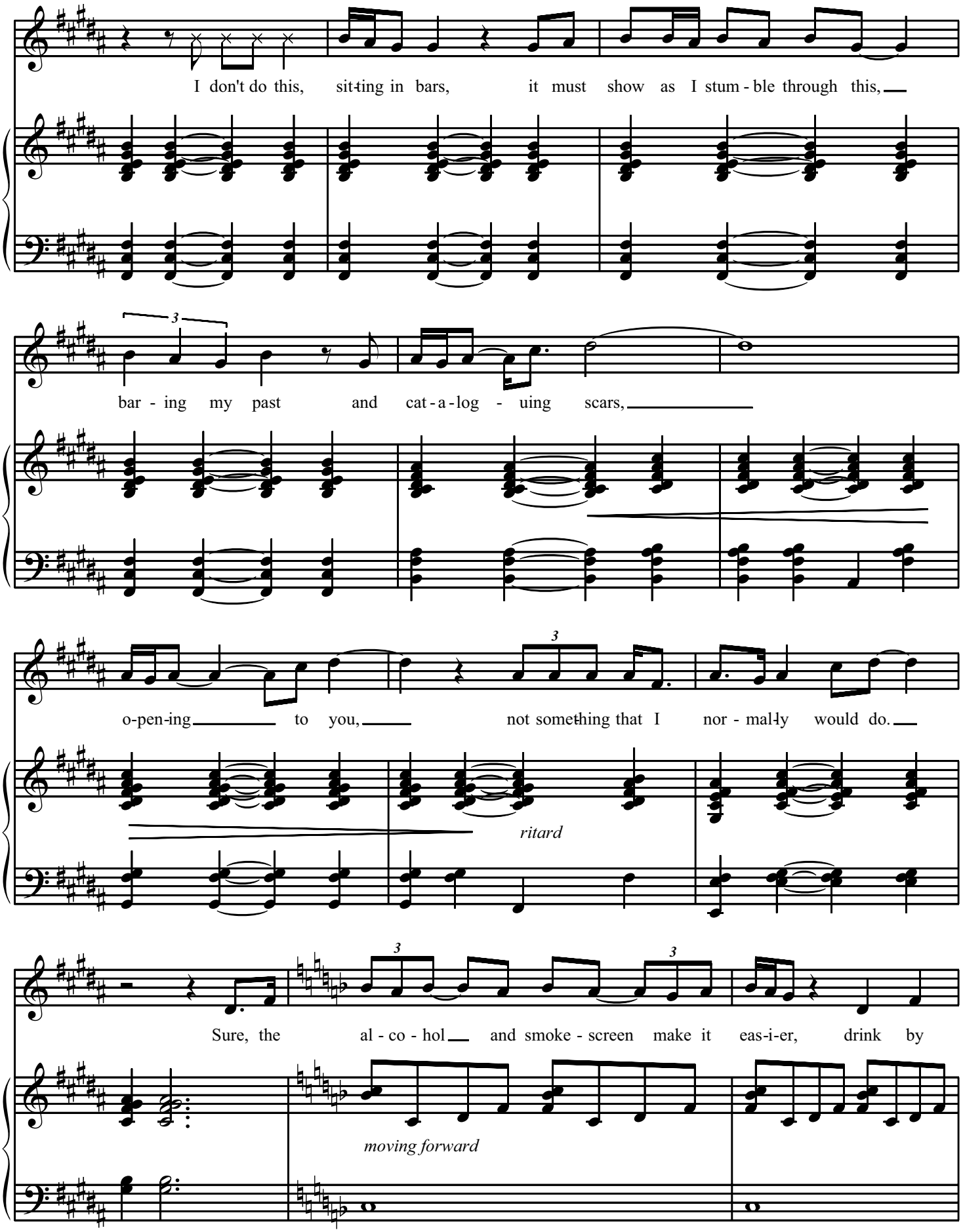
I don't do this, sit-ting in bars, it must show as I stum - ble through this,
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bar - ing my past and cat - a - log - uing scars,
o-pen-ing to you, not some-thing that I nor - mal-ly would do.
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ritard
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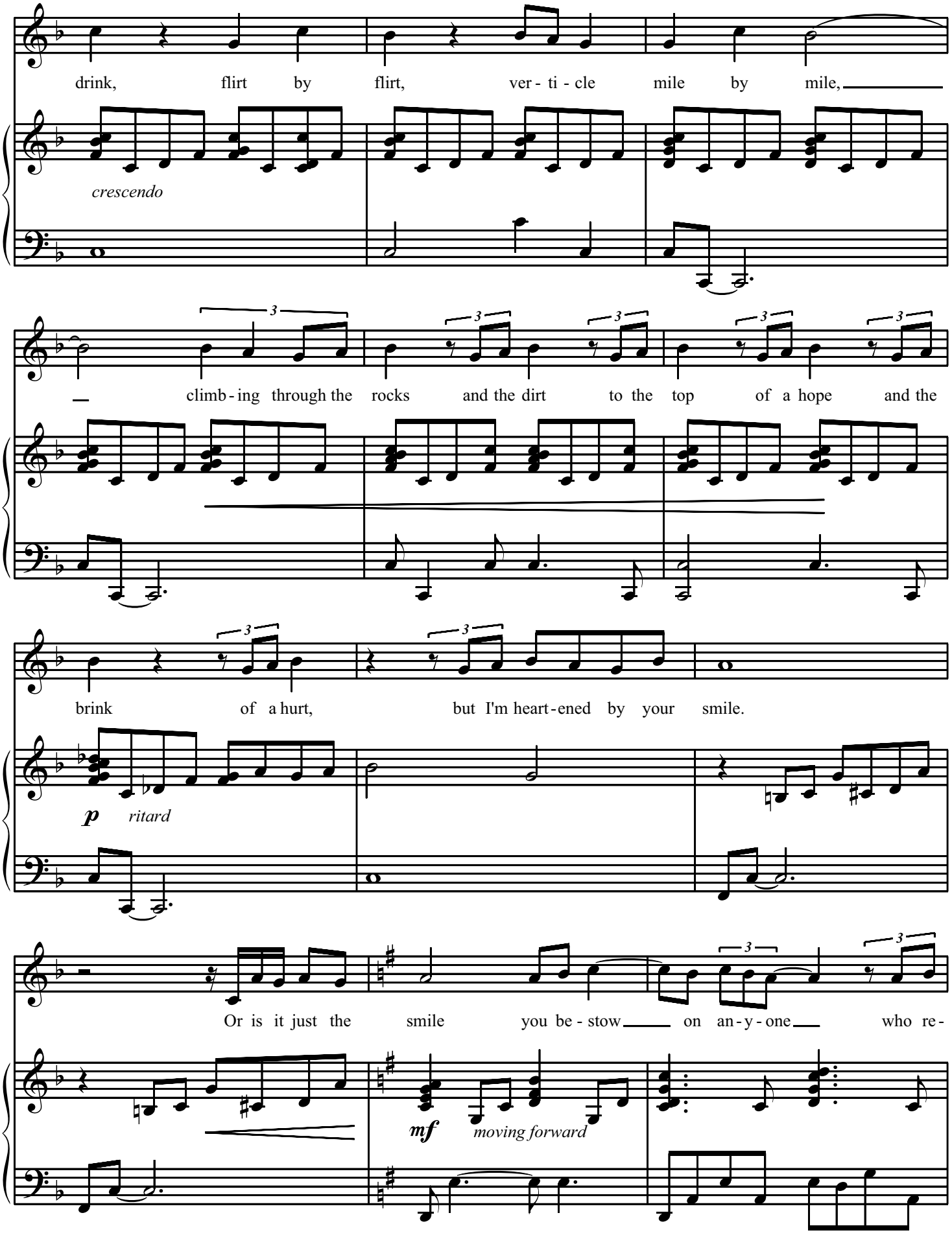
Sure, the al - co - hol and smoke - screen make it eas-i-er, drink by
moving forward


drink, flirt by flirt, ver - ti - cle mile by mile,
crescendo
climb - ing through the rocks and the dirt to the top of a hope and the
brink of a hurt, but I'm heart - ened by your smile.
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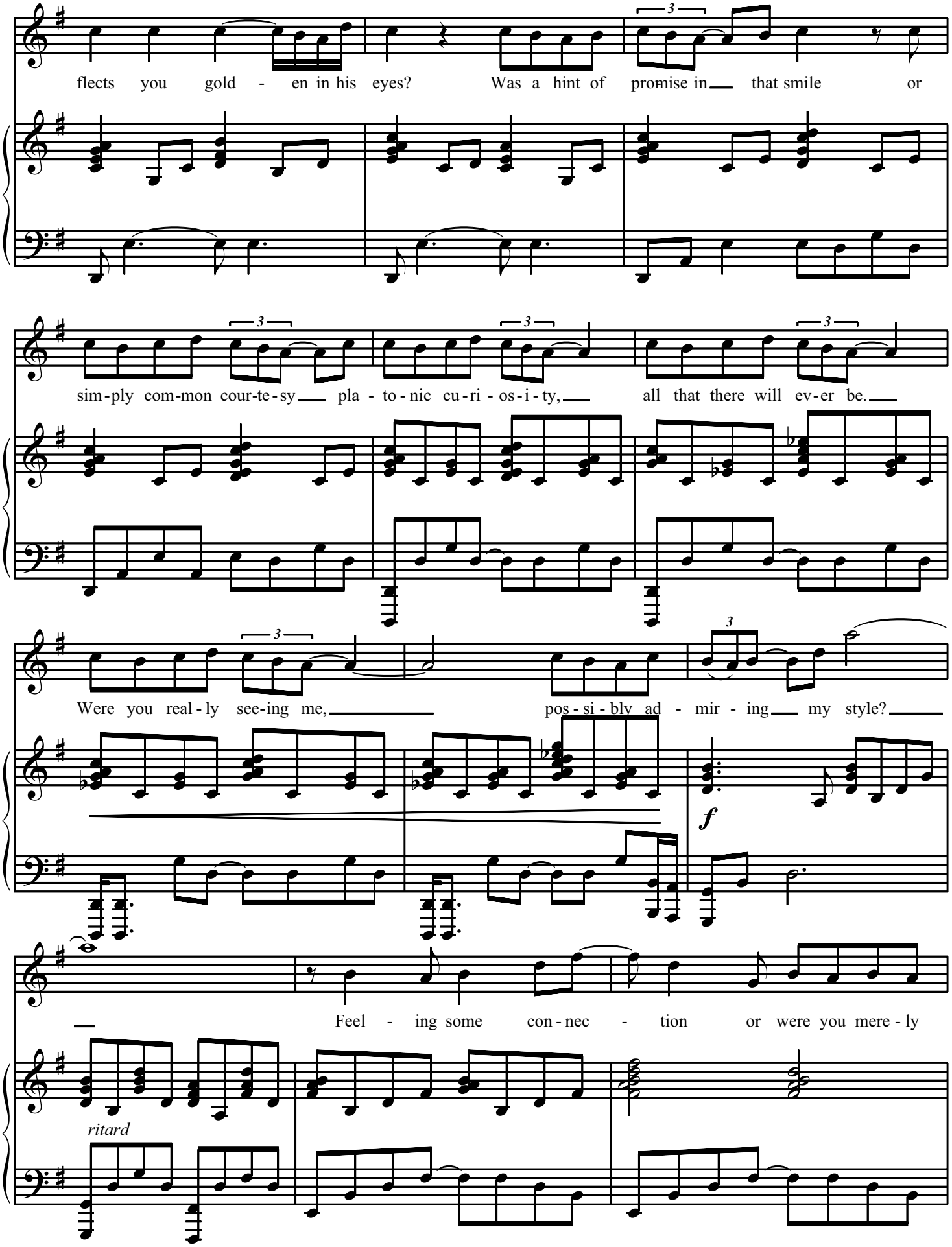
Or is it just the smile you be - stow on an - y - one who re -
mf moving forward


flects you gold - en in his eyes? Was a hint of promise in that smile or
sim-ply com-mon cour-te-sy pla - to-nic cu-ri - os-i - ty, all that there will ev-er be.
Were you real - ly see-ing me, pos - si - bly ad - mir - ing my style?
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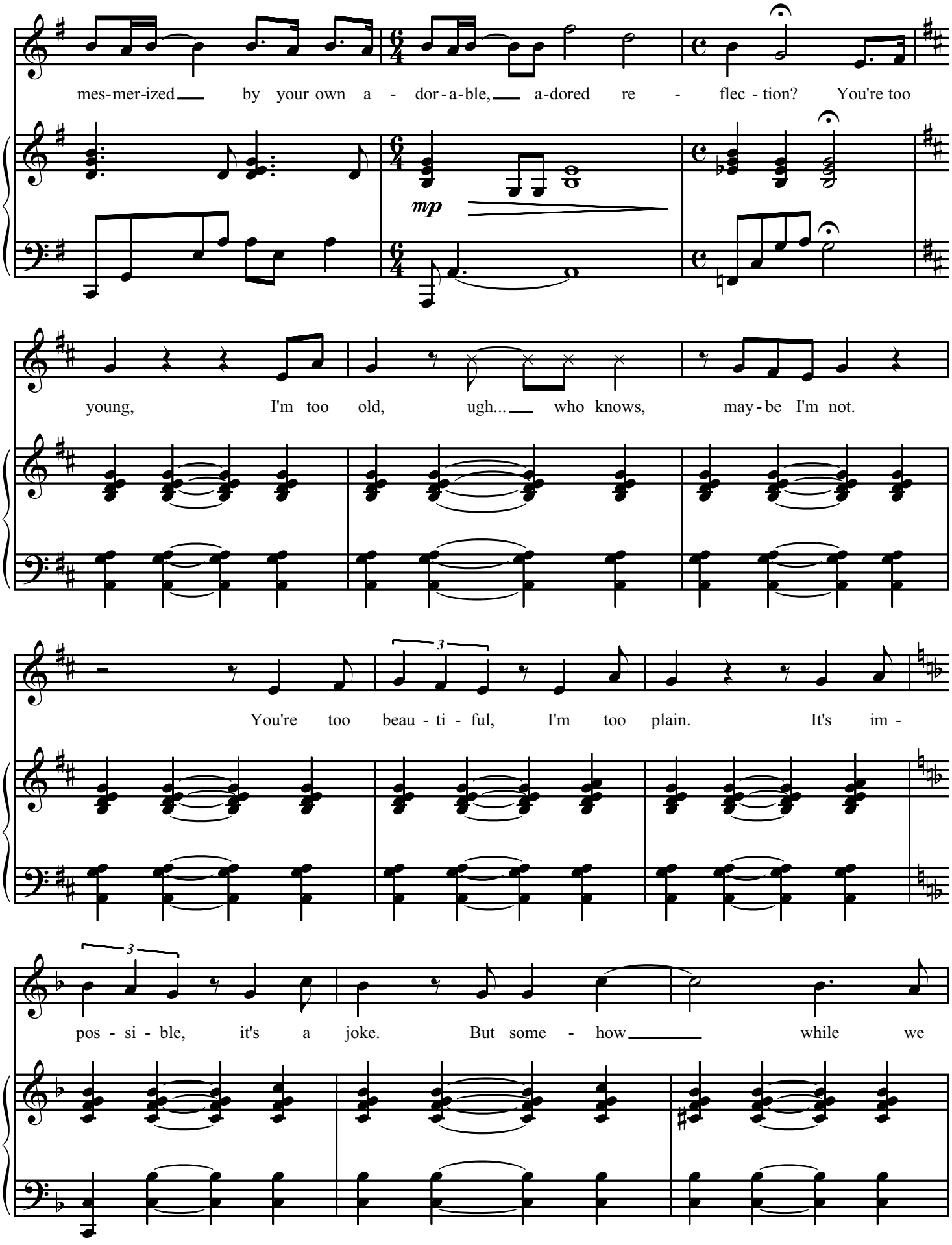
Feel - ing some con-nec - tion or were you mere - ly
ritard


mes-mer-ized by your own a - dor-a-ble, a-dored re - flec - tion? You're too
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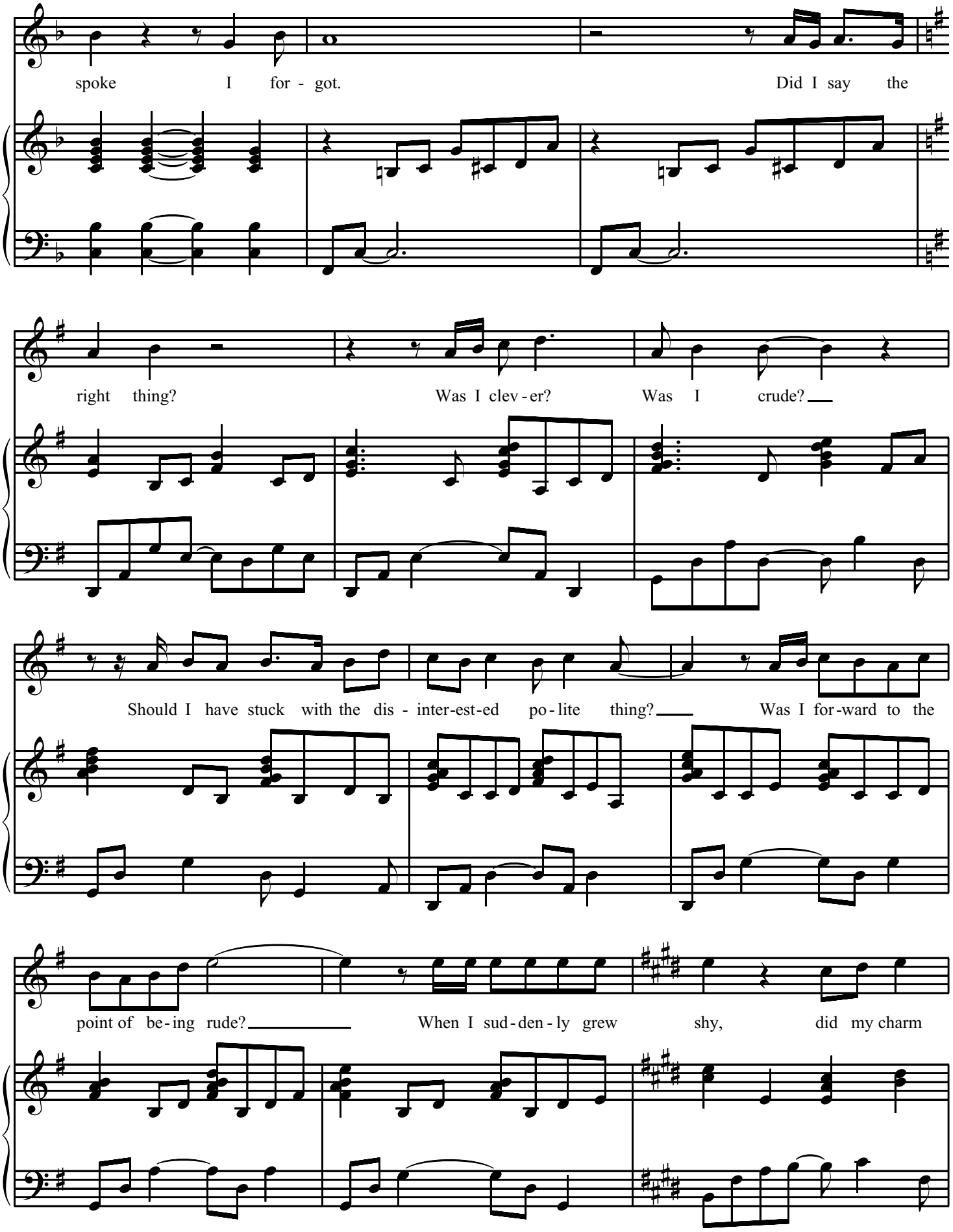
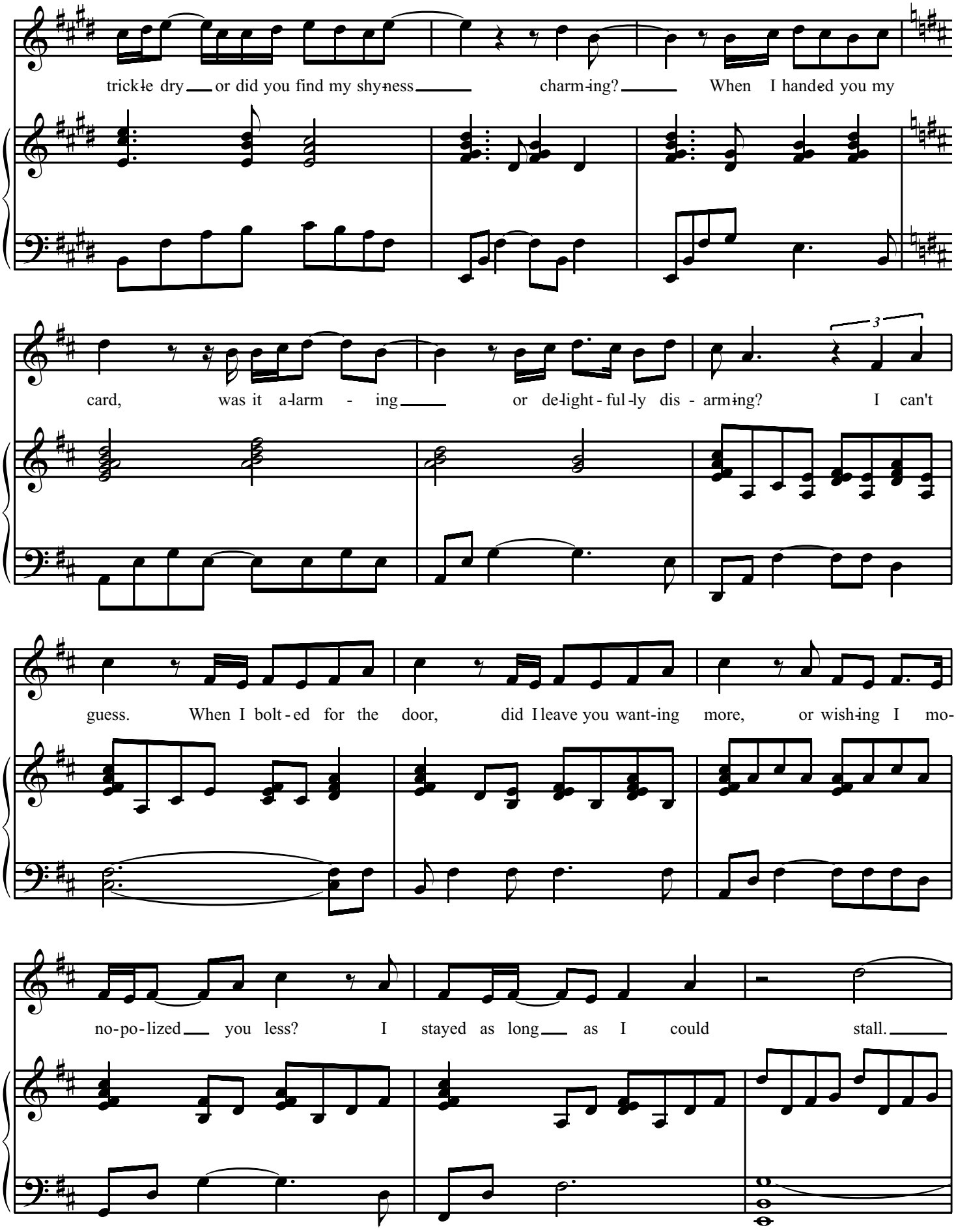
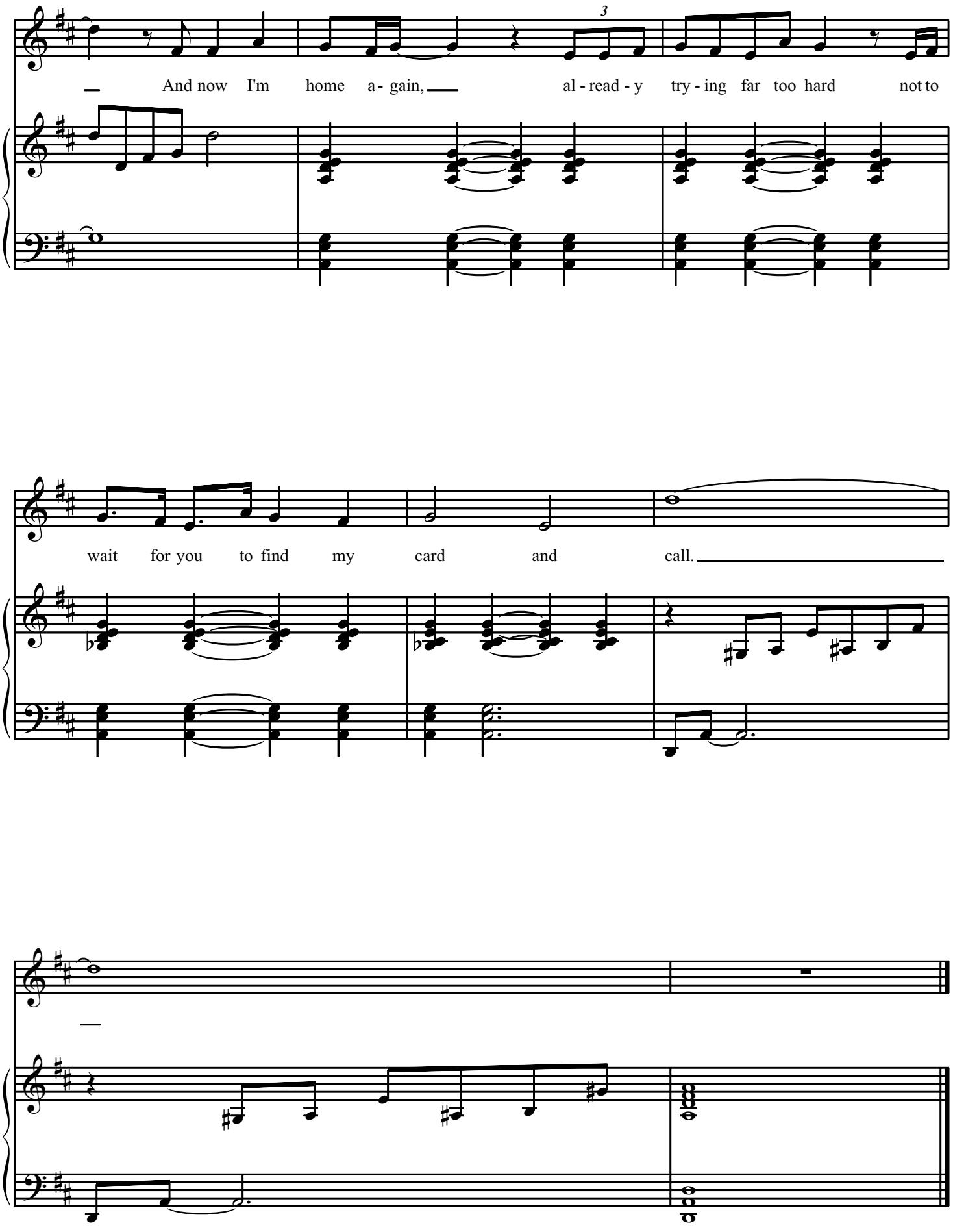
young, I'm too old, ugh... who knows, may-be I'm not.
You're too beau - ti - ful, I'm too plain. It's im -
pos - si - ble, it's a joke. But some - how while we


spoke I for - got. Did I say the
right thing? Was I clev - er? Was I crude?
Should I have stuck with the dis - inter-est-ed po - lite thing? Was I for-ward to the
point of be - ing rude? When I sud - den - ly grew shy, did my charm


trick-le dry or did you find my shy-ness charm-ing? When I hand-ed you my
card, was it a-larm - ing or de-light-ful-ly dis - arm-ing? I can't
guess. When I bolt-ed for the door, did I leave you want-ing more, or wish-ing I mo-
no-po-lized you less? I stayed as long as I could stall.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And now I'm home a - gain, al - read - y try - ing far too hard not to
wait for you to find my card and call.