

I Don't Want A Lover

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Moderately
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Cadd9/D
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The first system of music features a guitar part on a single treble clef staff and a piano accompaniment on grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The guitar part consists of four whole rests. The piano accompaniment begins with a bass line of eighth notes in the left hand and a right hand with sustained chords in the first two measures, followed by a melodic line in the third and fourth measures.

The second system continues the guitar and piano accompaniment. The guitar part has four whole rests. The piano accompaniment continues with sustained chords in the first two measures and a melodic line in the third and fourth measures. The lyrics "I don't want a" are written under the vocal line in the fourth measure.

The third system features a vocal line on a single treble clef staff and a piano accompaniment on grand staff. The guitar part is not present. The lyrics "lov - er, I just need a friend. I don't want a" are written under the vocal line across the four measures.

The fourth system continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics "lov - er, I just need a friend. You can't just" are written under the vocal line across the four measures.

leave me_ to face life on_ my own. I know you don't

love me no more, I knew this day_would come. Ev - en when it

Cadd9 Em7 D

cuts so deep,_ it's true I still want you. But the

Cadd9 Em7 D

hard -er I try_ the more I seem to lose._ I don't want a

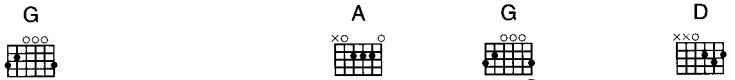
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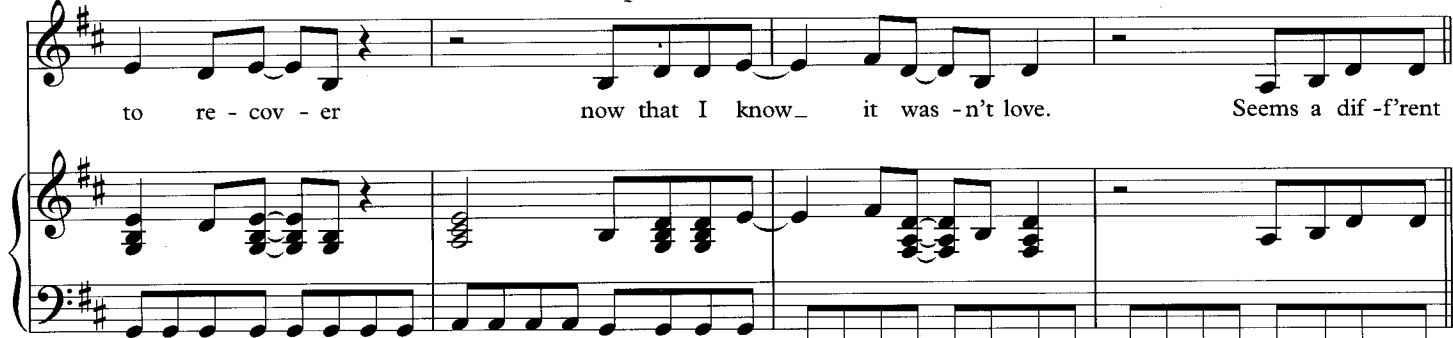
lov - er, I just need a friend. I've had time




G A G D



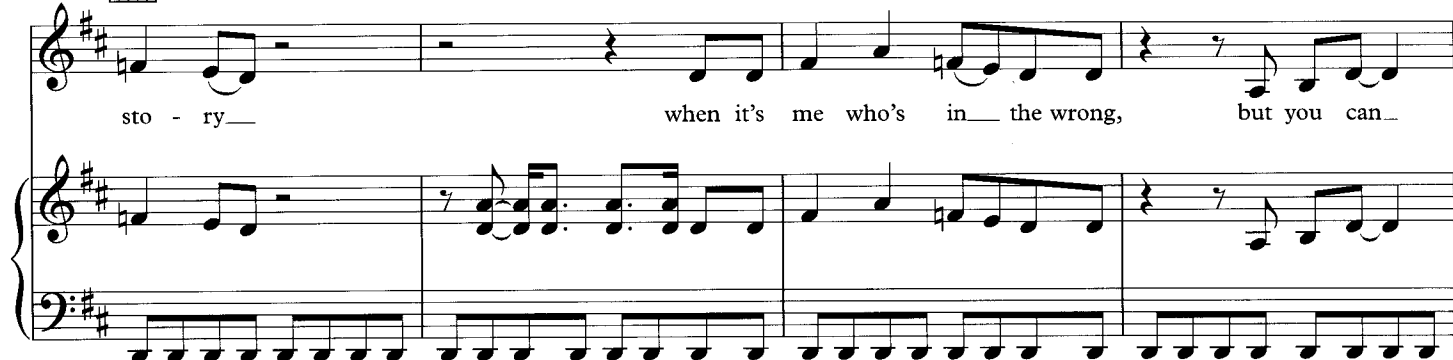
to re - cov - er now that I know it was -n't love. Seems a dif -f'rent



D5



sto - ry when it's me who's in the wrong, but you can



have it all, 'cos I'm the one who's strong. I've al -rea -dy been



Cadd9

Em7

D



burnt be - fore, — once — but ne - ver a - gain. — I know the

Cadd9

Em7

D



time will come, — that's when you'll need me then. — I don't want a

D



lov - er, I just need a — friend. I've had time

G

A

G

D



to re - cov - er now that I know — it was - n't love. I don't want a

G



lov - er, I just need a friend. I know you




G A G D




nev - er cared, now that I know it was - n't love. You don't ev - en



A G



care 'bout what I'm say - ing, you don't ev - en think what you're do - in', all you see



A G Em7



is what you want it to be, but in there, there's just no room for me, yeah.



D7 G/D D D7 G/D D

Cmaj7 Em D G D

I don't want a

D

lov - er, I just need a friend. I've had time

G A G D

to re - cov - er now that I know_ it was - n't love. You don't ev - en

D5



care 'bout what I'm say - ing, you don't ev - en think_ what you're do - in',_ all you see

G5



A5



G5



D5



is what you want_ it to be,_ there's just no room, left_ for me._____ I don't want a

D



lov - er. I just need a_ friend. I've had time

G



A



G



D



repeat and fade

to re - cov - er now that I know_ it was - n't love. I don't want a