

Arthur Murray Taught Me Dancing in a Hurry

from the Paramount Picture THE FLEET'S IN

as performed by Helen O'Connell with the Harold Mooney Orchestra - Capitol Records - Feb 1951

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Music by Victor Schertzinger
Original arrangement by Hal Mooney
Re-scored and adapted by Myles Collins

♩=105 RUBATO - IN 4

RALL ...

A A TEMPO

COLLA VOCE

The musical score is arranged for a large ensemble. It includes staves for five saxophones (SAX 1 ALTO, SAX 2 ALTO, SAX 3 TENOR, SAX 4 TENOR, SAX 5 BARITONE), four trumpets (TRUMPET 1-4), four trombones (TROMBONE 1-4), guitar, piano, bass, drums, and a vocal line. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The score is divided into sections: a 'RALL ...' section, a section marked 'A A TEMPO', and a 'COLLA VOCE' section. The vocal line includes lyrics and is marked with 'ARCO' and 'COLLA VOCE'. The score concludes with a double bar line and repeat signs.

1 2 3 Life was so peace-ful at the drive-in, 4 5 life was so calm and ser - ene. 6 7 Life was tres gay, 'till that un-luck - y day 8

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ACCEL.

8 A TEMPO

COLLA VOCE

The musical score is arranged in a standard orchestral format. It includes staves for Alto 1, Alto 2, Tenor 1, Tenor 2, Baritone, Trumpet 1-4, Trombone 1-4, Guitar, Piano, Bass, Drums, and Vocal. The vocal line is at the bottom and includes lyrics. The instrumental parts are mostly rests, with some melodic lines for the Trombone section in measures 9-10. The score is marked with 'ACCEL.' at the beginning, '8 A TEMPO' at measure 8, and 'COLLA VOCE' at the end. The key signature has one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The vocal line features triplets in measures 9 and 12, and a 'SPOKEN' section in measure 13.

9 hap-pened to read that mag-a - zine. 10 Why did I read that ad - vert - ise-ment? 11 Where it 12 said "when I Mam-ba Jim thinks 13 I'm sub-lime". 14 Why, oh why did I 15

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♩ = 180 SWING

Alto 1

Alto 2

Tenor 1

Tenor 2

Baritone

Trumpet 1

Trumpet 2

Trumpet 3

Trumpet 4

Trombone 1

Trombone 2

Trombone 3

Trombone 4

Guitar

Piano

Bass

Drums

Vocal

PICK IT UP

16 e - ver try? When I

17 did - n't have the ta lent,

18

19 I did - n't have the mo ney,

20

21 and teach er did not have the

22 time. Boy!