

# Soon

As recorded by Ella Fitzgerald

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♩ = 126 RELAXED SWING

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The score includes parts for:  
 - ALTO 1 & CLARINET  
 - ALTO 2  
 - TENOR 1  
 - TENOR 2  
 - BARITONE  
 - TRUMPET 1  
 - TRUMPET 2  
 - TRUMPET 3  
 - TRUMPET 4  
 - TRUMPET 5  
 - TRUMPET 6  
 - TRUMPET 7  
 - TRUMPET 8  
 - TRUMPET 9  
 - TRUMPET 10  
 - GUITAR  
 - PIANO  
 - BASS  
 - DRUMS  
 - VOCAL

Dynamic markings include *mp*, *cresc.*, *mezzo*, and *f*. The score is divided into measures 1 through 6.

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**A**

The musical score is arranged for a vocal soloist and a full band. The vocal line begins at measure 9 with the lyrics "Soon, my dear, you'll never be lonely,". The instrumental parts include Alto 1-2, Tenor 1-2, Baritone, Trumpet 1-4, Trombone 1-4, Guitar, Piano, Bass, and Drums. The score is in 4/4 time with a key signature of two flats (Bb and Eb). The vocal part features a melodic line with a triplet of eighth notes in measure 12. The instrumental parts provide harmonic support, with the guitar and piano parts including specific chord voicings such as Eb7#9, Eb6, E6/Eb, C7#9, Cb7#9, Bb7#9, Eb13#9, Ab6, AbΔ9, Bm7/Eb, Ab6, Db9, Cm7b5, Gb9, and F9.

7 8 9 10 11 12  
Soon, my dear, you'll ne - ver be lo - nely,

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The musical score is arranged in a standard orchestral layout. At the top, the vocal line is written in treble clef with lyrics: "Soon. you'll find I live for you on - - - l - y. When I'm with you who cares". The instrumental parts include Alto 1, Alto 2, Tenor 1, Tenor 2, Baritone, Trumpet 1-4, Trombone 1-4, Guitar, Piano, Bass, and Drums. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats). A rehearsal mark 'B' is placed above the vocal staff at the beginning of the final measure of the first system. The guitar and piano parts show a sequence of chords: Bbm7, Cm7/F, Bbm7, Bbm7b5, E9, Eb9, Ab6, Ab13, and Ab7b13. The bass line features a triplet of eighth notes in the final measure of the first system.