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A WORD FOR
THE
TRAVELLING MAN

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Andante.

f

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand plays a melody of eighth and quarter notes, while the left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving lines. The tempo is marked 'Andante' and the dynamics range from piano to forte.

1. Do you know there's a world of mean-ing,
 2. Dont condemn him be-cause he's a stranger,
 3. There are mothers, wives, daughters and sweethearts,

p

The vocal line is written on a single staff with lyrics underneath. The piano accompaniment is on two staves below, featuring chords and a steady bass line. The dynamics are marked 'p' (piano).

dim.

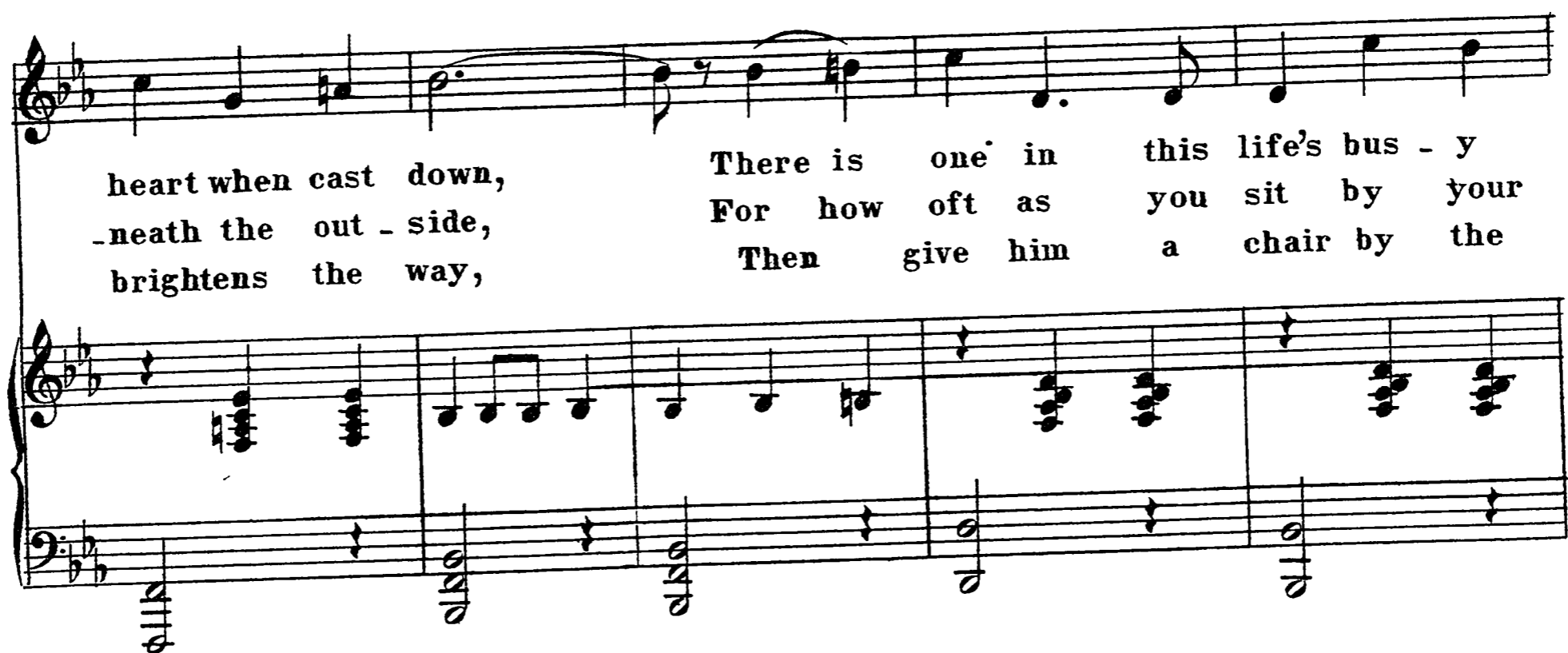
In a half care-less smile or a frown,..... Have you
 Though he may be a - drift with the tide,..... For you
 Who are eag - er - ly watch - ing each day,..... For the

dim.

The vocal line continues with lyrics. The piano accompaniment includes a 'dim.' (diminuendo) marking. The music concludes with a final chord in the piano part.



thought that a word kind - ly spo - ken May cheer up the
 cant al - ways tell just what's bur - ied, Or hid - den be -
 e'er wel - come sound of his foot - steps, And the home smile that



heart when cast down, There is one in this life's bus - y
 -neath the out - side, For how oft as you sit by your
 brightens the way, Then give him a chair by the



struggle, I'll tell you a - bout if I can,
 fire - side, And speak of the bright days to come,
 fire - side, And a place in your heart if you can,

f

Who's left out in the cold and ex - clu - ded,..... Be - cause he's a
 He thinks of a wife kind and lov - ing,..... And the lit - tle ones
 And your life will grow brighter by speaking A word for the

rit.
p

trav - el - ing man, Who's left out in the cold and - ex - clu - -
 wait - ing at home, He thinks of a wife kind and lov - -
 trav - el - ing man, And your life will grow brighter by speak - -

rit. p *ff* *cres* - *cen* - *do.*

- ded, Be - - cause he's a trav - el - ing man.....
 - ing, And the lit - tle ones wait - ing at home.....
 - ing A word for the trav - el - ing man.....

rit. *p*

Then speak a kind word when you meet him, Ere life's bright golden

moments have passed,..... For the bread that you cast on the waters..... Will

surely re - turn at last,..... For the bread that you cast on the

wat - ers..... Will surely re - turn..... at last.....