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LADDIE IN KHAKI

(THE GIRL WHO WAITS AT HOME)



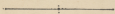
SONG

WORDS AND MUSIC

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LADDIE IN KHAKI.
(THE GIRL WHO WAITS AT HOME).

I.

There is a girl who waits at home
Who's full of charm and grace,
Though her heart is saddened—yet
She keeps a smiling face.
Ask her whom she's thinking of
All the livelong day—
With a smile that lights her face
She will softly say—

REFRAIN—

“ Laddie in Khaki
I'm waiting for you,
I want you to know
That my heart beats true ;
I'm longing and praying
And living for you,
So come back little Laddie in Khaki ! ”

2.

Just be brave a little while,
He'll come to you again,
You'll forget the weary days,
And you'll forget the pain.
He'll be proud of all the courage
You have shown to-day ;
He'll make you forget the time
When you used to say—

REFRAIN—

“ Laddie in Khaki
I'm waiting for you,
I want you to know
That my heart beats true ;
I'm longing and praying
And living for you,
So come back little Laddie in Khaki ! ”

IVOR NOVELLO.

LADDIE IN KHAKI.

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Not too fast.

VOICE.

PIANO.

f

mf

There is a girl who waits at home Who's full of charm and grace,—

p

Tho' her heart is sad-den'd, yet She keeps a smil-ing face.

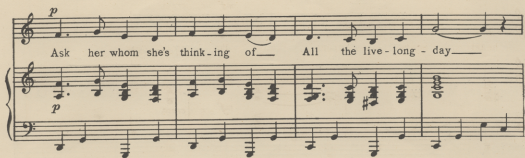
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p

Ask her whom she's think - ing of — All the live - long - day —

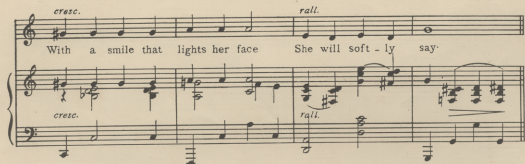
p



cresc. *rall.*

With a smile that lights her face She will soft - ly say.

cresc. *rall.*



REFRAIN. *p*, (2nd time, *ff*)

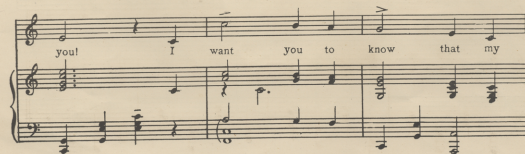
"Lad - die in Kha - ki I'm wait - ing for

p



you! I want you to know that my

p



heart beats true; I'm long - ing and

mf e cresc.

mf e cresc.

Detailed description: This system contains the first two lines of music. The top staff is a vocal line in treble clef with lyrics "heart beats true; I'm long - ing and". The bottom two staves are piano accompaniment in G major, with a treble and bass clef. The piano part features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the bass and chords in the treble. Dynamic markings include *mf e cresc.* above the vocal line and *mf e cresc.* above the piano part.

pray - ing, And liv - ing for you, So come

f

Detailed description: This system contains the third and fourth lines of music. The vocal line continues with lyrics "pray - ing, And liv - ing for you, So come". The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern. A dynamic marking of *f* is placed above the vocal line.

back lit - tle Lad - die in Kha - - kil!"

Repeat Refrain ad lib.

Detailed description: This system contains the fifth and sixth lines of music. The vocal line concludes with lyrics "back lit - tle Lad - die in Kha - - kil!". The piano accompaniment features a more complex texture with sixteenth-note runs in the treble. A dynamic marking of *f* is present above the piano part. The system ends with a double bar line and the instruction "Repeat Refrain ad lib."

Detailed description: This system contains the seventh and eighth lines of music, which are primarily piano accompaniment. It features intricate sixteenth-note patterns in the treble and a steady bass line. Dynamic markings include *f* and *mf*.

mp

Just be brave a lit - tle while, He'll come to you a - gain, —

p

poco rit.

You'll for - get the wea - ry days, And you'll for - get the pain.

poco rit.

f e animato.

He'll be proud of all the cour - age You have shewn to - day, —

mf e animato.

cresc. *rall.*

He'll make you for - get the time When you used to say:

cresc. *rall.*

REFRAIN. *p* (2nd time *ff*)

"Lad-die in Kha-ki I'm wait-ing for you! I want you to

p

know that my heart beats true; I'm long-ing and pray-ing, And

mf e cresc.

liv-ing for you, So come back lit-tle Lad-die in Kha - ki!"

f

back lit-tle Lad-die in Kha - ki!"

poco rit.

poco rit.

sfz



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