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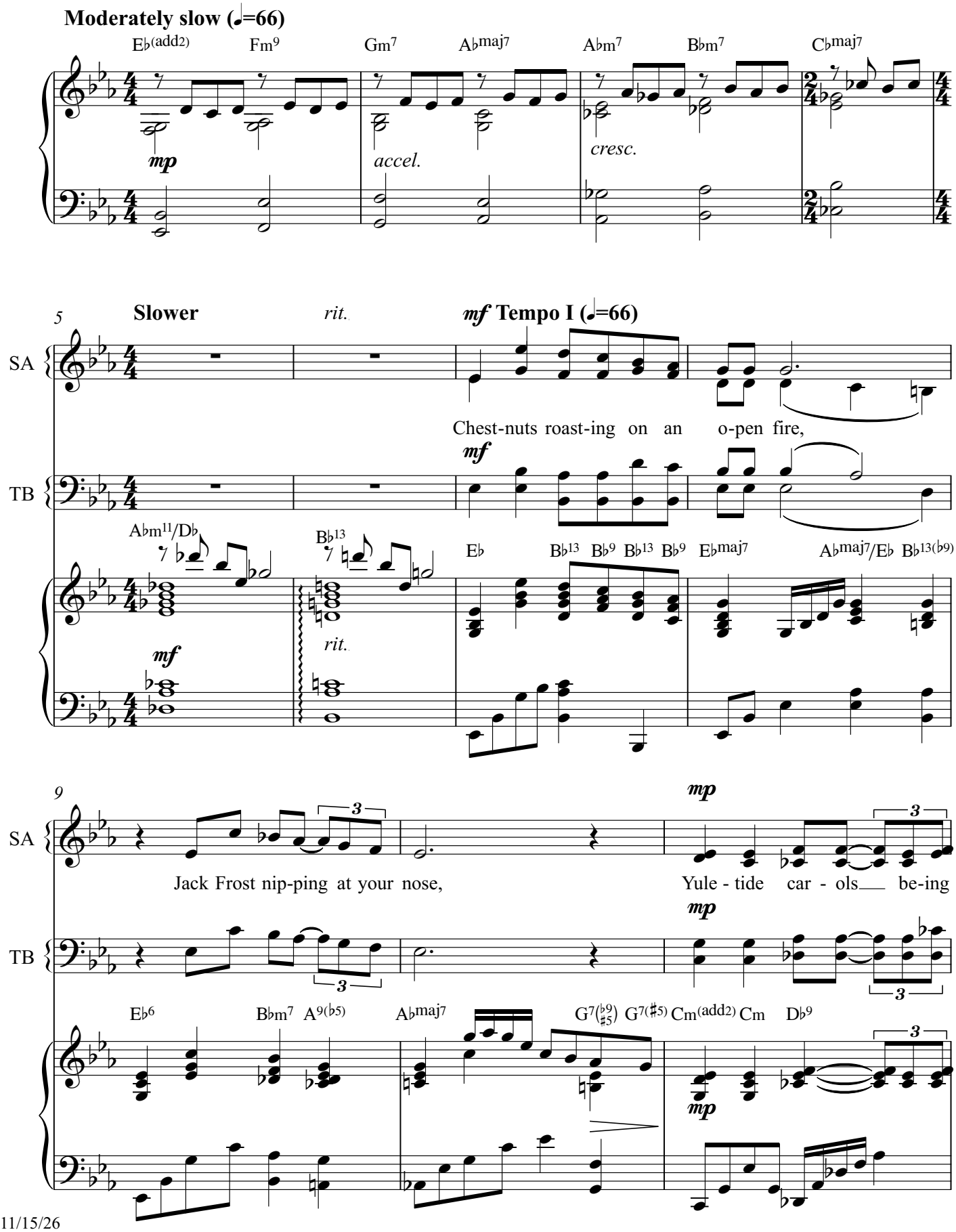
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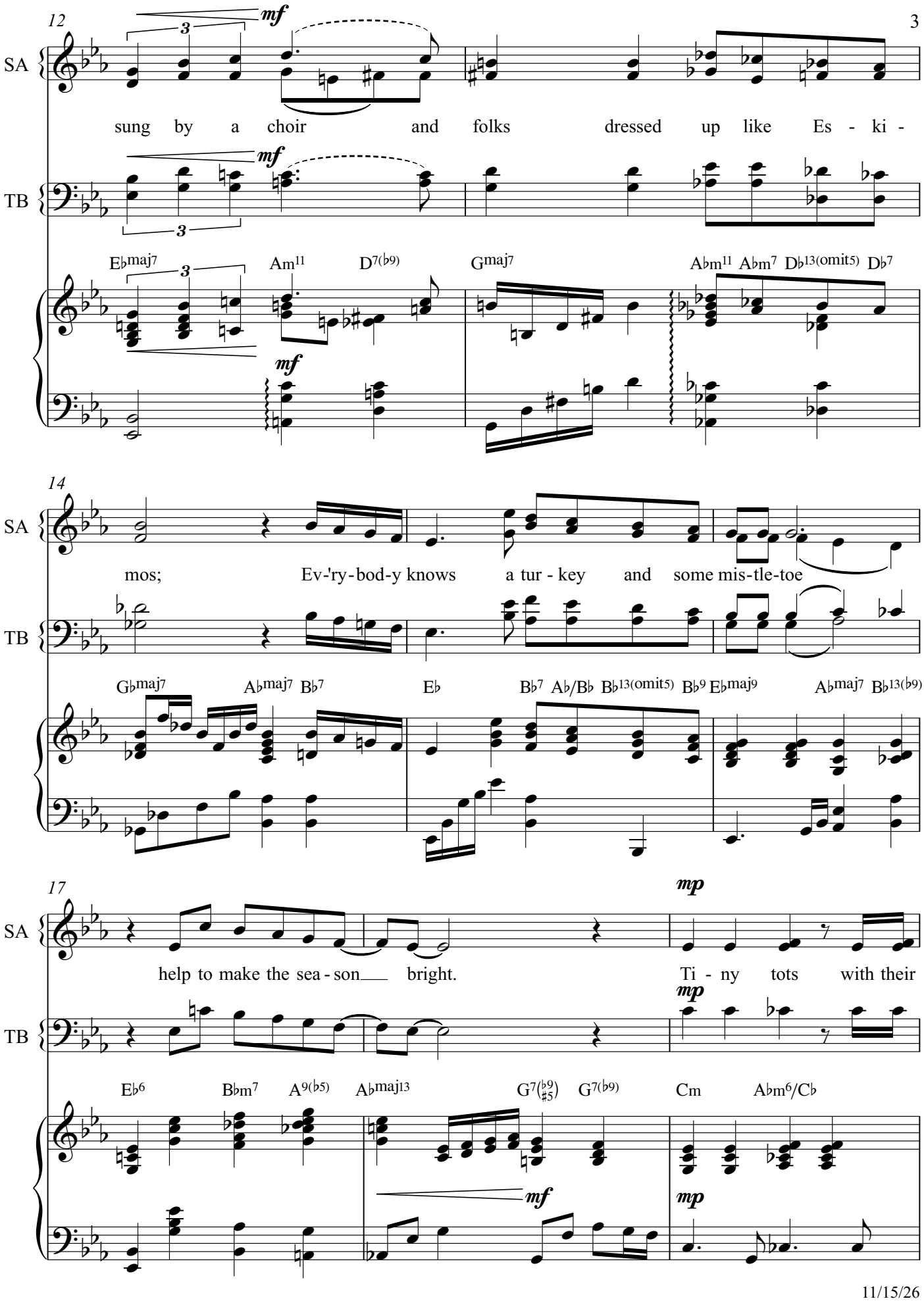
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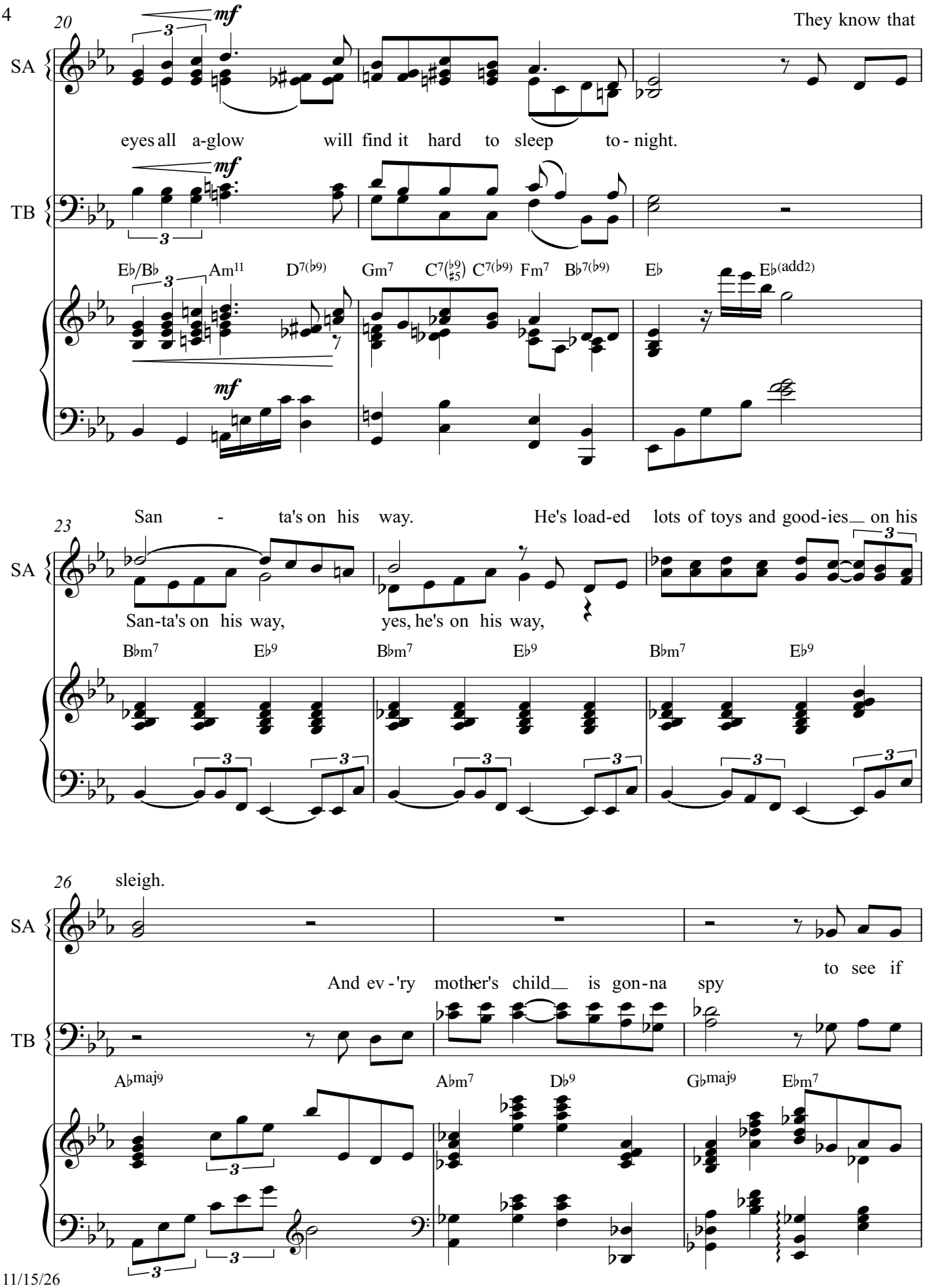
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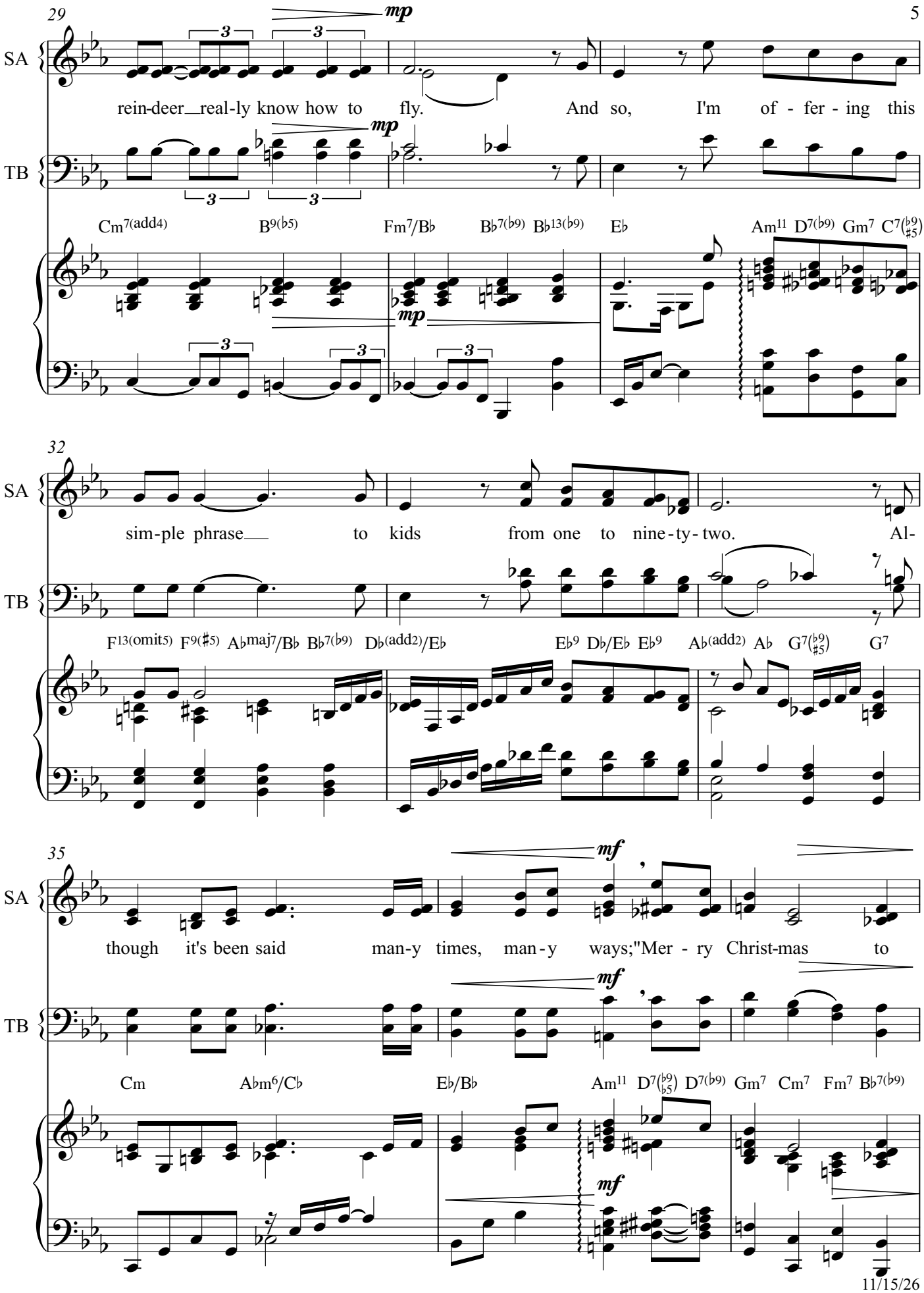
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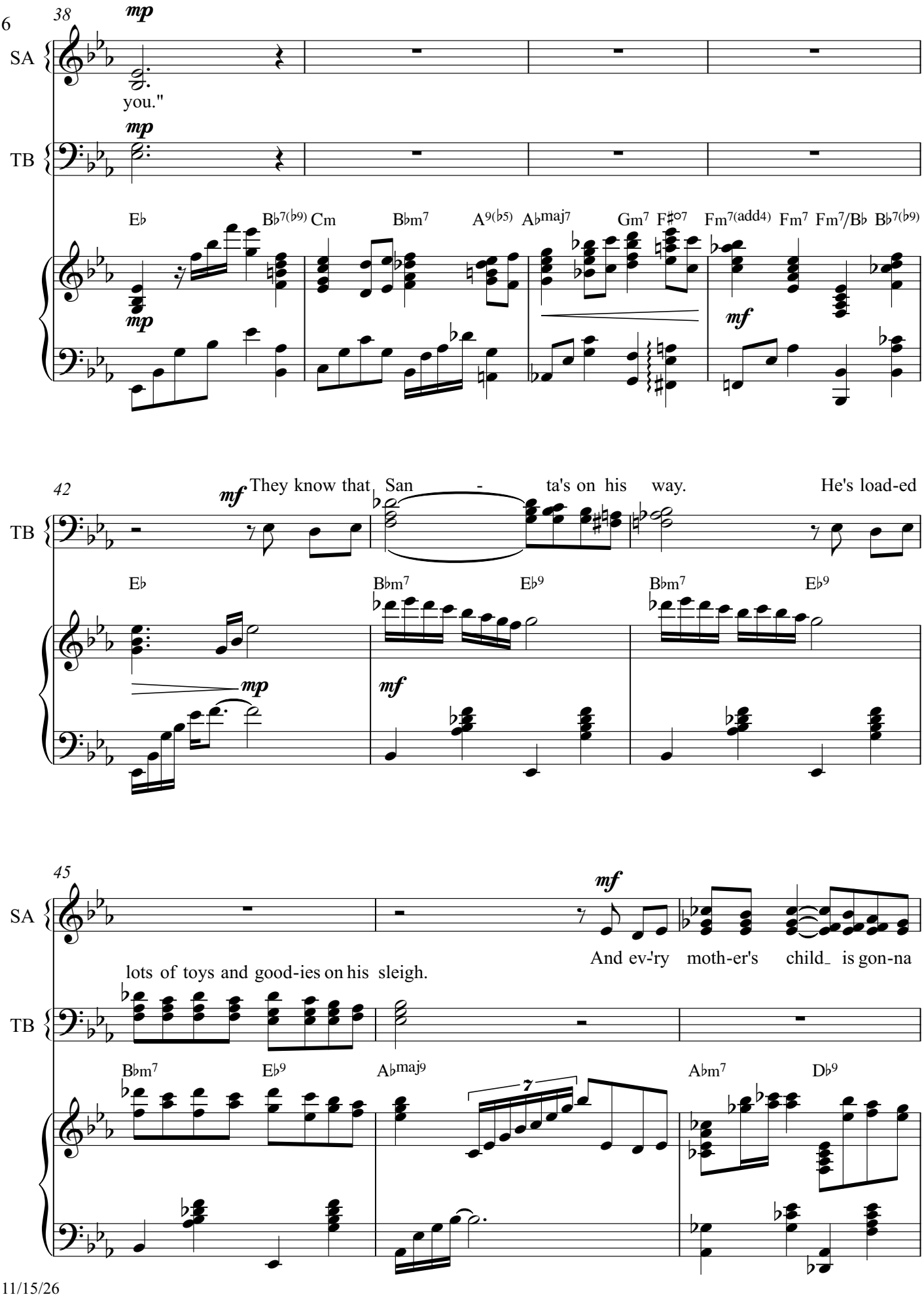


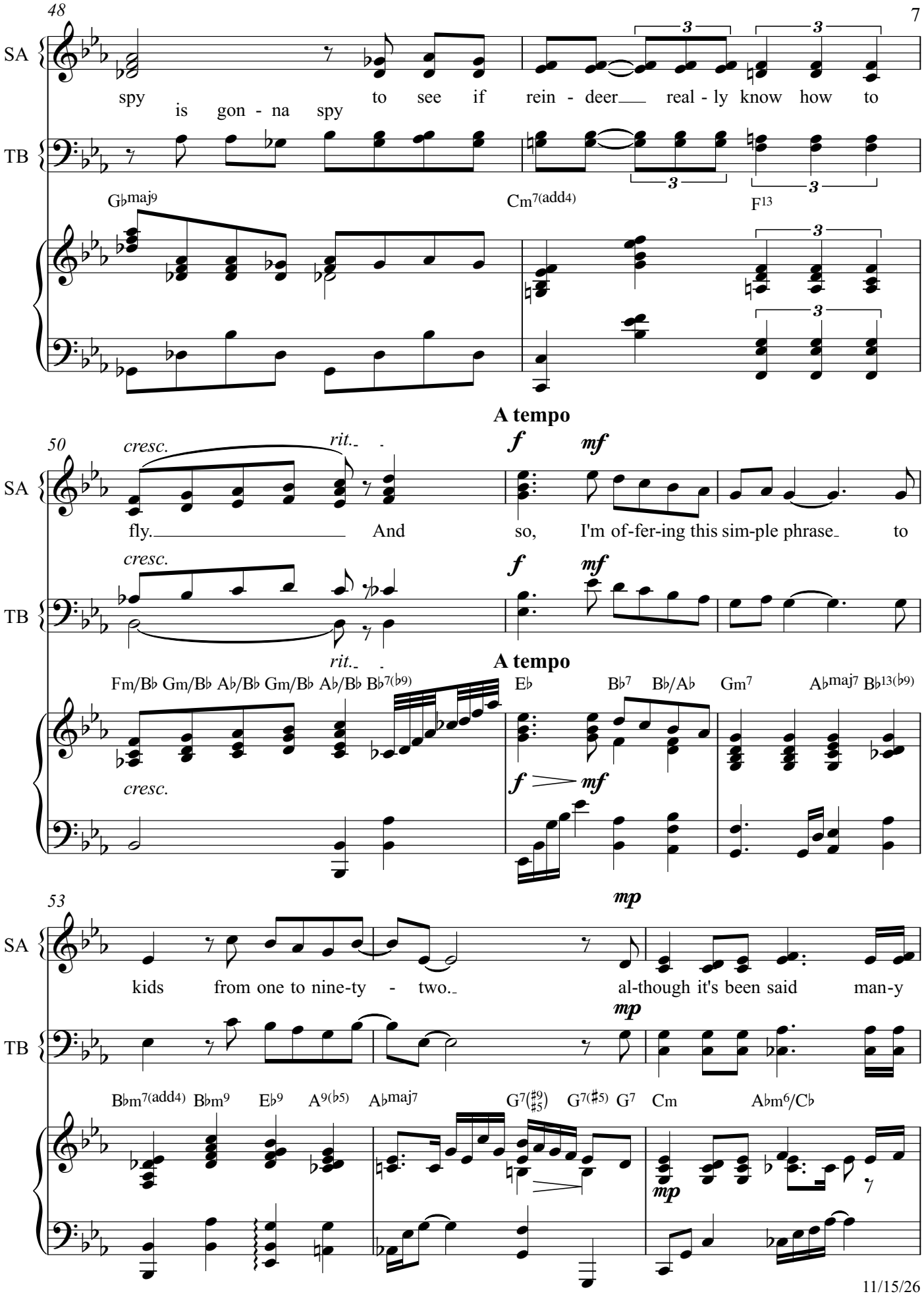
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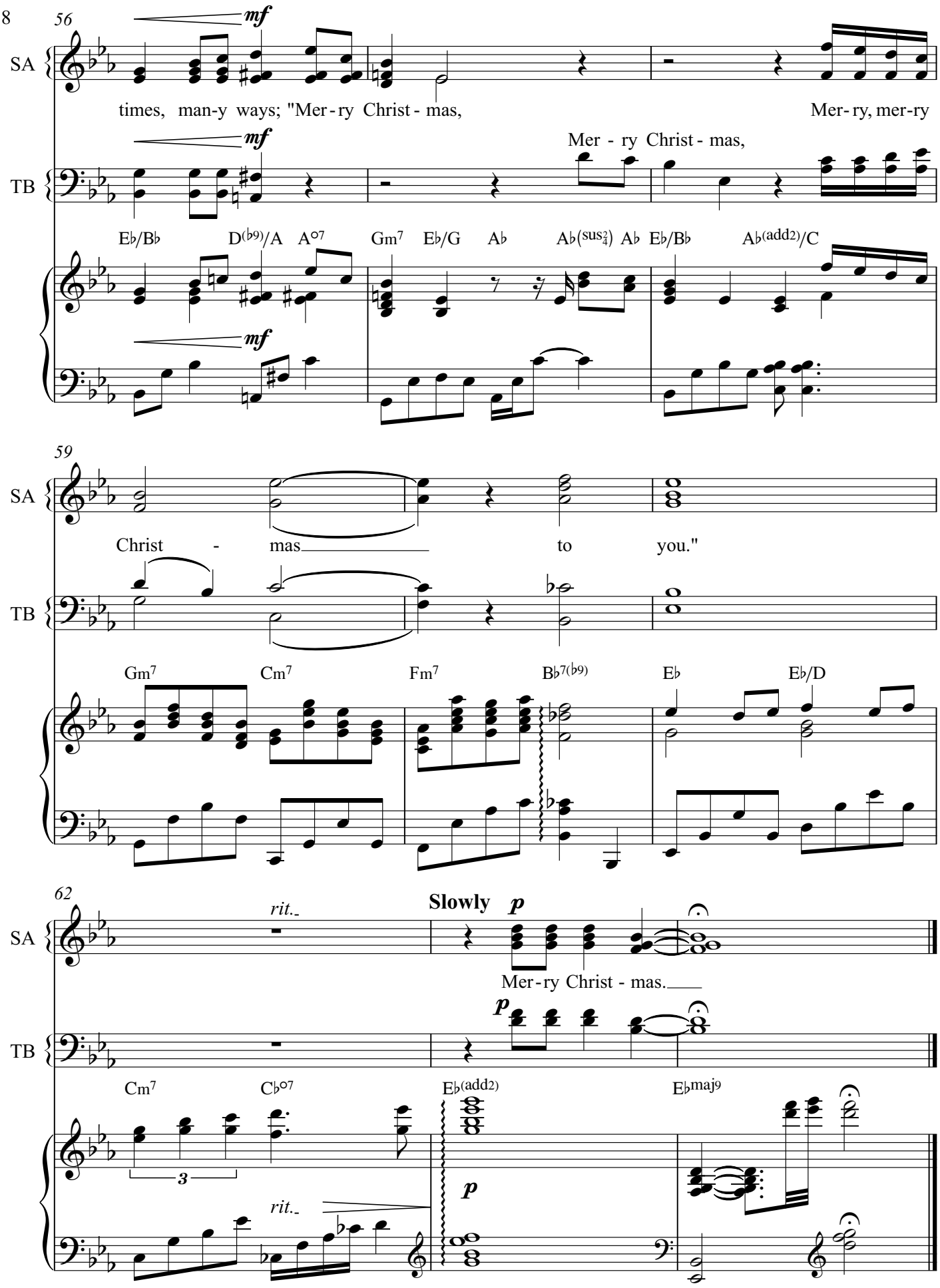

12
mf
SA
sung by a choir and folks dressed up like Es - ki -
TB
mf
E♭maj7
Am11
D7(♭9)
Gmaj7
A♭m11 A♭m7 D♭13(omit5) D♭7
mf
14
SA
mos; Ev-'ry-bod-y knows a tur - key and some mis-tle-toe
TB
G♭maj7
A♭maj7 B♭7
E♭
B♭7 A♭/B♭ B♭13(omit5) B♭9 E♭maj9
A♭maj7 B♭13(♭9)
17
mp
SA
help to make the sea - son bright. Ti - ny tots with their
mp
TB
E♭6
B♭m7
A9(♭5)
A♭maj13
G7(♭9 ♯5)
G7(♭9)
Cm
A♭m6/C♭
mf
mp


20
mf
They know that
SA
eyes all a-glow will find it hard to sleep to - night.
TB
mf
E♭/B♭ Am11 D7(♭9) Gm7 C7(♭9 ♯5) C7(♭9) Fm7 B♭7(♭9) E♭ E♭(add2)
mf
23
San - ta's on his way. He's load-ed lots of toys and good-ies on his
SA
San-ta's on his way, yes, he's on his way,
B♭m7 E♭9 B♭m7 E♭9 B♭m7 E♭9
26
sleigh.
SA
to see if
And ev - 'ry mother's child is gon-na spy
TB
A♭maj9 A♭m7 D♭9 G♭maj9 E♭m7


29
mp
SA
rein-deer real-ly know how to fly. And so, I'm of - fer - ing this
TB
Cm7(add4) B9(♭5) Fm7/B♭ B♭7(♭9) B♭13(♭9) E♭ Am11 D7(♭9) Gm7 C7(♭9 ♯5)
32
SA
sim-ple phrase to kids from one to nine-ty-two. Al-
TB
F13(omit5) F9(♯5) A♭maj7/B♭ B♭7(♭9) D♭(add2)/E♭ E♭9 D♭/E♭ E♭9 A♭(add2) A♭ G7(♭9 ♯5) G7
35
mf
SA
though it's been said man-y times, man-y ways;"Mer - ry Christ-mas to
TB
Cm A♭m6/C♭ E♭/B♭ Am11 D7(♭9 ♭5) D7(♭9) Gm7 Cm7 Fm7 B♭7(♭9)


38
mp
SA
you."
mp
TB
mp
E♭ B♭7(♭9) Cm B♭m7 A9(♭5) A♭maj7 Gm7 F♯o7 Fm7(add4) Fm7 Fm7/B♭ B♭7(♭9)
mf
42
mf They know that San - ta's on his way. He's load-ed
TB
E♭ B♭m7 E♭9 B♭m7 E♭9
mp
mf
45
SA
mf
lots of toys and good-ies on his sleigh.
And ev-'ry moth-er's child_ is gon-na
TB
B♭m7 E♭9 A♭maj9 A♭m7 D♭9
7


48
SA
spy is gon - na spy to see if rein - deer real - ly know how to
TB
Gbmaj9
Cm7(add4)
F13
A tempo
50
cresc.
rit.
f
mf
fly. And so, I'm of-fer-ing this sim-ple phrase to
Fm/Bb Gm/Bb Ab/Bb Gm/Bb Ab/Bb Bb7(b9)
Eb
Bb7
Bb/Ab
Gm7
Abmaj7
Bb13(b9)
53
mp
kids from one to nine-ty - two. al-though it's been said man-y
Bbm7(add4)
Bbm9
Eb9
A9(b5)
Abmaj7
G7(#9 #5)
G7(#5)
G7
Cm
Abm6/Cb


56
mf
SA
times, man-y ways; "Mer-ry Christ-mas,
Mer-ry, mer-ry
TB
mf
Mer - ry Christ - mas,
E♭/B♭ D(♭9)/A A°7 Gm7 E♭/G A♭ A♭(sus2/4) A♭ E♭/B♭ A♭(add2)/C
mf
59
SA
Christ - mas to you."
TB
Gm7 Cm7 Fm7 B♭7(♭9) E♭ E♭/D
62
rit.
Slowly p
SA
Mer-ry Christ-mas.
p
TB
Cm7 C♭°7 E♭(add2) E♭maj9
3
p
rit.