

Vienna Art Orchestra

# Something to live for

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## Vocals

Alto-Sax 1 E $\flat$   
Alto-Sax 2 E $\flat$   
Soprano / Tenor-Sax 1 B $\flat$   
Tenor-Sax 2 B $\flat$   
Baritone-Sax E $\flat$

Trumpet 1 B $\flat$   
Trumpet 2 B $\flat$   
Trumpet 3 B $\flat$   
Trumpet 4 B $\flat$

Trombone 1  
Trombone 2  
Trombone 3  
Tuba

Guitar  
Acoustic Bass  
Drums

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# BALLAD

Vocals

1 want some-thing to live for some-one to make my life an ad-ven-tur-ous dream

Alto-Sax E♭ 1

Alto-Sax E♭ 2 (SOPRANO)

Soprano B♭

Tenor-Sax B♭

Baritone-Sax E♭

Trumpet B♭ 1

Trumpet B♭ 2

Trumpet B♭ 3

Trumpet B♭ 4

Trombone 1

Trombone 2

Trombone 3

Tuba

Guitar

Acoustic Bass

Drums

E♭9 E♭9/B♭ E♭9 E♭m7 E♭m7 A7 A♭6 G7ALT G♭6 Fm7 B♭7 G♯ C7 Fm7 B♭7

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

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Voc: Oh, \_\_\_\_\_ what woul - dn't I give for \_\_\_\_\_ Some - one who take my life \_\_\_\_\_ and make it seem gay as they say it

Alto 1: *sub. f*

Alto 2: *sub. f*

Sopran: *sub. f*

Tenor: *sub. f*

Baritone: *sub. f*

Trp 1

Trp 2

Trp 3

Trp 4

Trbn 1

Trbn 2

Trbn 3

Tuba

Git. *f*

Bass

Drums *f*

Chords: Eb9 Eb9/Bb Eb9 Ebm7 Ebm7/Bb Ebm7 A7 Ab6 G7ALT Gb6 Fm7 Fm7/Eb Dm7 A7ALT Ab9 G7ALT

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13

14

15

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Voc  
noon crowds \_\_\_\_\_ sear - ching the pro - me - nades \_\_\_\_\_ see - king a clue \_\_\_\_\_ to the one \_\_\_\_\_ who will

Alto 1

Alto 2

Sopran

Tenor

Baritone

Trp 1

Trp 2

Trp 3

Trp 4

Trbn 1

Trbn 2

Trbn 3

Tuba

Git.

Bass

Drums

25

26

27

28

29

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31

32

Voc  
some - - - day - - - be mine - - - thing to live for....

Alto 1  
Alto 2  
Sopran  
Tenor  
Baritone

Trp 1  
Trp 2  
Trp 3  
Trp 4  
Trbn 1  
Trbn 2  
Trbn 3  
Tuba

Git.  
Bass

Drums

39

33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40





Voc

Alto 1

Alto 2

Tenor

Tenor

Baritone

Trp 1

Trp 2

Trp 3

Trp 4

Trbn 1

Trbn 2

Trbn 3

Tuba

Git.

Bass

Drums

Chord charts for Guitar and Bass:

Ebm7 Ebm7/Bb Ebm7 A7 Ab Abm7 G7 Gb Fm7 Fm7/Eb Dm7 A7ALT Ab G7ALT C7ALL Eb7 Gb  
 Ebm7 Ebm7/Bb Ebm7 A7 Ab Abm7 G7 Gb Fm7 Fm7/Eb Dm7 A7ALT Ab G7ALT C7ALL Eb7 Gb

49

50

51

52

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54

55

56

Voc

Alto 1

Alto 2

Tenor

Tenor

Baritone

Trp 1

Trp 2

Trp 3

Trp 4

Trbn 1

Trbn 2

Trbn 3

Tuba

Git.

Bass

Drums

61

My eye is wat - ching the noon crowds sear - ching the

SOLO AROUND VOCAL

(TO SOPRANO)

(SOPRANO)

Chords: Bb7, Eb7, Eb7/Bb, Eb7, A7, Eb7, Eb7/Bb, Eb7, A7

57      58      59      60      61      62      63      64

Voc  
 pro - - - me - nades see - king a clue to the one who will some - - - day be

Alto 1

Alto 2

Sopran

Tenor

Baritone

Trp 1

Trp 2

Trp 3

Trp 4

Trbn 1

Trbn 2

Trbn 3

Tuba

Git.

Bass

Drums

65

66

67

68

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71

72

75 78

Voc  
mine some - - - - thing to live for... Some - thing to live for

Alto 1

Alto 2

Sopran

Tenor

Baritone

Trp 1

Trp 2

Trp 3

Trp 4

Trbn 1

Trbn 2

Trbn 3

Tuba

Git.

Bass

Drums

73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81

Detailed description: This is a page from a concert score for the song 'Something to live for'. It features a vocal line at the top with lyrics: 'mine some - - - - thing to live for... Some - thing to live for'. Below the vocal line are staves for Alto 1, Alto 2, Sopran, Tenor, and Baritone. The instrumental section includes four Trumpet parts (Trp 1-4), three Trombone parts (Trbn 1-3), and a Tuba. The bottom section contains guitar (Git.), bass, and drums. The score is divided into measures, with measure numbers 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, and 81 indicated at the bottom. Chord symbols (G, C7, Fm7, E7) are placed above the vocal and guitar staves. Measure 75 and 78 are circled in the original image. The page number 'Page 12 / 12' is in the top left, the title ''Something to live for'' is at the top center, and 'Concert Score' is in the top right. Copyright information is at the bottom left and right.