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Monte Cristo Jr.

MONTE CRISTO SONG

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PIANO

Allegretto *allargando*

VOICE

I want to meet the man who wrote that bit of fict-ion Mon-te

Cris-to— Call'd Mon-te Cris-to— A-bout that sto-ry there has

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al - ways been some frict - ion Mon - te Cris - to — Yes Mon - te Cris - to

The first system of music features a vocal line on a treble clef staff and a piano accompaniment on a grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The vocal line consists of eighth and quarter notes. The piano accompaniment includes chords and moving lines in both hands, with a dynamic marking of *f* (forte) in the right hand.

He wrote a won - der - ful tale — Told of a

The second system continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line has a dynamic marking of *p* (piano) at the beginning. The piano accompaniment features a prominent chordal texture in the right hand and a more active bass line.

fel - low in jail — Who es - cap'd and soon was strand - ed

The third system shows the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line is marked with *rit.* (ritardando) above the staff. The piano accompaniment also has a *rit.* marking below the bass staff. The system concludes with a double bar line.

On a des - ert is - land land - ed Where he said "The world is mine" —

The fourth system features the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line is marked with *rit.* above the staff. The piano accompaniment includes a dynamic marking of *fz* (forzando) in the right hand, indicating a strong accent. The system ends with a double bar line.

CHORUS

Mis-ter Mon - te Cris - to said "the world is mine" Just a bar - ren

p.f

is - land he thought was di - vine Just a lot of wa - ter just a lot of

sand Mis-ter Mon - te Cris - to how on earth could that be grand You had no

cresc.

cresc.

Allegro

wild wild la-dies Rais-ing Had-es You had no li- quor there ——— You had no

Allegro

ca - ba - ret - ers Jazz - band play - ers Just some sun - shine and

rit. **Tempo I.**
 air ——— You had no wo - men wine or ev - en song — But still you

Tempo I.

rit. *poco cresc.*

poor old chump you went a - long ——— Though you were sigh - ing cry - ing

poco cresc.

allargando *rit.* 1. 2.
 You know you were ly - ing When you said "the world is mine" mine"

fz *allargando* *rit.* *a tempo*