

SM 5307

Adapted from the original musical score to  
"Douglas Fairbanks in Robin Hood"

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# JUST AN OLD LOVE SONG

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Intro.

Moderato

The piano introduction is in 4/4 time, marked 'Moderato'. It features a 'very broad' melodic line in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The introduction concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots.

The first system of the song features a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with the lyrics: "Old mel - o - dies, That used to please, Come". The piano accompaniment includes dynamic markings such as *fz* (forzando) and *f* (forte). The key signature remains one flat.

The second system continues the vocal and piano accompaniment. The vocal line includes the lyrics: "back a - gain to haunt me, From out their place of hid - ing, Like". The piano accompaniment features a key change to two flats (B-flat and E-flat) in the final measure of the system.

The third system concludes the vocal and piano accompaniment. The vocal line includes the lyrics: "dear old friends con - fid - ing I live a - gain, The joy the pain, That". The piano accompaniment continues with the two-flat key signature.

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each of them in - spi - red, Then sud - den - ly they jum - ble, And

*accel.*

like old cas - tles crum - ble Strange - ly they all seem to

*poco ritard.*

*ped.*

melt in - to one. Just an

*accel.*

*8*

*with expression*

old love song, Just an old love song, That brings back the past all a -

*ped.*

new, As each night I'd wait, By an old - fash - ioned gate, For

two smil - ing eyes to come through, And my heart stood still, With the

won - drous thrill Of love, as we two walked a - long Life was then worth while, As I

*poco ritard* - - - - 1 2  
 watch'd you smile, While sing - ing that old love song Just an song.

*8va*  
*Ed.*

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Old melodies, that used to please,  
Come back again to haunt me,  
From out their place of hiding,  
Like dear old friends confiding  
I live again  
The joy and pain  
That each of them inspired,  
Then suddenly they jumble,  
And like old castles crumble  
Strangely they all seem to melt into one.

Just an old love song,  
Just an old love song,  
That brings back the past anew,  
As each night I'd wait,  
By an old fashioned gate,  
For two smiling eyes to come through,  
And my heart stood still,  
With the wondrous thrill  
Of love, as we two walked along  
Life was then worth while,  
As I watched you smile,  
While singing that old love song.