

September

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Bright rock

J=124

Soprano: *mf*
Bah doo wah____
Bah doo wah Baa doo wah

Alto: *mf*
Bah dup bup bah
Bah doo wah

Tenor/Bass: *mf*
Bah dup bup bah
Bah doo wah

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Piano:
B_bmaj7 Am⁷ Gm⁷ Am⁷ Dm⁷ B_bmaj7 Am⁷ Gm⁷ Am⁷ Dm⁷

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S: Bah doo wah Do you re-

A: Bah dup bup bah Bah doo wah Do you re-

TB: Bah dup bup bah Bah doo wah Do you re-

Pno.: B_bmaj7 Am⁷ Gm⁷ Am⁷ Dm⁷ E_bmaj7/F N.C.

9 All in unison (TB 8vb)

mem-ber the twen-ty first night of Sep-tem-ber? Love was chan-ging the mind's pre-ten

Pno.

13

der while cha-sing the clouds a way Our hearts were

Pno.

17

rin-ging in the key that our souls were sin - ging as wedanced in the night Re-mem

Pno.

21

ber how the stars stole the night a way Hah hah hah

Pno.

25

Soprano (S) f
Alto (A) f
Bassoon (TB) f

Bah dee yah, say do you re-mem - ber? Bah dee yah, dan-cing in Sep-tem - ber

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Piano (Pno.) f

Gm⁹ C⁹ Am⁷ Dm⁷ Gm⁹ C⁹ Am⁷ Dm⁷

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Soprano (S) vocal line with lyrics "Bah dee yah, ne-ver was a clou - dy day".

Alto (A) vocal line with lyrics "Bah dee yah, ne-ver was a clou - dy day".

Tenor Bass (TB) vocal line with lyrics "Bah dee yah, ne-ver was a clou - dy day".

Piano (Pno.) harmonic progression: Gm⁹, C⁹, Am⁷, Dm⁷, E♭maj⁷/F.

2nd time to Coda

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mf

S
A
TB
Pno.

Bah doot'n bah doot'n bah do wah_ doot'n Bah doot'n bah doot'n bah doot'n bah doot'n
mf
 Bah doot'n bah doot'n bah do wah_ doot'n Bah doot'n bah doot'n bah doot'n bah doot'n
mf
 Bah doot'n bah doot'n bah do wah_ doot'n Bah doot'n bah doot'n bah doot'n bah doot'n
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 Bah doot'n bah doot'n bah do wah_ doot'n Bah doot'n bah doot'n bah doot'n bah doot'n
mf
 B_bmaj7 Am⁷ Gm⁷ Am⁷ Dm⁷ B_bmaj7 Am⁷ Gm⁷ Am⁷ Dm⁷

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S Bah doot'n bah doot'n bah do wah_ Now De-cem

A Bah doot'n bah doot'n bah do wah_ Now De-cem

TB Bah doot'n bah doot'n bah do wah_ Now De-cem

Pno.

B_bmaj⁷ Am⁷ Gm⁷ Am⁷ Dm⁷ E_bmaj⁷/F

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S ber Sep-tem-ber Re-mem

A ber found the love_ we shared Sep-tem-ber was it you_ tal-king love? Re-mem

TB ber found the love_ we shared Sep-tem-ber was it you_ tal-king love? Re-mem

Pno.

B_bmaj⁷ Am⁷ Gm⁷ Am⁷ Dm⁷ B_bmaj⁷ Am⁷ Gm⁷ Am⁷ Dm⁷

45

S ber the true love we share to day_ Hah hah hah cresc.

A ber the true love we share to day_ Hah hah hah cresc.

TB ber the true love we share to day_ Hah hah hah cresc.

Pno.

B_bmaj⁷ Am⁷ Gm⁷ Am⁷ Dm⁷ E_bmaj⁷/F

D.S. al Coda

Coda

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Soprano (S) *Bah dee yah, say do you re-mem - ber? Bah dee yah, dan-cing in Sep-tem - ber*

Alto (A) *Bah dee yah, say do you re-mem - ber? Bah dee yah, dan-cing in Sep-tem - ber*

Tenor Bass (TB) *Bah dee yah, say do you re-mem - ber? Bah dee yah, dan-cing in Sep-tem - ber*

Coda

Piano (Pno.) *Gm⁹ C⁹ Am⁷ Dm⁷ Gm⁹ C⁹ Am⁷ Dm⁷*

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Soprano (S) *Bah dee yah, gol-den dreams were shi - ny days*

Alto (A) *Bah dee yah, gol-den dreams were shi - ny days*

Tenor Bass (TB) *Bah dee yah, gol-den dreams were shi - ny days*

Piano (Pno.) *Gm⁹ C⁹ Am⁷ Dm⁷ E♭maj7/F*

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S Ba dah ba dah ba dah da dah bah dah dah Ba dah ba dah ba dah da dah bah dah dah

A Ba dah ba dah ba dah da dah bah dah dah Ba dah ba dah ba dah da dah bah dah dah

TB Ba dah ba dah ba dah da dah bah dah dah Ba dah ba dah ba dah da dah bah dah dah

Pno. Gm⁹ C⁷ Am⁷ Dm⁷ Gm⁹ C⁷ Am⁷ Dm⁷

61

S Ba dah ba dah ba dah da dah bah dah dah - -

A Ba dah ba dah ba dah da dah bah dah dah - -

TB Ba dah ba dah ba dah da dah bah dah dah - -

Pno. Gm⁹ C⁷ Am⁷ Dm⁷ Gm⁷ B♭maj⁷ B♭/C N.C.