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Key of G (B-D)  
Tune Uke  
A D F# B

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Moderato

Piano

Piano introduction for the song, marked 'Moderato'. It features a melody in the right hand and accompaniment in the left hand, starting with a forte (f) dynamic. The key signature is one sharp (F#).

Chorus, Beguine (in a strong, steady movement)

THE SHOW MUST GO ON, life is a play;

(Melody) p-f

First system of the chorus, including vocal line and piano accompaniment. The piano part is marked 'p-f'.

THE SHOW MUST GO ON, life is that way.

Second system of the chorus, including vocal line and piano accompaniment.

Tho' love lets you down, Tho' for-tune may

Third system of the chorus, including vocal line and piano accompaniment.

frown, Go on like the clown in Pag-li-ac-

Fourth system of the chorus, including vocal line and piano accompaniment.

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\* Symbols for Guitar, Diagrams for Ukulele.

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ci! {They say love is cruel, may - be it's so, THE SHOW MUST GO ON, Shakes-peare was right,

I may sure be a fool, but this I As sure as the dawn fol - lows the

know, night! Cur-tains rise and des - cend, Hearts may

break, but they mend, Love wins out in the end, THE SHOW MUST GO

*Optional 2nd time*

1. ON. THE ON. The

2. *To Interlude*

3. G Cm Ab Cm G Fine

ON. Fine

Interlude *Piu mosso*

Am7 D7b9 Gma.7 G6 Am7 D7b9 Gma.7 G6

dream-er and the lov-er, The beg-gar and the King, All a-

*p*

Bm Bbdim Am7 D7 Gma.7 Gdim Am7 D7

wak-en to dis-cov-er that the play is the thing. The

Am7 D7b9 Gma.7 G6 F#m7 B7 Ema.7 E6

world is a stage, And we're all in the cast, So it's

Em7 A7b9 Dma.7 D6 Bb Gm D B7b5 E

been in ev-'ry age, So it will be down to the last. THE

D.S. al Fine

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