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Moderato espressione.

mf

The first system of the score is a piano introduction. It consists of two staves, treble and bass clef, with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature (C). The tempo and expression markings are 'Moderato espressione' and 'mf' (mezzo-forte). The music features a flowing melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand.

1. The ban-quet room is filled with fash-ion's throng,..... The wed-ding feast is grand be-yond com-
2. A girl is sleep-ing in her cot-tage home,..... The 'piece of cake be-neath her pil-low

p

The second system contains the vocal line and piano accompaniment for the first two verses. The vocal line is on a single staff with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. The piano accompaniment is on two staves (treble and bass clef) with a key signature of one sharp. The dynamic marking is 'p' (piano). The lyrics are: '1. The ban-quet room is filled with fash-ion's throng,..... The wed-ding feast is grand be-yond com- 2. A girl is sleep-ing in her cot-tage home,..... The 'piece of cake be-neath her pil-low'.

pare,..... But still, a - mid the laugh - ter, wine and song..... The
lays,..... The wed - ding bells are chim - ing, in her dreams,..... For

The third system contains the vocal line and piano accompaniment for the final two lines of the song. The vocal line is on a single staff with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. The piano accompaniment is on two staves (treble and bass clef) with a key signature of one sharp. The lyrics are: 'pare,..... But still, a - mid the laugh - ter, wine and song..... The lays,..... The wed - ding bells are chim - ing, in her dreams,..... For'.

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bridegroom is of all most si - lent there..... For in his thoughts, he sees the girl he
 she's to wed the love of by - gone days..... So bright the sun shines, sweet-ly sing the

loved,..... They wan - der where the ap - ple blos - soms fall,..... He
 birds,..... He tells her Love's old sto - ry once a - gain,..... Her

hears her promise, "Love, I'll wait for you,".... And now, he thinks "How can I tell her all?".....
 heart is filled with tru - est hap - pi - ness,..... Un - til she wakes, and knows her dream's in vain.....

poco rit.

CHORUS.

1. So } he sent her a piece of the wed - ding cake, Just in re - membrance for old love's sake,
2. For }

Fate's cru - el blow, that bids her know, Hearts oft - en love to break.....

Just like the ros - es that fade too fast, Love's gold - en dream is for - ev - er past,

Ma - ny a tear, with a sad heart ache, When he sent her the wed - ding cake.....