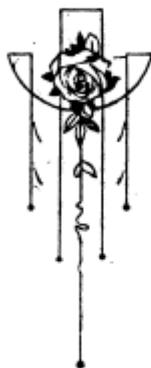


# BITTER SWEET



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**Nº 10****QUARTET (Lotte, Freda, Hansi and Gussi)****"LADIES OF THE TOWN"**

All

Though we oft-en ac-cused of ex-cess-ive-ly  
We can oft-en be-have in a ve-ry dis-

Piano

ALL

plas - tic, ——— dras - tic ——— sins, ———  
-arm - ing, ——— charm - ing ——— way, ———  
L.H. L.H. L.H. L.H. L.H. L.H.

ALL

When we're asked to de - cide on the wrong or the right life, ———  
Which can fre-quent-ly add to the mon-ey we lay by ——— L.H. L.H. L.H.

ALL

Night life \_\_\_\_\_ wins. \_\_\_\_\_ We know that des - tin -  
 Day by \_\_\_\_\_ L.H. L.H. L.H. day. \_\_\_\_\_ If we are told of

ALL

- y will nev - er bring A wed - ding ring a - bout;  
 some - thing on the Stock Ex - change We pry a bit;

ALL

Our mor - al sense may  
 And if it's safe we

ALL

real - ly not be quite the thing To fling a - bout,  
 get some kind - ly bank - er To sup - ply a bit,

ALL *rit.*  
 sing a - bout. We'll a - chieve in - de - pen - dence be - fore it's too  
 buy a bit. And if lat - er our help - ers may wish to for -

ALL  
 late, and Wait and  
 - get us, L.H. L.H. L.H. Set us L.H. L.H. L.H.

ALL  
 see: \_\_\_\_\_ What care, \_\_\_\_\_ L.H. what care  
 free, \_\_\_\_\_ What care, \_\_\_\_\_ L.H. what care

ALL  
 we? \_\_\_\_\_  
 we? \_\_\_\_\_

*f* *rall.*

**REFRAIN**  
Steady (*Repeat for Dance*)

ALL

La - dies of the town, La - dies of the town,  
La - dies of the town, La - dies of the town,

*meno mosso*

ALL

Though we've not a con - fes - sion - al air, We have quite a pro -  
Though we're so - cial - ly un - der a cloud Please for - give us for

ALL

fes - sion - al flair, Strol - ling up and down, strol - ling up and  
laugh - ing a - loud. Strol - ling up and down, strol - ling up and

ALL

down down We em - ploy quite an a - mia - ble sys - tem  
down Dis - ap - prov - al may some - times sub - merge us,

ALL

Of a-chiev-ing re - nown.                      Though the church and state a - bus - es us,  
 But we none of us drown.                      We have known in great va - ri - e - ty  
 (*Extra complet*) When we meet the Roy - al Prin - ces It's

ALL

For as long as it a - mus - es us, We'll re - main no mat - ter how they  
 Mem - bers of the best so - ci - e - ty; And should we de - cide to set - tle  
 ra - ther sweet how each one win - ces Un - eas - y lies the head that wears a

ALL

frown, \_\_\_\_\_                      Haugh - ty naugh - ty la - dies of the  
 down, \_\_\_\_\_                      We'll be wealth - y la - dies of the  
 crown, \_\_\_\_\_                      All be - cause of la - dies of the

*gliss*

ALL

1. town.                      2. town.  
 town.                      town.  
 town.                      town.