

IRELAND, I'M FOR YOU

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Moderato

mf

The piano introduction is in 2/4 time, marked Moderato. It features a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The melody starts with a quarter note G4, followed by eighth notes A4-B4, and then a series of chords. The bass line consists of a steady eighth-note accompaniment.

Till Ready slowly

There's a land you
There's a hear-ty

p slowly

The first system of the vocal and piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with a rest, followed by the lyrics "Till Ready" and "There's a land you, There's a hear-ty". The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support, with dynamics marked *p* and *slowly*.

hear a-bout in sto-ry verse and song 'Tis the near-est thing to hea - ven that I
wel-come o're each hum-ble cot-tage door And a cheer-y fire-side warmth to give you

The second system of the vocal and piano accompaniment. The vocal line continues with the lyrics "hear a-bout in sto-ry verse and song 'Tis the near-est thing to hea - ven that I, wel-come o're each hum-ble cot-tage door And a cheer-y fire-side warmth to give you". The piano accompaniment continues with a steady accompaniment.

know _____ Long years have passed since as a lad I trod its paths a -
rest _____ A stur - dy Ir - ish heart to speed you to your jour-ny's

The third system of the vocal and piano accompaniment. The vocal line continues with the lyrics "know _____ Long years have passed since as a lad I trod its paths a -, rest _____ A stur - dy Ir - ish heart to speed you to your jour-ny's". The piano accompaniment continues with a steady accompaniment.

slowly

long Yet for Er-in's race there is just one place and it's there some day I'll go
 end And a wel-come smile for you all the while in the land I love the best

CHORUS *lively*

So, Ire - land I'm for you Ire - land Old Er - in's

Isle - land a - cross the sea Blessed with

the best of bless - ings Rest - ing so peace-ful-

ly _____ And you have thou - sands _____ of sons and daugh - ters _____

Who though a - way are _____ a loy - al band _____ They can

talk a - bout their sun - ny Spain or praise Col - umb - ia's vast dom - ain But I'm for _____

_____ you Ir - e - land _____ land _____