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This is the life SSATB

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SATB Combo C

This Is The Life

Words and Music by Amy MacDonald

Arranged by Dirk Kokx

Original Key C# minor

With a drive ♩ = 95

Intro Verse 1

Soprano

Alto *mf*
Oh the wind whis-tles down ___ the

Tenor

Bass

C Instr.

E^m C *mp* G *mf* B^m E^m

Piano Adv. *mf*

Synthesizer

Bass Guitar *mf* dead strokes strumming, freely

Drum Set *mp* brushes hihat (foot) continuous 16th on snare (ghost notes) Shaker

Percussion *mp*

This Is The Life 3

SATB Combo C

15

S: And you're sing-ing the songs...

A: morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? And you're sing-ing the songs...

T: morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? And you're sing-ing the songs...

B: And you're sing-ing the songs...

C: C G B^m

P.A. Synth Bass D.S. Perc.

18

S: — think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? —

A: — think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? —

T: — think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? —

B: — think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? —

C: E^m C G

P.A. Synth Bass D.S. Perc.

This Is The Life 5

SATB Combo C

30 *mp* oo ——— Ro-ber Ri - ger's mot-ley crew *mf* And you're sing-ing the songs

A sit - ting there with no-thing to do — Talk-ing a - bout Ro-ber Ri-ger and his mot-ley crew — And where ——— you're gon-na go? Where you're gon-na sleep to-night? ——— *mf* And you're sing-ing the songs

T *mp* oo ——— Ro-ber Ri - ger's mot-ley crew ——— where gon - - - na sleep *mf* And you're sing-ing the songs

B *mp* oo ——— Ro-ber Ri - ger's mot-ley crew ——— *mf* And you're sing-ing the songs

C

P.A. *E^m* *C* *G* *B^m*

Synth *Harp* *mf*

Bass

D. S. 2

Perc. 2

34 *Chorus 2*

S think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? —

A think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? —

T think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? —

B think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? —

C

P.A. *E^m* *C* *G*

Synth *El Piano (Rhodes)*

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

This Is The Life 7

SATB Combo C

Chorus 3

45

S

A

T

B

C

P.A.

Synth

Bass

D.S.

Perc.

And you're singing the songs thinking this is the life... And you wake up in the

B^m *E^m* *C* *G* *B^m* *E^m*

mf *mf* *mf*

Harp *El Piano (Rhodes)*

51

S

A

T

B

C

P.A.

Synth

Bass

D.S.

Perc.

soprano & mezzo

And you're singing the songs thinking this is the life... And you wake up in the

morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? ... And you're singing the songs thinking this is the life... And you wake up in the

C *G* *B^m* *E^m*

mp *mf*

Harp

This Is The Life 9

SATB Combo C

62

S *Slowly*
— think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? —

A *(optional solo)*
— think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — Where you gon-na sleep to-

T
Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? —

B
think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? —

C

P.A. *E^m C G B^m*

Synth

Bass

D.S.

Perc.

Coda
66 *a tempo*

S *p*

A *p*
night?

T *p*
Where you gon - - na sleep

B *p*
Sleep to - night

C *p mp*

P.A. *E^m C G B^m E^m*

Synth

Bass

D.S.

Perc.

2 This Is The Life

SATB Combo Bb

7

S *p*

A cold dark street to-night — And the peo-ple they were danc-ing to the mu-sic vibe — And the boys — chase the girls with the curls in their hair — While the

T *p*

B *p*

Bb

P.A. C G B^m E^m

Synth *El. Piano (Rhodes)* *mf*

Bass

D.S.

Perc.

11

S *mf* *Chorus 1*

A aah and the songs — they get lou-der each one bet-ter than be-fore —

T shy tor-men-ted youth sit way o-ver there — and the songs — they get lou-der each one bet-ter than be-fore — And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

B aah and the songs — they get lou-der each one bet-ter than be-fore — And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

Bb

P.A. C G B^m E^m

Synth

Bass

D.S.

Perc.

4 This Is The Life

SATB Combo Bb

Interlude 1

21

S — Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

A — Where you gon-na sleep to-night? So you're

T —

B — So you're

Bb —

P.A. *f* if guitar plays solo play only chords *mf*

Synth

Bass *f*

D.S.

Perc.

Chords: B^m, E^m, C, G, B^m

Verse 2

26

S — And you're wait-ing out - side Jim-my's front door

A — head-ing down the road in your ta - xi for four — And you're wait-ing out - side Jim-my's front door But no-bo-dy's in — and no-bo-dy's home — 'til — four So you're

T — in your ta - xi for four — no-bo-dy's in — no-bo-dy's home — 'til — four

B — head-ing down the road in your ta - xi for four —

Bb —

P.A. E^m C G B^m

Synth *Vibraphone* *mf*

Bass *mf*

D.S.

Perc.

6 This Is The Life

SATB Combo Bb

37

S And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

A And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

T And you're sing-ing the songs Wake up in the mor-

B And you're sing-ing the songs Wake up in the mor-

Bb

P.A. B^m E^m C

Synth

Bass

D.S.

Perc.

40

S Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

A Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

T - - - - - ning Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

B - - - - - ning Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

Bb

P.A. G B^m E^m *mf* C G

f if guitar plays solo play only chords

Synth

Bass *f*

D.S.

Perc.

8 This Is The Life

SATB Combo Bb

55 *Chorus 4*

S
morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life. — And you wake up in the

A
morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life. — And you wake up in the

T
And you're sing-ing the songs

B
And you're sing-ing the songs

Bb
C G B^m E^m

P.A.
El Piano (Rhodes)

Synth

Bass

D.S.

Perc.

59

S
morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs —

A
morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs —

T
Wake up — in the mor - - - - ning — Where you gon - na sleep — to - night —

B
Wake up — in the mor - - - - ning — Where you gon - na sleep — to - night —

Bb
C G B^m

P.A.

Synth

Bass

D.S.

Perc.

This Is The Life 3
SATB Combo Eb

15

S
A
T
B

morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? And you're sing-ing the songs...

Eb

C G B^m

P.A.
Synth
Bass
D.S.
Perc.

18

S
A
T
B

— think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?...

Eb

E^m C G

P.A.
Synth
Bass
D.S.
Perc.

This Is The Life 5
SATB Combo Eb

30 *mp* *mf*

S oo ————— Ro-ber Ri - ger's mot-ley crew ————— And you're sing-ing the songs

A sit - ting there with no-thing to do ——— Talk-ing a - bout Ro-ber Ri-ger and his mot-ley crew ——— And where ——— you're gon-na go? Where you're gon-na sleep to-night? ——— *mf* And you're sing-ing the songs

T oo ————— Ro-ber Ri - ger's mot-ley crew ————— where gon - - - na sleep *mf* And you're sing-ing the songs

B oo ————— Ro-ber Ri - ger's mot-ley crew ————— And you're sing-ing the songs

Eb

P.A. *E^m* *C* *G* *B^m*

Synth *Harp* *mf*

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

34 *Chorus 2*

S think-ing this is the life ——— And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? ———

A think-ing this is the life ——— And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? ———

T think-ing this is the life ——— And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? ———

B think-ing this is the life ——— And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? ———

Eb

P.A. *E^m* *C* *G*

Synth *El Piano (Rhodes)*

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

This Is The Life 7

SATB Combo Eb

Chorus 3

45

S

A

T

B

Eb

P.A.

Synth

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

mf

B^m E^m C G B^m E^m

Harp

El. Piano (Rhodes)

mf

mf

mf

59

S

A

T

B

Eb

P.A.

Synth

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

soprano & mezzo

mp

mf

C G B^m E^m

Harp

mf

This Is The Life 9

SATB Combo Eb

62

S *Slowly*
— think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — (optional solo)

A
— think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — Where you gon-na sleep to-

T
Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? —

B
think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? —

Eb

P.A. *E^m* *C* *G* *B^m*

Synth

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

63

Coda
a tempo

S *p*

A *p*
night?

T *p*
Where you gon - - na sleep

B *p*
Sleep to - night

Eb *p* *mp*

P.A. *E^m* *C* *G* *B^m* *E^m*

Synth

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

2 This Is The Life

SATB 4 extra staves

S *p* ∞ aah

A to the mu-sic viba— *p* And the boys— chase the girls with the cuts in their hair— While the sly tar-mar-ted youth sit way o-ver there— *mf* and the songs— they get lou - der each one bet-ter than be-fore—

T *p* ∞ aah *mf* and the songs— they get lou - der each one bet-ter than be-fore— *mf* and the songs— they get lou - der each one bet-ter than be-fore— *mf* and the songs— they get lou - der each one bet-ter than be-fore—

B *p* ∞ aah *mf* and the songs— they get lou - der each one bet-ter than be-fore— *mf* and the songs— they get lou - der each one bet-ter than be-fore— *mf* and the songs— they get lou - der each one bet-ter than be-fore— *mf* and the songs— they get lou - der each one bet-ter than be-fore—

1

2

3

4

P.A. *Bm* *E^m* *G* *Bm*

Synth *mf* *El Piano (Ritard)* *B*

Bass

D.S.

Perc.



6 This Is The Life

SATB 4 extra staves

mf **Chorus 2**

S — Robert Ri - ger's motley crew —
 And you're singing the songs thinking this is the life — And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

A bout Robert Riger and his motley crew — And where — you're gon-na go? Where you're gon-na sleep tonight? —
 And you're singing the songs thinking this is the life — And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

T — Robert Ri - ger's motley crew — where gon - - - na sleep *mf* And you're singing the songs thinking this is the life — And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

B — Robert Ri - ger's motley crew —
 And you're singing the songs thinking this is the life — And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

1
2
3
4

C G Bm Em C

El Piano/Ritard.

Synth
P.A.
Bass
D. S.
Perc.

12 This Is The Life

SATB 4 EXTRA STAVES

Slowly

Coda
a tempo

S morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go? Where you gonna sleep to - night? — (optional solo)

A morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go? Where you gonna sleep to - night? — Where you gonna sleep to - night?

T Where you gonna go? Where you gonna go? Where you gonna sleep to - night? —

B morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go? Where you gonna sleep to - night? —

1 Sleep to - night

2

3

4

C G Bm Em C G Bm Em

Synth

P.A.

Bass

D.S.

Perc.

2 This Is The Life

SATB small Combo

Verse 1

S
A
T
B

wind whis-tles down the cold dark street to-night And the peo-ple they were danc-ing

E^m C G

P.A.
Bass
D.S.
Perc.

S
A
T
B

oo - - - - aah and the songs -
to the mu-sic vibe And the boys chase the girls with the curls in their hair While the shy tor-men-ted youth sit way o-ver there and the songs -
oo - - - - aah and the songs -
oo - - - - aah and the songs -

p *mf*
p *mf*
p *mf*

B^m E^m C

2

P.A.
Bass
D.S.
Perc.

4 This Is The Life

SATB small Combo

18

S
— thinking this is the life— And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

A
— thinking this is the life— And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

T
8
— thinking this is the life— And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

B
— thinking this is the life— And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

E^m C G

P.A.
8

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

Interlude 1

21

S
— Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

A
— Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

T
8
—

B
—

B^m E^m C G

P.A.
8
f if guitar playss solo play only chords

Bass
f

D. S.

Perc.

6 This Is The Life

SATB small Combo

31 *mf*

S — Ro-ber Ri - ger's mot-ley crew — And you're sing-ing the songs

A — bout Ro-ber Ri-ger and his mot-ley crew — And where — you're gon-na go? Where you're gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs

T — Ro-ber Ri - ger's mot-ley crew — where gon - - - na sleep — And you're sing-ing the songs

B — Ro-ber Ri - ger's mot-ley crew — And you're sing-ing the songs

C G B^m

P.A.

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

Chorus 2

34

S think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go?

A think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go?

T think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go?

B think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go?

E^m C

P.A.

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

8 This Is The Life

SATB small Combo

Interlude 2

41

S

A

T

B

Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

P.A.

f if guitar playss solo play only chords

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

45

S

A

T

B

And you're sing-ing the songs

P.A.

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

10 This Is The Life

SATB small Combo

Chorus 4

56

S
Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? _____ And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life_____ And you wake up in the

A
Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? _____ And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life_____ And you wake up in the

T
8
And you're sing-ing the songs

B
And you're sing-ing the songs

P.A.
G B^m E^m

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

59

S
morn - ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night?_____

A
morn - ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night?_____

T
8
Wake up _____ in the mor - - - ning _____

B
Wake up _____ in the mor - - - ning _____

P.A.
C G

Bass

D. S.

Perc.

12 This Is The Life

SATB small Combo

Coda
66 *a tempo*

S
A
T
B

night?
8

p
p
p

Where you gon - na sleep

Sleep to - night

E^m C G B^m E^m

P.A.
Bass
D. S.
Perc.

4 This Is The Life

SATB small Combo extra staves

16

S
A
T
B

Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? ———
 Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? ———
 Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? ———

And you're sing - ing the songs ——— think - ing this is the life ——— And you wake up in the
 And you're sing - ing the songs ——— think - ing this is the life ——— And you wake up in the
 And you're sing - ing the songs ——— think - ing this is the life ——— And you wake up in the

1
2

G B^m E^m

P.A.
Bass
D.S.
Perc.

6 This Is The Life

SATB small Combo extra staves

Verse 2

23

S
A
T
B

And you're wait-ing out - side Jim-my's front door
So you're head-ing down the road in your ta - xi for four — And you're wait-ing out - side Jim-my's front door But
in your ta - xi for four —
So you're head-ing down the road in your ta - xi for four —

1
2

P.A.
C G Bm Em C

mf

Bass
D.S.
Perc.

8 This Is The Life

SATB small Combo extra staves

Chorus 2

32

S *mf* And you're sing - ing the songs think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

A — you're gon - na go? Where you're gon - na sleep to - night? — *mf* And you're sing - ing the songs think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

T where gon - - - na sleep *mf* And you're sing - ing the songs think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

B — — — — — *mf* And you're sing - ing the songs think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

1

2

P.A. G B^m E^m

Bass

D.S.

Perc.

10 This Is The Life

SATB small Combo extra staves

36

S — think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? —

A — think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? —

T — — — — — Wake up — — — — — in the mor-ning — — — — —

B — — — — — Wake up — — — — — in the mor-ning — — — — —

1

2

P.A. E^m C G

Bass

D.S.

Perc.

12 This Is The Life

SATB small Combo extra staves

Chorus 3

Soprano (S): *4th* *f*

Alto (A): *f*

Tenor (T): *f*

Bass (B): *f*

Piano Accompaniment (P.A.): *f*

Double Bass (Bass): *f*

Double Bass (D.S.): *f*

Percussion (Perc.): *f*

Lyrics: And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life— And you wake up in the

Chords: C, G, B^m, E^m

Dynamics: *mf*, *f*

14 This Is The Life

SATB small Combo extra staves

Chorus 4

55

S morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? ——— And you're singing the songs thinking this is the life ——— And you wake up in the

A morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? ——— And you're singing the songs thinking this is the life ——— And you wake up in the

T 8 And you're singing the songs

B And you're singing the songs

1

2

C G Bm Em

P.A.

Bass

D.S.

Perc.



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Original Key C# minor

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Intro

Verse 1

Soprano

Alto *mf*
Oh the wind whistles down ___ the

Tenor

Bass

Piano Adv. *mf*
E^m C G B^m E^m

7

S

A
cold dark street to-night ___ And the peo-ple they were danc - ing to the mu-sic vibe ___ And the boys ___

T

B

P.A. C G B^m

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17

S And you're sing - ing the songs — think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

A — And you're sing - ing the songs — think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

T — And you're sing - ing the songs — think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

B — And you're sing - ing the songs — think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

P.A. B^m E^m

19

S morn - ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? —

A morn - ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? —

T morn - ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? —

B morn - ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? —

P.A. C G

Interlude 1

21

S — Where you gon - na sleep to - night?

A — Where you gon - na sleep to - night? So you're

T —

B — So you're

P.A. B^m E^m C G B^m

f if guitar playss solo play only chords *mf*

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35

S
A
T
B

morn - ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? _

C G

P.A

37

S
A
T
B

— And you're sing - ing the songs — think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

B^m E^m

P.A

39

S
A
T
B

morn - ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? _

C G

P.A

Wake up — in the mor - - - - ning —

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52 *soprano & mezzo*

S
A
T
B

And you're sing-ing the songs — think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs — think-ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

P.A.

G B^m E^m

55

S
A
T
B

morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? —

morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? —

P.A.

C G

57 *Chorus 4*

S
A
T
B

— And you're sing - ing the songs think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

— And you're sing - ing the songs think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

— And you're sing - ing the songs

— And you're sing - ing the songs

P.A.

B^m E^m

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65 *Slowly* *Coda*
a tempo *p*

S

A (optional solo) *p*

T *p*

B *p*

P.A.

Where you gon-na sleep to - night?

Where you gon - na sleep

Sleep to - night

B^m E^m C G B^m E^m

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10 *p* *mf*

S oo - - - - - aah and the songs_

A _ chase the girls with the curls in their hair_ While the shy tor-men-ted youth sit way o-ver there_ and the songs_

T *p* *mf*
8 oo - - - - - aah and the songs_

B *p* *mf*
8 oo - - - - - aah and the songs_

P.M. *E^m* *C*

Chorus 1

12

S _ they get lou - der each one bet-ter than be-fore_

A _ they get lou - der each one bet-ter than be-fore_ And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life_ And you wake up in the

T *8* _ they get lou - der each one bet-ter than be-fore_ And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life_ And you wake up in the

B _ they get lou - der each one bet-ter than be-fore_

G *B^m* *E^m*

P.M.

15

S

A morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night?_

T *8* morn-ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night?_

B

C *G*

P.M.

4 This Is The Life

SATB Piano moderated

Verse 2

26

S And you're wait-ing out-side Jim-my's front door

A head-ing down the road in your ta-xi for four ___ And you're wait-ing out-side Jim-my's front door But no-bo-dy's in ___ and no-bo-dy's home ___ 'til ___

T in your ta-xi for four ___ no-bo-dy's in ___ no-bo-dy's home ___ 'til ___

B head-ing down the road in your ta-xi for four ___

P.M. E^m C G

29

S oo ___ Ro-ber-t Ri - ger's mot-ley crew ___

A ___ four So you're sit-ting there with no-thing to do ___ Talk-ing a - bout Ro-ber-t Ri-ger and his mot-ley crew ___ And where ___

T ___ four oo ___ Ro-ber-t Ri - ger's mot-ley crew ___

B oo ___ Ro-ber-t Ri - ger's mot-ley crew ___

P.M. B^m E^m C

mp

32

S And you're sing-ing the songs

A ___ you're gon - na go? Where you're gon - na sleep to - night? ___ And you're sing-ing the songs

T where gon - - - na sleep And you're sing-ing the songs

B And you're sing-ing the songs

P.M. G B^m

mf

6 This Is The Life

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Interlude 2

40

S
Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? _____

A
Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? _____

T
ning _____ Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

B
ning _____ Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

P.M
G B^m E^m

f if guitar plays solo play only chords

43

S

A

T

B

P.M
C G B^m E^m C G

Chorus 3

49

S

A
And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life____ And you wake up in the

T

B

P.M
B^m E^m
mf

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Chorus 4

57

S
— And you're sing - ing the songs think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

A
— And you're sing - ing the songs think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

T
8
— And you're sing - ing the songs

B
— And you're sing - ing the songs

P.M
B^m E^m

59

S
morn - ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? —

A
morn - ing and your head feels twice the size Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na go? Where you gon - na sleep to - night? —

T
8
Wake up — in the mor - - - - ning —

B
Wake up — in the mor - - - - ning —

P.M
C G

61

S
— And you're sing - ing the songs — think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

A
— And you're sing - ing the songs — think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

T
8
Where you gon - na sleep — to - night —

B
Where you gon - na sleep — to - night — think - ing this is the life — And you wake up in the

P.M
B^m E^m



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Intro

Verse 1

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

S

A

T

B

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16

S
A
T
B

And you're sing-ing the songs—
Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs—
Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs—
And you're sing-ing the songs—

18

S
A
T
B

—thinking this is the life— And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?
—thinking this is the life— And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?
—thinking this is the life— And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?
—thinking this is the life— And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

20

S
A
T
B

Interlude 1

Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to - night? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?
Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to - night? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?
Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to - night?
Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to - night?

32 *mf*

S And you're sing-ing the songs

A — you're gon-na go? Where you're gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs

T 8 where gon - - - na sleep And you're sing-ing the songs

B *mf* And you're sing-ing the songs

Chorus 2

34

S thinking this is the life — And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

A thinking this is the life — And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

T 8 thinking this is the life — And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

B thinking this is the life — And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

36

S Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs —

A Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs —

T 8 Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs —

B Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? — And you're sing-ing the songs —

51

S

A

T

B

morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go? Where you gonna go? Where you gonna sleep tonight?

53

soprano & mezzo

S

A

T

B

And you're sing-ing the songs— think-ing this is the life— And you wake up in the

— And you're sing-ing the songs— think-ing this is the life— And you wake up in the

55

S

A

T

B

morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go? Where you gonna go? Where you gonna sleep tonight?

morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go? Where you gonna go? Where you gonna sleep tonight?

63

S morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go? Where you gonna go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

A morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go? Where you gonna go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

T 8 _____ Where you gonna go? Where you gonna go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

B morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go? Where you gonna go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

65

Slowly *Coda*
a tempo

S *p*

A (optional solo) *p* oo _____

T *p* oo _____

B *p* Where you gon-na sleep

Sleep to - night oo



Bb Instrument

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Intro *Verse 1*

Chorus 1 *Interlude 1* *Verse 2* *Chorus 2*

Interlude 2

Chorus 3

Chorus 4 *Slowly*

Coda *a tempo*



Piano Advanced

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Intro

E^m

C

G

Verse 1

5 B^m

E^m

C

G

9 B^m

E^m

C

G

Chorus 1

13 B^m

E^m

C

16 G

B^m

E^m

37 **B^m** **E^m** **C**

40 **G** **B^m** **E^m** *Interlude 2*
f if guitar plays solo play only chords

43 **C** **G** **B^m**

46 **E^m** **C** **G** **B^m**

Chorus 3
50 **E^m** **C** **G** **B^m** *mf*

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Intro

Em C G

Verse 1

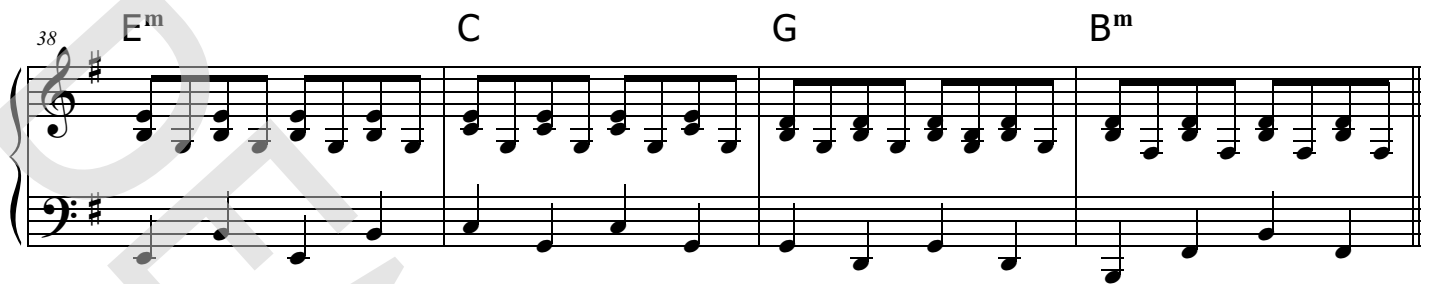
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10 Em C G Bm

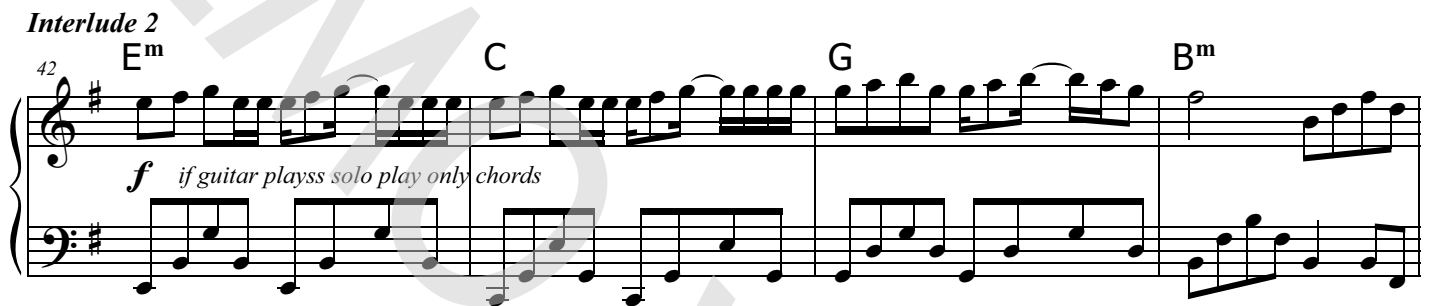
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14 Em C G Bm

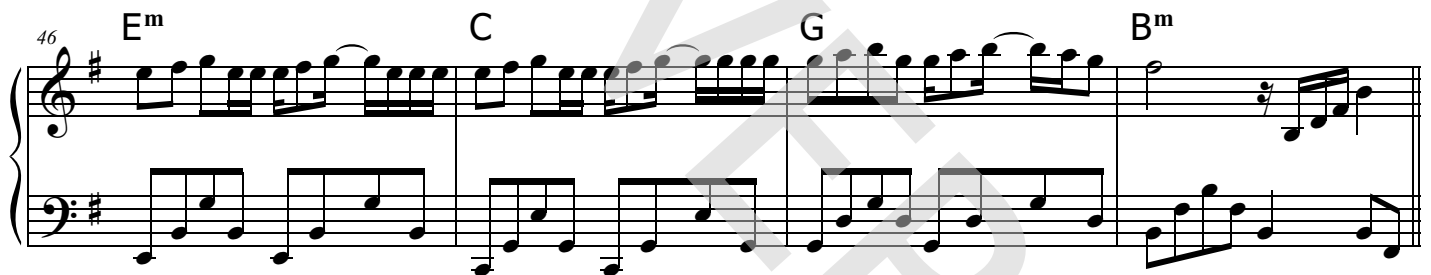
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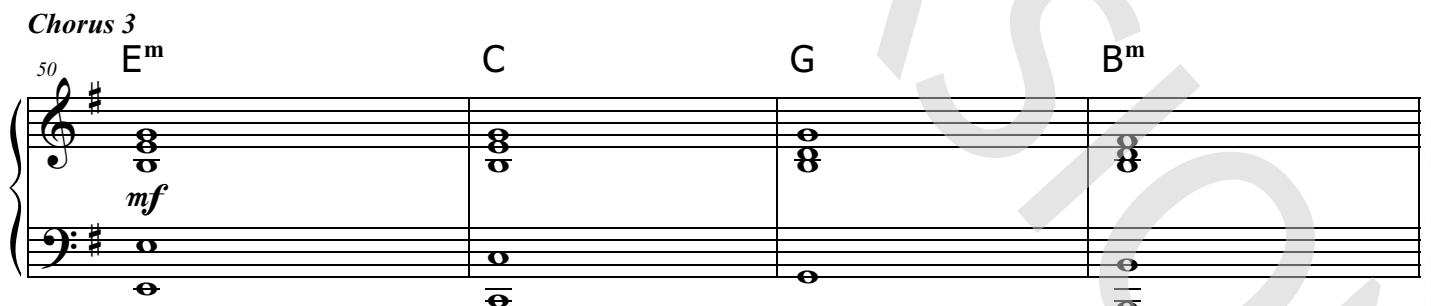
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42 E^m C G B^m
f if guitar plays solo play only chords



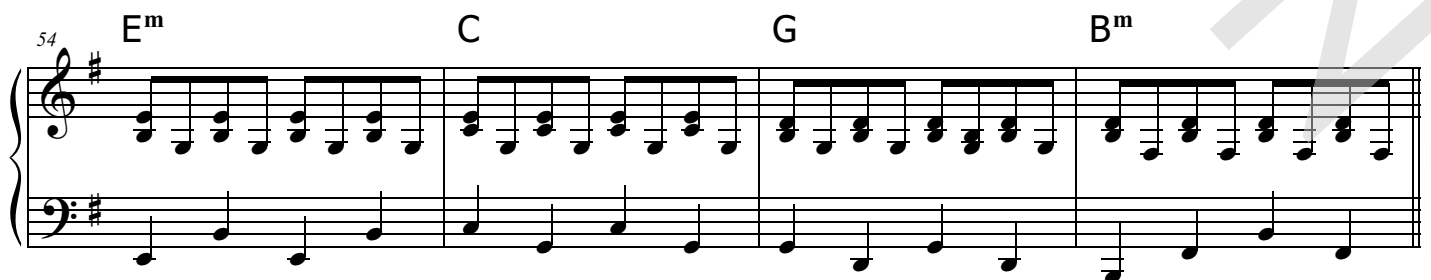
46 E^m C G B^m



Chorus 3
50 E^m C G B^m
mf



54 E^m C G B^m





Synthesizer

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Intro

Verse 1

El. Piano (Rhodes)

Chorus 1

14

Interlude 1

Verse 2

Vibraphone

19

Harp

28



Guitar

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dead strokes **mf** *strumming, freely*

Intro C G B^m

Verse 1

E^m C G B^m E^m C G B^m

Chorus 1

E^m C G B^m E^m C G B^m

Interlude 1

E^m C G B^m

Verse 2

E^m C G B^m E^m C G B^m



Bass Guitar

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Intro

E^m C G B^m

Verse 1

E^m C G B^m E^m C

Chorus 1

G B^m E^m C G B^m

Interlude 1

E^m C G B^m E^m C

Verse 2

G B^m E^m C G B^m

Chorus 2

E^m C G B^m E^m C

G B^m E^m C G B^m

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Intro

Verse 1

Chorus 1

Interlude 1

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Hi-Hat Pedal
Hi-Hat opened
Hi-Hat Closed
Snare drum
Bass drum
Snare rim (click)
Ride light
Ride heavy
Ride cup
Cymbal Crash
Cymbal Splash
Triangle Open
Triangle Closed
Shakers (Maracas)
Bells
Toms: High 1
High 2
Mid
Low
Claves
Conga High
Conga Low
Quiro
Tambourine

Verse 1

6

10

Chorus 1

14

18

Interlude 1

22



Leadsheet

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Intro

C#m A E G#m

Verse 1

C#m

Oh the wind whis-tles down___ the

cold dark street to - night___ And the peo - ple they were danc - ing

to the mu-sic vibe___ And the boys___ chase the girls with the curls in their hair___ While the

shy tormented youth sit way o-ver there___ and the songs___ they get lou - der each one bet-ter than before

Chorus 1

___ And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life___ And you wake up in the

morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go? Where you gonna go? Where you gonna sleep to - night?

___ And you're sing-ing the songs___ think-ing this is the life___ And you wake up in the

36 E G#m

Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? _____ And you're sing-ing the songs—

38 C#m A

— thinking this is the life— And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go?

40 E G#m

Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? _____ Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

Interlude 2

42 C#m A E G#m

Interlude 2 musical notation with chords C#m, A, E, G#m and a triplet.

46 C#m A E G#m

Interlude 2 musical notation with chords C#m, A, E, G#m and a triplet.

And you're sing-ing the songs

Chorus 3

50 C#m A

thinking this is the life— And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go?

52 E G#m

Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? _____ And you're sing-ing the songs—



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Intro

E^m C G B^m

Verse 1

E^m

Oh the wind whis-tles down___ the

cold dark street to - night___ And the peo - ple they were danc - ing

to the mu-sic vibe___ And the boys___ chase the girls with the curls in their hair___ While the

shy tor-men-ted youth sit way o-ver there___ and the songs___ they get lou - der each one bet-ter than before___

Chorus 1

___ And you're sing-ing the songs think-ing this is the life___ And you wake up in the

morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gonna go? Where you gonna go? Where you gonna sleep to - night?

___ And you're sing-ing the songs___ think-ing this is the life___ And you wake up in the

36 **G** **B^m**

Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? _____ And you're sing-ing the songs _

38 **E^m** **C**

__ thinking this is the life ____ And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

40 **G** **B^m**

Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? _____ Where you gon-na sleep to-night?

Interlude 2

42 **E^m** **C** **G** **B^m**

46 **E^m** **C** **G** **B^m**

And you're sing-ing the songs

Chorus 3

50 **E^m** **C**

thinking this is the life ____ And you wake up in the morning and your head feels twice the size Where you gon-na go?

52 **G** **B^m**

Where you gon-na go? Where you gon-na sleep to-night? _____ And you're sing-ing the songs _



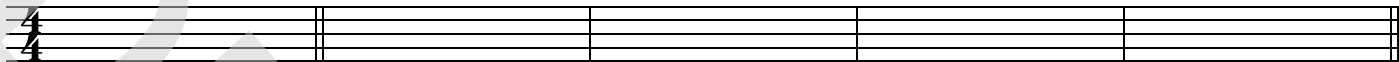
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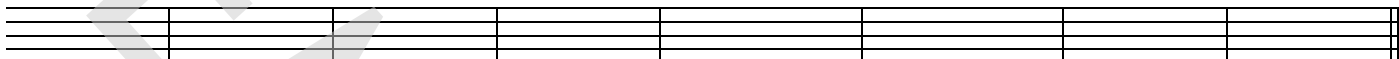
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Intro



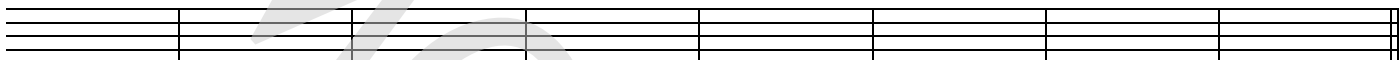
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6



Chorus 1

14



Interlude 1

22



Verse 2

26



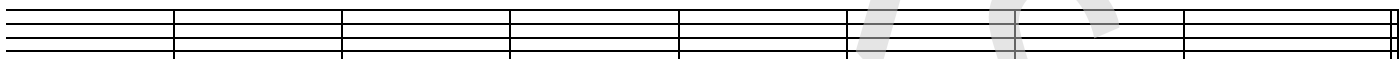
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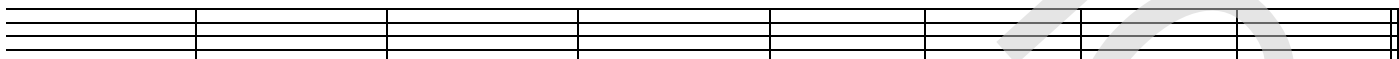
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Chorus 3

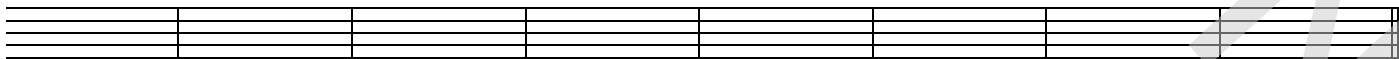
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Chorus 4

58

Slowly



Coda

a tempo

66

