



# The Rose

- Bette Midler -

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Ballad ♩ = 64

Arranger's note: The main soloist part works fine independently.  
If you have more soloists, they can sing the additional parts.

### Verse 1

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Soloist(s)

Soprano

Alto   
*mp*

Tenor   
*mp*

Bass

Some say love it is a river that

dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum

dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum

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Sol  
end - less ach - ing need \_\_\_\_\_ I say. love it is a flow - er \_\_\_\_\_ and

S  
doo \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

A  
dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum

T  
dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum dum

B  
\_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

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Sol  
you \_\_\_\_\_ it's on - ly seed. It's the\_

S  
\_\_\_\_\_ *mf* doo doo doo doo doo doo

A  
dum dum dum *mf* doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

T  
dum dum dum *mf* dum dum dum dum dum dum

B  
\_\_\_\_\_ *mf* dum dum dum dum dum dum

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Sol  
ne - ver \_\_\_\_\_ takes the\_ chance. It's the\_ one \_\_\_\_\_ who won't

S  
doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

A  
dum dum dum doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

T  
doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo dum dum doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

B  
dum dum dum dum dum dum doo doo doo

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Sol  
be tak - en \_\_\_\_\_ who can - not seem to give, \_\_\_\_\_ and the\_

S  
doo doo doo doo doo doo doo who can - not seem to give \_\_\_\_\_

A  
doo doo doo doo doo doo doo who can - not seem to give \_\_\_\_\_

T  
doo doo doo doo doo doo doo who can - not seem to give \_\_\_\_\_

B  
doo doo oh \_\_\_\_\_

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Sol

road \_\_\_\_\_ has been too long                      And\_ you think \_\_\_\_\_ that love is on - ly                      for the

S

ha ha ha ha ha been too. long\_                      ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha

A

ha ha ha ha ha been too. long\_                      ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha

T

ha ha ha ha ha been too. long\_                      ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha

B

da da da da da da da da da da da da da

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Sol

lu - cky \_\_\_\_\_ and\_ the\_ strong                      mm \_\_\_\_\_

S

ha ha ha ha ha ha ha just re - mem - ber\_                      in the win - ter\_                      far be -

A

ha ha ha ha ha ha ha just re - mem - ber\_                      in the win - ter\_                      far be -

T

ha ha ha ha ha ha ha just re - mem - ber\_                      in the win - ter\_                      far be -

B

da da da da da da just re - mem - ber\_                      in the win - ter\_                      far be -



## Vowels, Scat and Percussive Sounds

### Vowels

OO	as in	Shoe	AH	Car
OH		Show	A	Tap
OW		Cow	AI	My
E		Her	I	Dip
EE		Me	U	tongue
EH		Get	MM	humming
woah	is standard	Not wow, woa, woah		
Oh	is standard	Not Ohw etc. Diphthongs in English are not written.		

### Scat

doo ba doo	Not doo b doo
doo be doo	Not doo b doo
'Dum' or 'doom'	Not 'dm'
'Dung'	Not 'dng'

### Vocal Percussion

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b	bass drum
pf	snare drum
k	snare drum rim
tff or ff	snare drum brushed
t	closed Hi-hat
tsh	open Hi-hat
tum	toms
psh	crashing cymbals
tsah	soft cymbal
ssss(p)	reversed cymbal
tiff'e – tshiff'e	shaker (with accent)
tshiff'e - tshiff'e	shaker (no accent)
<c>	claves (horse click)
koo root	guiro
ch (k-t)	cabasa
<p>	woodblock
ting	triangle