

Busy Woman

REV. [18-9-14]

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CUE: Alarm clock stops**Colla****RITA:**

1

Hey there slee - py drea-mer I just wa - nna say I

Ab Bbm¹¹ Ab/C Ab Fm⁷ Eb Eb⁷/G

5 (3,4 in)

love you loads ya stu - pid sod well here goes, a - no ther

Ab Ab^Δ Ab⁷/C Db D^{o7} Ab/Eb Eb⁷(sus4)

9 (♩=166)

day

EDDIE:

Where's my, Where's my, Can't find my things

SHARON:

Mum Mum Mum Mum Can't find my Where's that gone?

GRAHAM:

Mum Mum Mum Mum Can't find my Where's that gone?

Db/Ab Ab Db/Ab Ab Db/Ab Ab Db/Ab Ab Db/Ab Ab

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Why is it al - ways me? Mum Mum Mum Mum Mum Mum Mum Mum

SHARON & GRAHAM:

What you done wiv all my things and Mum Mum Mum Mum Mum Mum Mum Mum

Eb(sus4) Eb Ab/Eb Eb Ab/Eb Eb Eb Fm7 Eb/G Ab Bbm7 Ab/C Db Eb7

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RITA:

Eve - ry mor - ning same rou - tine, we play our lit - tle fam - 'ly game

Db/Ab Ab Db/Ab Ab Ab7/Gb

21

No - one knows where no - thing is but guess who al - ways gets the blame

Db Eb7

25

RITA:

Teeth

SHARON:

Mum Mum Mum Mum

GRAHAM:

Mum Mum Mum

Ab Eb/G Db/F Eb⁷ *mp* Db Eb Eb(sus₄) Eb

29

RITA:
RITA: In the airing cupboard!

If

Ab Cm/G Fm⁷ Eb(add2) Db Eb Eb(sus₄) Eb F⁷

34

you want some-thing done Ask a bu - sy wo-man 'Cause you're wast ing your time

ff Bb⁹/C Bb⁷/D Eb F Bb F/A Gm⁷ Gm⁷/F

V.S.

39

ask - ing a man. She can do in one hour what he can't do in ten it's the

Chords: Eb Eb(add2) F Bb/F F F(sus4) Cm7 Eb

44

bas-ic eff ing diff'rence bet ween us & eff ing them. If you want it done then ask a bu-sy wo - man_

Chords: F F7 Bb Eb F Eb/F Cm/Bb Bb

SHARON: "Mum, what do
you want for Christmas?"

[Underscore]

49

Chords: Cm/Bb Bb Eb Eb9/F Eb7/G Ab Bb Eb Bb/D

54

sim. movement

Chords: Cm7 Ab Ab(add2) Bb Fm7

60 **RITA:** You're just saying that.

Chords: Eb, Ab, Bb, Ab/Bb, Eb, Db/F

63 **EDDIE:**

We love you, Dag-en-ham, Dag-en-ham, With your parks and wat-er-fronts. Oh, Dag-en-ham,

Chords: *mf* Gb, Db, Bbm⁷, Gb⁶, Ab¹³ Ab⁷, Bbm, Bbm/Ab, Gb

68 **RITA:** (*Laughing*) Stop it, Eddie- you're making us late.

Dag-en- ham— So good they named it once.

Chords: Db, Bbm⁷, Gb⁶, Ab¹³ Ab⁷, Db, Ebm⁷ Fm Ebm/Gb Db/Ab

72 **EDDIE/SHARON/GRAHAM:**

Oh, Dag - en - ham, Dag - en - ham With your an - cient

Chords: Gb, Db, Bbm⁷, Gb⁶, Ab¹³ Ab⁷

**EDDIE/
SHARON/
GRAHAM:**

75 **EDDIE:**

by - laws. Rome was - n't built in a day, But Dag - en - ham def - nate - ly

Bbm Bbm/Ab Gb Db Bbm⁷ Gb⁶ Ab¹³

79 **EDDIE:** Cup of tea, eh doll? **RITA:** Yes please, I'd love a cup of tea.

was.

normal groove

Ebm/Db Db Ebm/Db Db Ebm/Db Db Db/Cb

82 **RITA:** Is life like this everywhere? **[ARISTON]**

WOMEN:

If you want some-thing done Ask a bu - sy wo - man 'Cause you're

halftime groove

D/A Bm⁷ A⁷/C[#] D D⁹/E D⁷/F[#] G A D

88

was ting your time ask - ing a man. She can do in one hour what he

Bm⁷ G Em⁷ A D/A A A(sus4) Em⁷

93

can't do in ten, it's the bas-ic eff-ing diff-rence bet-ween us and eff-ing them. If you want it done then

A D G

97

SHARON: Uurgh!
 RITA: Whatsamatter?
 SHARON: It's spit!

RITA: This ain't spit,
 this is *mother's* spit

ask a bu - sy wo - man

A/E A⁷ Em/D D C

103 **WOMEN:**

RITA: (to Graham) Oi!
 Come 'ere. Show me your
 hand. He's hit you again, ain't
 he?

Mo-ther's spit, Mo-ther's sa - li - va, Ain't no germs that can sur-vive her.

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C F C C G⁷ C

108

WOMEN: *mp* **GRAHAM:** Mum! It don't hurt.

Ba - stard

Cm

112

(WOMEN) *f* Ba - stard!

Cm Cm(add9) Cm Cm C(sus4)

RITA: He's paid to teach him Latin, not attack him with a stick.

EDDIE: He can't treat him any different just 'cos he's a scholarship boy .

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Gm Bbm

GRAHAM: Don't come into school Mum!

RITA: Oh, you're ashamed of me are you?

GRAHAM: Yes!

SHARON: Watch out, Dad -
she's gone in to one.

122

F F7/Eb

RITA: Alright Eddie?126 **EDDIE:** Yeah. What?**RITA:** What's today?**WOMEN:****RITA:** Alright Eddie?**EDDIE:** Yeah. What?

Think, Whirr, Click, Click, Whirr

E

Em

EDDIE: Tuesday.**RITA:** Tuesday?

Think a - gain Whirr, Click, Click, Durr

E

E

Em

EDDIE: Innit?**RITA:** Is it a special Tuesday?**(WOMEN)**

Re - mem - ber, you mem - ber

Open

F#

F#

G

In 2-Slower**RITA:**

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EDDIE: (Beat) Pancake day?
RITA: Go to work you big lump.

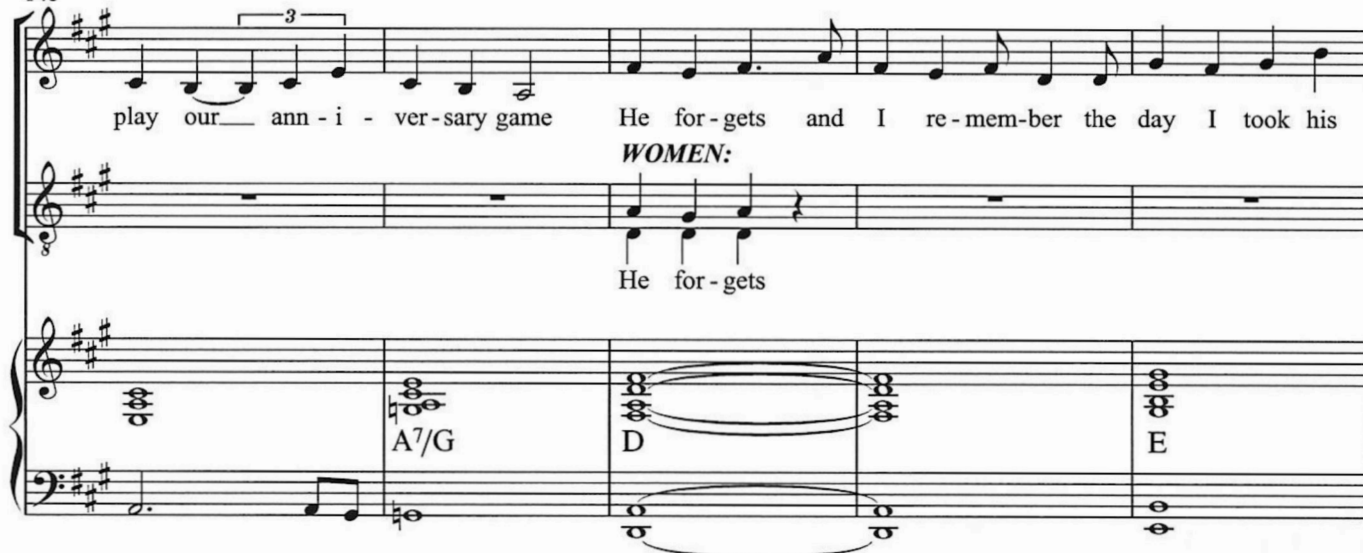
EDDIE: (Kiss) "Love you"
Ev - 'ry year the same rou - tine We



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play our ann - i - ver - sary game He for - gets and I re - mem - ber the day I took his

WOMEN:
He for - gets



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rit.**A Tempo(In 4)**

stu - pid name

Stu - pid name

E F#m⁷/E E⁷



151 **WOMEN:**

Shut the door, were you born in a barn? Wipe those boots you don't live on a farm.
Always build

mp
C C⁷/B^b F/A Fm⁶/A^b

155

How did your last ser - vant die? Why? Be - cause I said, that's why.

C C⁷/B^b F/A Fm⁶/A^b

159

Eat your greens or you won't grow— There's kids star - ving in

C C⁷/B^b F/A

162

Af - ri - ca, you know. Beds ain't made for jump - ing on. You'll all miss me

Fm⁶/A^b C C⁷/B^b F/A

RITA: Bus pass!

WOMEN(+ OFF-STAGE)

166

when I'm gone.

f Ab7 Ab7(sus4) Ab7 Ab Bbm7 Ab7/C

169

you want some-thing done Ask a bu - sy wo-man She's got more en - er - gy than the

f Db Db9/Eb Db7/F Gb Ab Db Bbm7 Gb GbΔ

175

sun She's al - ways there no

sub mp Ab Ab(sus4) Ab7/Gb Db/F Ebm7

178

mat - ter what, If you lose your key or lose the plot, The strength of a rhi-no, The

Ab Fm⁷

182

pa-tience of a nun, It ain't no sprint- it's a mar - a - thon.

Bb

185

Half-time feel
ALL WOMEN:

Ev-'ry lov-ing mi-nute of ev-'ry lov-ing day. Tests our lov-ing na-ture in eve-ry lov-ing way

f Eb Ab/Eb Bb/Eb Ab/Eb Eb Ab/Eb Bb/Eb Ab/Eb

193

M1+2/M3:

Moth-ers, sis-ters, daugh-ters, Lov-ing - ly we say, We've got this fee - ling, this

F Bb/F C/F Bb/F F Bb/F

199

RITA:

won - der-ful fee - ling It's go-nna be a-no-ther ev-er lov-ing,

Heart tug-ging, tea slug-ging, ev-er lov-ing,

go-nna be a-no-ther kidd-y hugg-ing ev-er lov-ing,

FΔ Bb/F *mf* C

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moth-er lov-ing wor-king day_____

moth-er lov-ing... If you want it done then ask a bu - sy wo-man_

moth-er lov-ing... If you want it done then ask a bu - sy wo-man_

ff F Bb C Bb⁶/C F⁶/F gliss.

SEGUE: