

# IF THE WIND HAD ONLY BLOWN THE OTHER WAY



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*Moderato.*

The piano introduction is in 2/4 time, marked *Moderato* and *mf*. It features a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. A section for wind instruments is indicated with a double bar line and a key signature change to one sharp (F#).

*Till ready.*

The first vocal line begins with the instruction *Till ready.* The lyrics are: "I am a most un-hap-py soul, Since He claims that I en-cour-aged him, But". The piano accompaniment continues with the melody and bass line.

The second vocal line continues the lyrics: "I have lost my heart's con-trol, To dash-ing, mash-ing Mis-ter A-lex King; — Why that ex-cuse is ve-ry slim. I real-ly nev-er knew he fol-lowed me; — You". The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support.

The third vocal line concludes the lyrics: "I was just a-bout eight-een, When twins ap-peared up-on the scene, 'Twas know how strange a wo-man feels, When some-one's al-ways at her heels, And". The piano accompaniment continues to the end of the piece.

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but a year I'd worn my wed - ding ring; I  
 I was just as scared as I could be, I

met him in the month of June, 'Twas on a wind-y af - ter - noon; He  
 might have had my skirts all pinned, But how was I to stop the wind, ' You

was a swell to judge him by his clothes; And  
 know quite well how skirts will of - ten fly! Last

I had on a Prin-cess gown, A dream that had been han-ded down, But  
 night I asked him: tell me, pray, Why did you wink at me that day? He

what at - trac - ted him the most was my sick hose.  
said he did - 'nt wink 'twas dust got in his eye:

**Chorus.**

If the wind had on - ly blown the oth - er way, I

*p-f*

might have been a sin - gle girl to - day ——— I'd not be push - ing par - e - gor - ic in - to

twins who've got the col - ic, If the wind had on - ly blown the oth - er way.

Wind Instruments.