

FROM WALT DISNEY PICTURES' THE LION KING

I JUST CAN'T WAIT TO BE KING

LYRICS BY
TIM RICE

MUSIC BY
ELTON JOHN

HAPPILY, RHYTHMICALLY

G C/G G D/G G C/G G

(INSTRUMENTAL)

1. 2.

4 D/G SIMBA: G

S/A: I'M GON-NA BE _ A MIGHT-Y KING, SO

7 ZAZU: C


EN - E - MIES _ BE - WARE! ^{b:} WELL, I'VE NEV - ER SEEN A KING OF BEASTS _ WITH
spoken

9 G SIMBA:

QUITE SO LIT-TLE HAIR.. S/A: I'M GON-NA BE _ THE MANE _ E - VENT, _ LIKE

11 C G ZAZU:

NO KING WAS _ BE-FORE. _ I'M BRUSH-ING UP _ ON LOOK-ING DOWN. _ I'M WORK-ING ON _ MY ROAR! ^{b:} _ THUS

14 **AM** **G** **D** **SIMBA:** **N.C.** **C** **D**

 FAR, A RATH-ER UN-IN-SPIR-ING THING. *All:* OH, I JUST CAN'T WAIT TO BE

17 **G** **C/G** **G** **N.C.**


 KING!
 ZAZU: (SPOKEN:) YOU'VE RATHER A LONG WAY TO GO, YOUNG MASTER! IF YOU THINK... *S/A:*

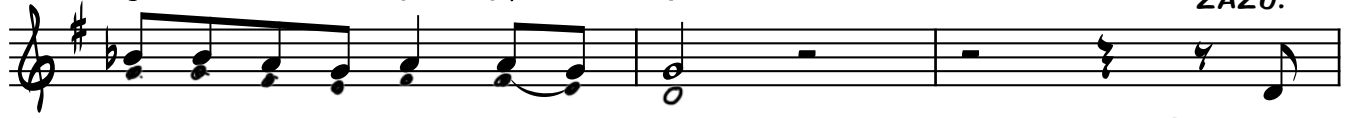
19 **C** **AM**

 "DO THIS," NO ONE SAY-ING "BE THERE," NO ONE SAY-ING
 ZAZU: NOW WHEN I SAID THAT I... WHAT I MEANT WAS THAT THE...

21 **D/F#** **D** **G**

 "STOP THAT," NO ONE SAY-ING "SEE HERE." NOW SEE HERE!
 BUT WHAT YOU DON'T RE-AL-IZE...

23 **C** **G/B** **AM** **C** **D**

All: FREE TO RUN A-ROUND ALL DAY,
 WELL, THAT'S DEF-I-NITE-LY OUT.

25 **C** **D** **D7** **G** **ZAZU:**

 FREE TO DO IT ALL MY WAY!
B: 1

28



THINK IT'S TIME THAT YOU AND I _____ AR - RANGED A HEART TO HEART.

SIMBA:

30



S: KINGS DON'T NEED AD - VICE - FROM LIT - TLE HORN - BILLS, FOR A START..

ZAZU:
(QUASI-SPOKEN:)

B: IF
(spoken)

32



THIS IS WHERE THE MON - AR - CHY - IS HEAD - ED, COUNT ME OUT! - OUT OF

(sing)

34



SER - VICE, OUT OF AF - RI - CA. - I WOULD - N'T HANG A - BOUT. - THIS CHILD IS GET - TING WILD - LY OUT OF

SIMBA:

37



WING! A||: OH, I JUST CAN'T - WAIT TO BE KING!

41



(INSTRUMENTAL)

44

Chords: D_b , B_bM

Lyrics: EV-'RY-BOD-Y LOOK LEFT, EV-'RY-BOD-Y LOOK RIGHT. EV-'RY-WHERE YOU

A: EV-'RY-BOD-Y LOOK LEFT, ^{S:} EV-'RY-BOD-Y LOOK RIGHT. ^{S/A:} EV-'RY-WHERE YOU

ZAZU: SIMBA & CHORUS:

47

Chords: E_b/G , E_b , A_b , D_b , A_b/C , B_bM , D_b

Lyrics: LOOK, I'M STAND-ING IN THE SPOT-LIGHT.. NOT LET! LET EV-'RY CREA-TURE GO FOR BROKE AND

LOOK, I'M STAND-ING IN THE SPOT-LIGHT.. NOT LET! LET EV-'RY CREA-TURE GO FOR BROKE AND

50

Chords: E_b , D_b , A_b/C , B_bM , D_b , E_b

Lyrics: SING. LET'S HEAR IT IN THE HERD AND ON THE WING. IT'S

SING. LET'S HEAR IT IN THE HERD AND ON THE WING. IT'S

53

Chords: D_b , A_b/C , B_bM , D_b , E_b , N.C., D_b , E_b

Lyrics: GON-NA BE KING SIM-BA'S FIN - EST FLING. All: OH, I JUST CAN'T WAIT TO BE

GON-NA BE KING SIM-BA'S FIN - EST FLING. All: OH, I JUST CAN'T WAIT TO BE

56

Chords: A_b , D_b , E_b , A_b

Lyrics: KING. OH, I JUST CAN'T WAIT TO BE KING. OH, I

KING. OH, I JUST CAN'T WAIT TO BE KING. OH, I

59

Chords: D_b , E_b , A_b

Lyrics: JUST CAN'T WAIT TO BE KING!

JUST CAN'T WAIT TO BE KING!