

Smooth Operator

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Dm7 Em7 Dm7 Em7

He's

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laugh-ing with an-oth-er girl and play-ing with an - oth-er heart.

Em7 Dm7 G add11

Plac - ing high stakes, mak - ing hearts ache. He's

loved in se-ven lan-gua-ges. Dia-mond nights and ru-by lights

high in the sky, hea-ven

help him when he falls.

Dia-mond life, lov-er boy, he



move in space— with— mi - ni - mum waste— and max - i - mum— joy. ———



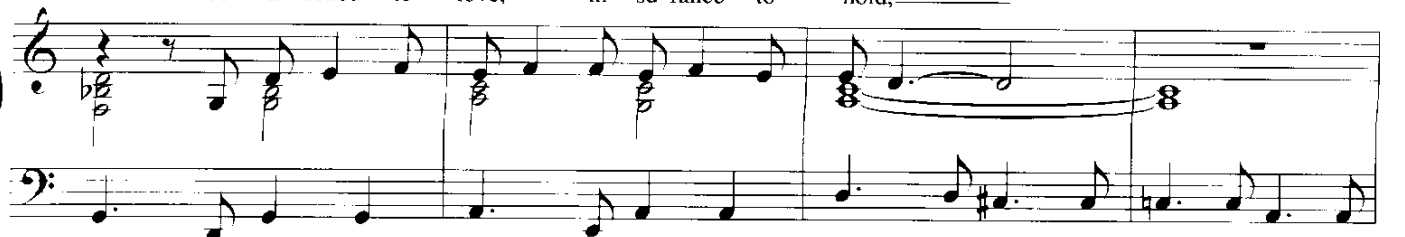
Ci - ty lights— and busi - ness nights, ——— when
Face to face— each clas - sic case, ——— we



you re - quire— street - car de - sire— for high - er heights. ———
sha - dow box— and dou - ble cross— yet need the chase. ———



No place for be - gin - ners or sen - si - tive hearts, ———
A li - cence to love, in - su - rance to hold, ———



Gm7 Am7 Dm7

when sen ti - ment is left to chance,
melt all your mem - 'ries and change in - to gold.

Gm7 Am7

no place to be end - ing but some - where to
his eyes are like an - gels but his heart is

Dm7

start. } No need to ask he's a
cold. }

Dm7 Am7 Gm7 Am7 Dm7 Am7 Gm7 Am7

smooth o - pe - ra - tor, smooth o - pe - ra - tor,



smooth o - pe - ra - tor, smooth o - pe - ra - tor.



Coast to coast, L. A. to Chi - ca - go, west - ern male.



A - cross the north - and south to Key Lar - go.

1.



2.



D. % to fade

love for sale. love for sale.