

# The Promise

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(Tenor Clef) optional grace notes

(Vocal)

**INTRO**

**6**

**VERSE 1A**

8

If you wait for me\_\_\_\_\_

12

then I - 'll come for you al - though I've

18

trav - eled far I'll al - ways hold a place for

**INTL**

**VERSE 1B**

**6**

24

you in my heart If you think of

35

me\_\_\_\_\_ if you miss me\_\_\_\_\_ once in a while Then

41

I'll\_\_\_\_\_ re - turn to you I'll\_\_\_\_\_ re - turn and

**INTL**

47

fill that space in your heart

**2**

## CHORUS 1

(harmony)

52  
8 re-mem-ber ing\_ your touch your kiss your warm em brace I'll

58  
8 find my way back to\_ you If you'll be wai -

64 **INTL** **6** **VERSE 2**  
8 ting If you dream of me\_

75  
8 Like I\_ 've dream of you In a place\_ that's

81  
8 warm and dark in a place - where I can

86 **INTL** **2**  
8 feel the beating of your heart re-mem-ber ing\_

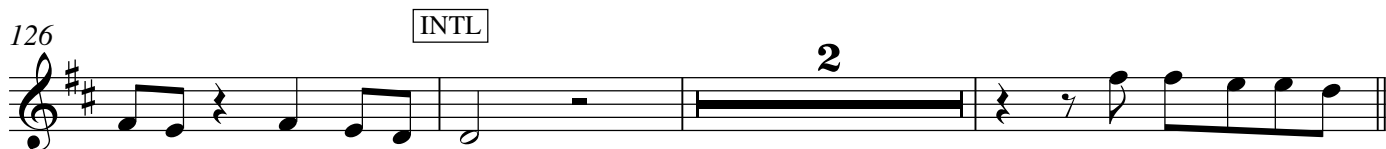
92 **CHORUS 2** (harmony)  
8 your touch your kiss your warm em brace I'll find my

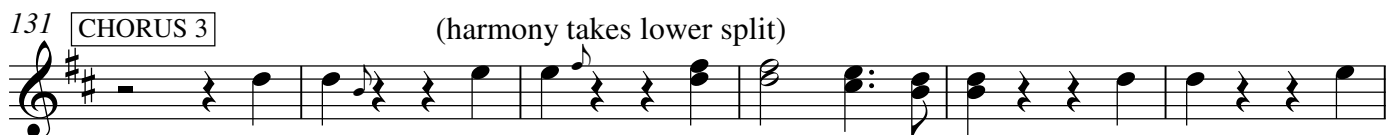
98 **INTL**  
8 way back to\_ you If you'll be wai - ting

104 **VERSE 3** **6**  
8 (ooh) I longed for you\_ and

115  
  
 I \_\_\_\_\_ have de - si - re \_\_\_\_\_ to see \_\_\_\_\_ your face your

121  
  
 smile to \_\_\_\_\_ be \_\_\_\_\_ with you wher - e \_\_\_\_\_

126 INTL  
  
 ver \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ are re-mem-ber ing \_\_\_\_\_

131 CHORUS 3 (harmony takes lower split)  
  
 your touch your kiss your warm em brace I'll find my

137 INTL  
  
 way back to \_\_\_\_\_ you please say you'll be wai - ting \_\_\_\_\_

143 CHORUS 4  
  
 to-geth-er a - gain It would feel \_\_\_\_\_ so good to be

150  
  
 in your arms where all \_\_\_\_\_ my jour-neys end \_\_\_\_\_ you can make a

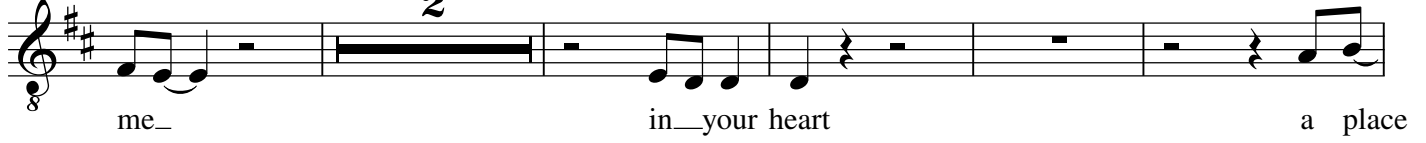
155 (harmony)  
  
 pro - mise \_\_\_\_\_ if it's one that \_\_\_\_\_ you can keep \_\_\_\_\_ I'd

159 INTL  
  
 vow to come for you \_\_\_\_\_ If you \_\_\_\_\_ wait for me

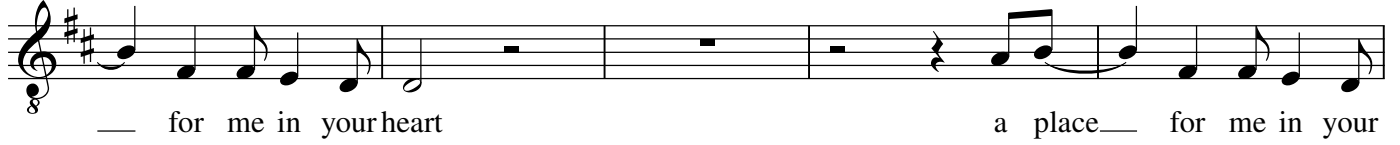
166 CODA



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