

IN A CROWD OF THOUSANDS

from the Broadway Musical ANASTASIA

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Freely $\text{♩} = 60$ N.C. *DMITRY:* Moderato, with excitement $\text{♩} = 100$

p *mp poco rubato*

It was June. I was

ten. I still think of that day now and then. A pa -

-rade and a girl and a crowd of

E sus2 A B C#m

A B C#m D

A/B B E A E

thou - sands. She sat straight as a queen. On - ly

A B C#m C#m7 A B(add2)

eight, but so proud and se - rene. How they cheered! How I

C#m D A/B B

stared in that crowd of thou - sands! Then I

Piu mosso
♩ = 120 D(add2) D(add#4) D(add2) D(add#4) Amaj7/C# C#m

start - ed to run and to call out her name as the crowd on the road went

wild! I reached out with my hand and looked up and then she
 smiled. The pa - rade trav - eled
 on. With the sun in my eyes, she was gone. But if
 I were still ten in that crowd of

Chords: C, C(add2ma#4), C, B^{9sus}, B, E, A, E, A, B, C#m, C#m7, A, B(add2), C#m, D.

Performance markings: *a tempo*, *rall.*, *f a tempo, expansive*, *mf*.

Slightly relaxed

C#m C#9sus Amaj7 B5 A(9)

thou - sands, I'd find her a - gain.

mp *pub.*

E/G# ANYA: A(add2) DMITRY: F#7(no3) ANYA:

You're making me feel I was there, too. Maybe you were. Make it part of your story. A pa -

poco rit.

E B F#/B B E F#

-rade pass - ing by. It was hot. Not a cloud in the

DMITRY:

A pa - rade pass - ing by.

mf a tempo

G#m E F# G#m
 sky. Then a boy caught my eye

A BOTH: E/F# F# B ANYA: E
 in a crowd of thou - sands. He was thin. Not too

B F#/B B E F# G#m
 clean. There were guards, but he dodged in be - tween. Yes, he

E F# G#m A
 made him - self seen in that crowd of

Più mosso

E/F# F# A(4#) A(add2ma#4) A A(add2) A(add2ma#4)

thou - sands! Then he called out my name and he start - ed to run through the

mp

Emaj7/G# G#m G G(add2ma#4)

sun and the heat and crowd. And I tried not to smile, but I

G A bit slower F#sus4 4

smiled... and then he bowed.

colla voce poco rit. *p sub.*

ANYA:

DMITRY:

You didn't have to. I remember. The pa -

I didn't tell you that. The pa -

rall.

E B E F#

-rade trav-eled on. With the sun in my eyes you were

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mf a tempo, expansive

G#m E E# G#m

gone. But I knew e - ven then

gone. But I knew e - ven then

A G#m G#sus2ma 4 Emaj7 F#5

in a crowd of thou - sands I'd find you a -

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mf mp rit.

Chords: E^(add2) B/D[#] Emaj⁷ F[#] B

Annotations: -gain. *p sub.*