

From "THE GREAT RACE"
THE SWEETHEART TREE

Lyrics by JOHNNY MERCER
Music by HENRY MANCINI

Piano introduction in 3/4 time, marked *mp*. The key signature has one flat (Bb). The melody is written in the right hand with a slur over the first four measures. The left hand provides a simple accompaniment. Chords indicated above the staff are F, Dm, and Bb.

First system of vocal and piano accompaniment. The vocal line is in the upper staff, and the piano accompaniment is in the lower staff. The lyrics are: "They say there's a tree in the for - est, _____ A". The piano accompaniment is marked *mp*. Chords indicated above the vocal staff are F, Am, Bb, and Gm7.

Second system of vocal and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "tree that will give you a sign; _____ Come a -". The piano accompaniment continues with the same accompaniment pattern. Chords indicated above the vocal staff are F, Am, Bb, C7, and C#dim.

Third system of vocal and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "long with me, to THE SWEET - HEART TREE, Come and". The piano accompaniment continues. Chords indicated above the vocal staff are Dm, Am, Bb, and F.

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Bb Bdim F Cm7 F7 Bb

sight And your love will be true ev-er-more.

Bdim F Gm7 C7 F Bb F