

No. 4

If I Were A Rich Man

cue: TEVYE: We've got the sickness already ---

Moderately — In 1

(Monologue continues)

proceed at cue:

(TEVYE:) What would have been so terrible if I had a small fortune?

Piano

pp
Str., Acc., Plect.

[4] With a lilt — In 4

TEVYE:

If I were a rich man, Dai-dle, dee-dle, dai-dle, Dig-guh, dig-guh, dee-dle, dai-

p
Acc., Plect.

dum. All day long I'd bid-dy, bid-dy bum --- If I were a wealth

Str.
(Rhythm cont.)

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man. Would-n't have to work hard, Dai-dle, dee-dle, dai-

+ Bell
+ Acc., Cl., Bsn.
Acc.

Dig-guh, dig-guh, dee-dle, dai-dle dum. If I were a

Str.

bid-dy, bid-dy rich, Dig-guh, dig-duh, dee-dle, dai-dle man. I'd build a

rall. + W.W.

[20] Deliberately

big tall house with rooms by the doz-en, Right in the mid-dle of the

Str.

Acc., Plect. Cello

town. A fine tin roof with real wood-en floors be-low.

W.W., Acc. Str.

Rhythm only

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There would be one long stair - case just go - ing up

W.W.

etc.

one e - ven long - er com - ing down. And one more lead

+ Vlns. Acc.

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no - where, just for show. I'd fill my yard with chick

Str. Acc. rall. Fl., Cl. a tempo low Str.

tur - keys and geese And ducks for the town to see and hear;

Cl. Bsn. E. H., Cl.

Squawk - ing just as nois - i - ly as they can.

Cls.
+ low Str. W.W. only

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(imitate animals —————)

And each loud quack and cluck and gob - ble and honk Will

Acc.
Cello

land like a trum - pet on the ear. As if to say: here

Tpts.
Str. + Br., Hns. Str.

lives a wealth - y man. (Sigh)

W.W., Acc. mf
rall.

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If I were a rich man, Dai-dle, dee-dle, dai-dle, Dig-guh, dig-guh, dee-dle, dai-dle

Acc.
p *a tempo*
 pizz. Str., Plect.

dum, All day long I'd bid-dy, bid-dy bum --- If I were a wealth-y

W.W., Tpts. muted
mf

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man. Would-n't have to work hard, Dai-dle, dee-dle, dai-dle

+ Bells
 Acc., Fl.
 Acc.
p pizz. Str., Plect.

Dig-guh, dig-guh, dee-dle, dai-dle dum. If I were a

W.W., Tpts. muted
mf

bid - dy, bid - dy rich, Dig - guh, dig - guh, dee - dle, dai - dle man. I see my

rall.

Str., Acc.

+W.W.

68 Deliberately

- wife, my Gol - de, look - ing like a rich man's wife With a prop - er dou - ble

W.W.

Str.

p

Plect., Acc.

chin; Su - per - vis - ing meals to her heart's de -

W.W.

fz

+Hns., Trbs.

Str.

light. I see her put - ting on airs and

W.W., Str.

Tpts.

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Vins. pizz.

p

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