

13. Finale Act I

Christmas Present - Scrooge

Warning Christmas Present The milk of human kindness ...
Cue Scrooge I'm sure there are! Can I have some more?

C. Pres

4 Eb - e - nez - er Scrooge, The sins of man are huge. A nev - er end - ing sym - pho - ny of vil - lain - y and in - fa - my, du - pli - ci - ty, de - ceit and sub - ter - fuge. And

7 no - one's worse than Eb - e - nez - er Scrooge! Though man's a han - dy can - di - date for hell, I

11 must ad - mit life some - times has a bright - er side as well! I like life!

16 Life likes me! Life and I fair - ly ful - ly a - gree. Life is fine! Life is good!

21 'spec - i - ally mine, which is just as it should be! I like pour - ing the wine, and

25 why not? — Life's a plea - sure that I de - ny not! I like life! here and now!

34 Life and I made a mu - tu - al vow. Till I die, life and I we'll both try to be

39 Scrooge

44 C. Pres

47 - 49

50 - 51

Why? Be - cause I like life!

C.P. "Now, listen to me" C.P. "Well...go on" C.P. "That's better!" C.P. "Good, good!"

54

C. Pres Scrooge C. Pres Scrooge C. Pres Scrooge C. Pres Scrooge

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C. Pres Scrooge C. Pres Scrooge C. Pres Scrooge C. Pres Scrooge

64

Scrooge C. Pres Scrooge C. Pres Scrooge

68

C. Pres

75

Scrooge

80

C. Pres Scrooge C. Pres Scrooge C. Pres

86

C. Pres Scrooge

96-103

Children

104-109

Sop/Alto Men

114

Alto Bass

119 Sop chil-dren do. (Like the chil-dren do.) *cresc.*

Ten chil-dren do. (Like the chil-dren do.) *cresc.*

128-129 Sop Sing a song, sing a song. [Alto] Sing a song of glad-ness and cheer.

Men Sing a song of glad-ness and cheer.

134 Christ - mas is here.

For the time of Christ-mas is here.

138 Sop See

Look a-round a - bout you and see what a world of

143 All won - der this world can be. Sing a Christ - mas

won - der this world can be. And en - joy the

149

beau - ty, all the joy and beau - ty that a

Sing a Christ - mas ca - rol, sing a Christ - mas ca - rol, sing a

156

mer - ry Christ - mas ca - rol, sing a Christ - mas ca - rol, bring to

165

Christ - mas ca - rol

you. Because I like

185

(ah)

201

The musical score is written for a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The key signature has one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The score is divided into systems, with measure numbers 149, 156, 165, 185, and 201 marked at the beginning of each system. The lyrics are: 'beau - ty, all the joy and beau - ty that a Sing a Christ - mas ca - rol, sing a Christ - mas ca - rol, sing a mer - ry Christ - mas ca - rol, sing a Christ - mas ca - rol, bring to Christ - mas ca - rol you. Because I like'. The piano part consists of chords and single notes, while the vocal part includes a melody with some rests and a final 'ah' in measure 185.