

The Rhythm Of Life

from 'Sweet Charity'

Dm Am B^b Gm Am Dm A⁷

5 Dm Am B^b Gm Dm G A⁷ Dm

9 F B^b C F

f

p

Dad-dy- start-ed- out in San Fran- cis- co, toot-in'- on a trum- pet loud and mean,

Sud- den- ly a voice said, "Go forth, Dad- dy, spread the pic- -ture- on a

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B^b E7

wid- er screen?" And the voice said, "Broth- -er,- there's a mil- lion pi- geons

Ah-----

15

Am Am⁷ D⁷ Gm C⁷

read- -y- to be hooked on new re- li- gions. Hit the road, Dad- dy, leave your

Ah ----- Ah -----

18

Dm Gm⁶/B^b A⁷ Dm

com-mon-law- wife. Spread the re- li- gion of The Rhy- Of Life?" And The

21

Fm D^b B^bm E^b

Rhy-thm- Of Life is a pow-er-ful- beat, Puts a tin-gle- in your fin- gers and a

24

A^bm(maj⁷) D^b B^bm

tin- gle in your feet, Rhy- thm in your bed- room, rhy- thm in the street, Yes, The

27

C Fm Fm

Rhy-thm- Of Life is a pow- er- ful beat. To feel the
Yes, The Rhy-thm- Of Life is a

mf

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D^b **B^bm** **E^b** **A^b** **A^b** **D^b**

Rhy--thm-Of Life, To feel the pow-er- ful beat, To feel the
pow- er- -ful- beat, Puts a tin--gle- in your fin-gers and a tin- gle in your feet, Rhy-thm in your bed-room,

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B^bm **Gm7** **B^bm** **C** **Fm** **A7**

tin- gle in your fin- gers, To feel the tin- gle in your feet.
rhy- thm in the street, Yes, The Rhy-thm- Of Life is a pow- er- ful beat.

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Dm **Am** **B^b** **Gm** **Am** **Dm** **A7**

f

41

Dm Am B^b Gm Dm A⁷ Dm

Dad-dy- spread the gos- pel in Mil- wau- -kee,- Took his walk-ie talk-ie- to Rock- y Ridge,

45

F B^b C F

Blew his way to Can- ton, then to Seran- ton, Till he land- ed un- der the Man-

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B^b Gm⁷ E⁷

hat- tan Bridge. Ah -----
Dad- dy was a new sen- sa- tion, Got him-self- a con- gre- ga- tion,

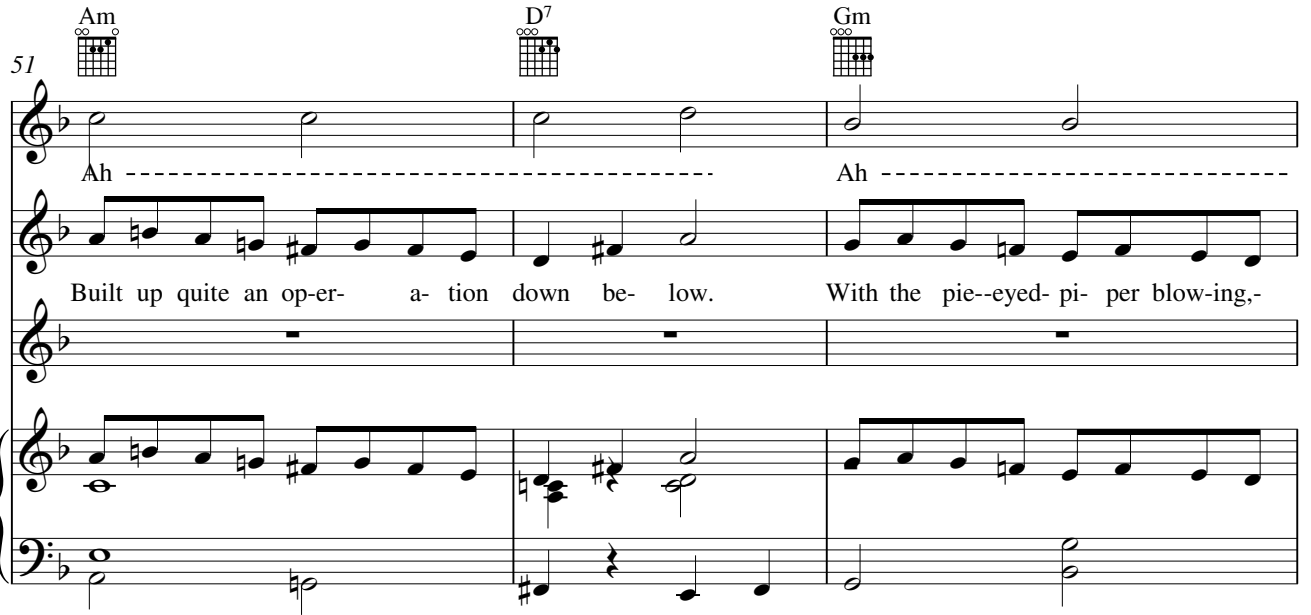
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Am D7 Gm

Ah ----- Ah -----

Built up quite an op-er- a- tion down be- low. With the pie-eyed- pi- per blow-ing,-



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C7 Dm A7 Dm

Ah -----

while the mus- ea- tel was flow-ing,- All the cats were go, go, go- ing down be- low.



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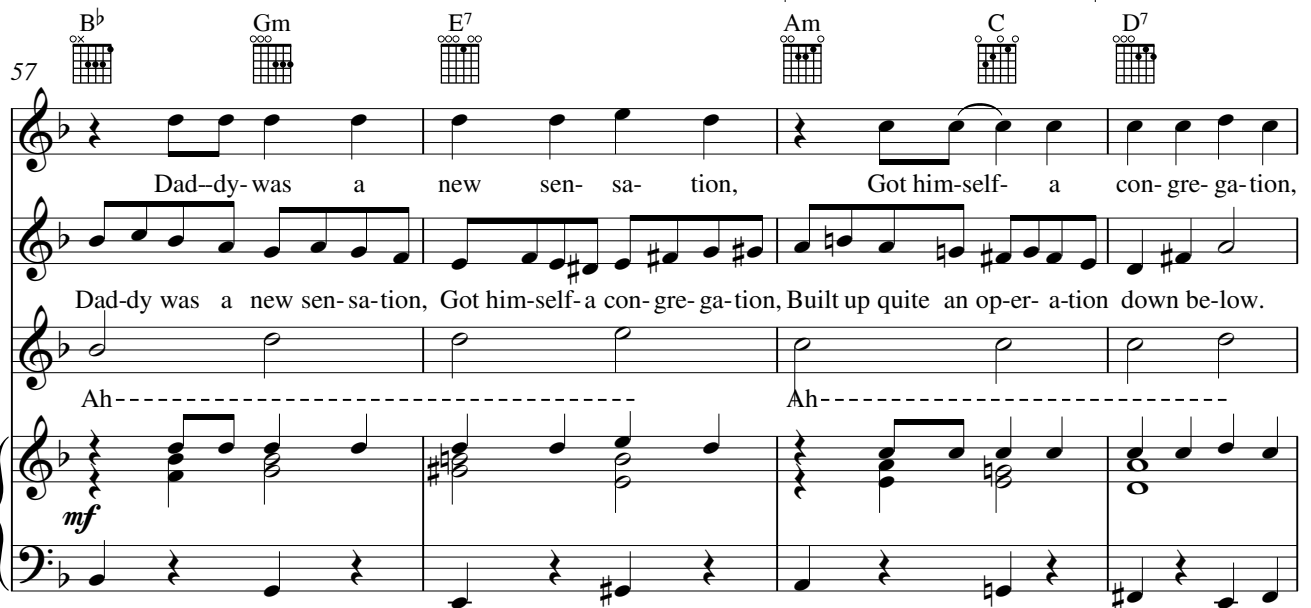
Bb Gm E7 Am C D7

Dad-dy- was a new sen- sa- tion, Got him-self- a con- gre- ga- tion,

Dad-dy was a new sen- sa- tion, Got him-self- a con- gre- ga- tion, Built up quite an op-er- a- tion down be- low.

Ah ----- Ah -----

mf



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Gm C7 Dm A7 Dm

Built up quite an op-er-a-tion down_ be- low.

With the pie-eyed- pi-per blow-ing, while the mus-ca-tel was flow-ing, -All the cats were go, go, go-ing down be-low.

Ah----- Ah-----



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Bb Gm7 E7 Am C D9

With the pie- eyed pip- er blow- ing, while the mus- ea- tel was flow- ing,

Dad- dy was a new sen- sa- tion, Got him- self- a con- gre- ga- tion, Built up quite an op- er- a- tion down be- low.

Ah----- Ah-----



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Gm C9 Dm A7 Dm

All the cats go, go, go- ing down be- low.

With the pie-eyed- pi-per blow-ing while the mus- ea- tel was flow-ing, -All the cats were go, go, go-ing down be-low.

Ah----- Ah-----

73

D G Em A7 D

Flip your wings and fly to Dad- dy, Flip your wings and fly to Dad- dy,

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G Em A7 D A7 G A7

Flip your wings and fly to Dad- dy, fly, fly, fly to Dad- dy.

81

D G Em A7 D

Hit the floor and crawl to Dad- dy, Hit the floor and crawl to Dad- dy,

85

D G Em A7 D

Hit the floor and crawl to Dad- dy, Crawl,- crawl,- crawl to Dad- dy.

Yes, The

89

Dm Gm C F

To feel the Rhy- thm Of Life, To feel the pow-er- -ful- beat,

Rhy-thm- Of Life is a pow-er-ful- beat, Puts a tin- -gle- in your fin- gers and a tin- gles in your feet,

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Dm F7 Bb Gm A Dm C

To feel the rhy- thm- in your fin- -gers,- To feel the tin- gles in your feet.

Rhy- thm in your bed- room, rhy- thm in the street, Yes, The Rhy- thm Of Life is a pow- er- ful beat. Yes, The

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Fm B^bm E^b A^b

To feel the Rhy-thm- Of Life, To feel the pow-er- ful beat,
Rhy-thm- Of Life is a pow-er-ful-beat,Puts a tin- gle- in your fin- gers and a tin- gle in your feet,
To feel the Rhy-thm- Of Life, To feel the pow-er- ful beat,

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Fm A^b7 D^b B^bm C B^b C⁷

To feel the rhy- thm in your fin- gers, To feel the tin- -gle- in your
Rhy- thm in your bed- room, rhy- thm in the street, Yes, The Rhy- thm Of Life is a pow- er- ful beat.
To feel the Rhy- thm- Of Life, To feel the Rhy- thm- Of Life,

105

Fm

"feet."
"feet."
Flip your wings and fly to Dad- dy, Take a dive and swim to Dad- dy,-

109

Fm C Fm C Fm C Fm C 11

Dad-dy- we got The Rhy-thm- Of Life, of
Dad-dy- we got The Rhy-thm- Of Life, of
Hit the floor and crawl to Dad--dy,- Dad-dy- we got The Rhy-thm- Of Life, of

ff

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life, of life, of life. Yeah! Yeah! Yeah! Man!
life, of life, of life. Yeah! Yeah! Yeah! Man!
life, of life, of life. Yeah! Yeah! Yeah! Man!

rall.