

LA VIE EN ROSE

(La-Vee-On-Rose)

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Slowly

PIANO *mp*

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand plays a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The tempo is marked 'Slowly' and the dynamics are 'PIANO' and 'mp'.

VERSE

G7-9 C A7-9 Dm G7

I thought that love was just a word They sang a - bout in songs I heard. It took your
Fr. *Des yeux qui font bais-ser les miens, Un rir' qui se perd sur sa bouch', Voi-là le*

mp con la voce

The first line of the verse features a vocal melody with lyrics in English and French. The piano accompaniment is shown below the vocal line. Chord diagrams for G7-9, C, A7-9, Dm, and G7 are provided above the vocal staff. The piano part includes a '7' in the bass line and 'con la voce' in the left hand.

C Gm 3fr. A7 Dm7 G7

kiss - es to re - veal That I was wrong and love is real.
por - trait sans re - touch' De l'hom - me au - quel j'ap - par - tiens.

rit.

The second line of the verse continues the vocal melody and piano accompaniment. Chord diagrams for C, Gm 3fr., A7, Dm7, and G7 are shown above the vocal staff. The piano part includes a '7' in the bass line and 'rit.' (ritardando) in the right hand.

Hold me close and hold me fast, The mag-ic spell you
 Quand il me prend dans ses bras Il me par-le tout

a tempo
mp - mf

cast, This is LA VIE EN ROSE. — When you kiss me heav-en
 bas, Je vois la vie en ro - se. Il me dit des mots d'a -

sighs, And tho' I close my eyes I see LA VIE EN ROSE. —
 mour, Des mots de tous les jours, Et ça m'fait quel-que cho - se.

When you press me to your heart I'm in a world a -
 Il est en - tré dans mon cœur U - ne part de bon -

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C C7 F Fm

part, A world where ros-es bloom; And when you speak An-gels
heur *Dont je con-nais la cause.* *C'est lui pour moi. Moi pour*

C C Eb Dm7 G7-9 *ten.*

sing from a - bove; Ev-'ry day words seem to turn in - to love songs.
lui, dans la vie, Il me l'a dit, l'a ju - ré pour la vi - e.

C Cmaj7 C6

Give your heart and soul to me And life will al-ways
Et dès que je l'a - per - çois A - lors je sens en

Dm7 G7 1. C Ab9 Dm7 G7 2. C Dm7 C

be LA VIE EN ROSE. ROSE.
moi Mon cœur qui bat. bat.

