

What A Wonderful World

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Slowly

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of four systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The piano part features a consistent triplet bass line in the left hand and a more melodic line in the right hand. Chord symbols are placed above the vocal line, and lyrics are written below it. The tempo is marked 'Slowly' and the piano part is marked 'molto legato'.

System 1: Chords: F, Am. Lyrics: I see trees of green,

System 2: Chords: Bb, Am, Gm7, F, A7, Dm. Lyrics: red ros-es too, I see them bloom for me and you, and I

System 3: Chords: Db, Gm7(C bass), C7, F, F+5, Bbmaj7, C7. Lyrics: think to my-self WHAT A WON-DER-FUL WORLD. I see

System 4: Chords: F, Am, Bb, Am, Gm7, F. Lyrics: skies of blue and clouds of white, the bright bles-sed day, the

A7 Dm D^b Gm7(C bass) C7

dark — sac-red night, — and I think — to my-self WHAT A WON-DER-FUL

F B^b F C7

WORLD. — The col-ors of the rain-bow, so

F C7 F

pret-ty in the sky are al- so on the fac-es of peo-ple go-in' by, I see

Dm C(E bass) 3 Dm(F bass) C(G bass) Dm(F bass) F#dim

friends shak-in' hands, — say-in', "How do you do!" They're real-ly say-in'

Gm7 F#dim C7 F Am Bb Am

"I love you," I hear ba - bies cry, I watch them grow

f 3 3 3 3 3 3 (triplets continue)

Gm7 F A7 Dm Db

They'll learn much more than I'll ev-er know and I think to my-self

3 3 3

Gm7(C bass) F Am7-5 D7

WHAT A WON - DER - FUL WORLD. Yes, I

3 3 3

Rubato Slowly

Gm7 C7-9 F Bb6 F

think to my-self WHAT A WON-DER-FUL WORLD.

3 3 3 rit.