

The Ice Cream Tango

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D7 Gm

ELIZ: *(spoken)* Do you know
what I would really like
right now?

3 D7 Gm

(sung) I would like---- some ice cream SARA/
JAMIE: Me

5 D7

too! ELIZ: I would like---- a cone SARA/
JAMIE: Me too! AUSTIN: Me

7 Cm6

too! ELIZ: It would real - ly hit the spot, And make me feel a

9 D7 Gm

lot Like a queen up - on a throne. JAMIE: *(spoken)* What flavor
does your majesty crave?

11 D7 Gm

ELIZ: I would like---- va - nil - la. JAMIE: Me too! AUSTIN: Not

13 D7


me! I'll take choc' - late. SARA: I want peach. JAMIE: *(spoken)* Peach? SARA: *(spoken)* All right, choc'late.


15 Cm⁶


ELIZ: But would -n't it be pleas - ant, Some day when no one's

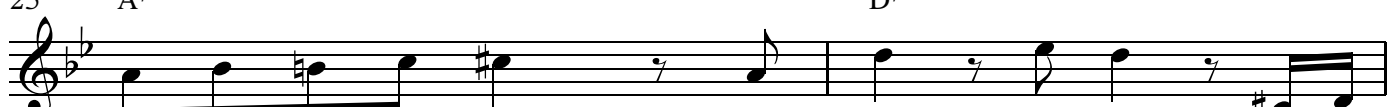
17 D⁷ Gm D⁷


 pres - ent, To or - der one of each! SARA: (*spoken*) In - clu - ding

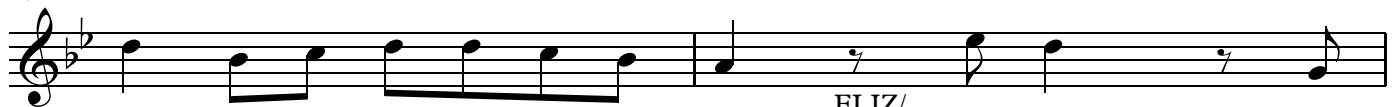
19 G⁷ Cm
rallentando **A Tempo**

 peach! AUSTIN: Would you rath - er have a dish? ELIZ: (*spoken*) A bit too fancy-ish!
 (*Sarah and Jamie stick tongues out at each other*)

21 F⁷ Bb

AUSTIN: Would you like it on a plate? ELIZ: (*spoken*) It's good--but not great!

23 G⁷ Cm

AUSTIN: Would you like it on a stick? SARA/JAMIE: (*spoken*) Ick! AUSTIN: Well,

25 A⁷ D⁷

 how a - bout a cup? O - kay, four cones com - ing
 (*others shake heads*)

27 Gm

 up! I'll go and get the ice cream. JAMIE: Me

29 D⁷

 too, you can't car - ry them a - lone. ELIZ/SARA: He's right! AUSTIN: I

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 know. JAMIE: Two choc' lates, two van - il - las. ELIZ/SARA: Two choc' lates two van -

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il - las. AUSTIN: For no - thing the world has ev - er

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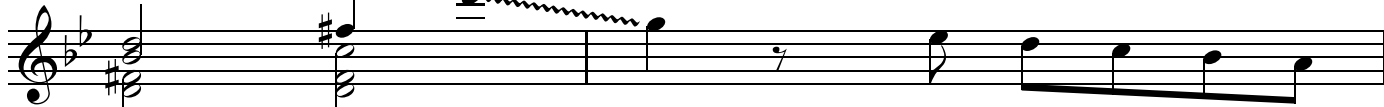
known.
IAMIE: No - thing the world has ev - er known.
ELIZ/ No - thing the world has ev - er
SARA:

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rallentando *(piano tacet)*
 known.
ALL: Can com - pare with an

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A Tempo
 Gm
 ice cream____ ELIZ: cone! AUSTIN/
IAMIE: I want an ice cream

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cone!
ELIZ/ *(spoken)* Me too!
SARA: