

PRACTICAL ARRANGEMENT

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Moderately slow

Bm9 Gmaj7/B Bm9 Gmaj7/B Bm9

Am I

p

Gmaj7 G6

ask - ing for the moon? Is it real - ly so im - plaus - i - ble

Em7 A7sus A7 Dmaj7 F#7sus F#7

That you and I could soon _ come to some kind of ar - range - ment? I'm not

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Bm9



Gmaj7



ask - ing for the moon. I've al - ways been a real - ist, when it's

Em7



G/A



A7



Dmaj7



F#7sus



F#7



real - ly noth - ing more than a sim - ple re - ar - range - ment. With one

Bm



Bm/C#



C#7



F#m



F#m(maj7)



F#m7



roof a - bove our heads, a warm house to re - turn to, we could

Em7



G/A



A7



Dmaj7



F#7sus



F#7



start with sep - rate beds. I could sleep a - lone _ or learn to. I'm not sug -

Bm Dmaj7/A F#/G# G#m7b5 Em9

gest-ing that we find some earth - ly par - a - dise — for - ev - er. I mean, how

Cmaj9 Bm/F# F#7

of - ten does that hap-pen now? The an-swer's prob-'ly nev - er. But we could

Gmaj7 Em9

come to an ar - range-ment, a prac - ti - cal ar - range-ment,

C#m11 F#7#5(b9) Bm7

and you could learn to love me, giv - en time.

Gm7



G7#5(#9)



Cm7



I'm not prom - is - ing the moon, I'm not

A♭maj9



Fm9



B♭7sus



B♭7



prom - is - ing a rain-bow, just a prac - ti - cal so - lu - tion to a

E♭maj7



G7sus



G7



Cm7



sol - i - tar - y life. I'd be a fa - ther to your boy, a

A♭maj9



Fm7



B♭7sus



B♭7



shoul-der you could lean on. How bad could it be

E♭maj7 G7sus G7 Cm7 D7♭9 D7

to be my wife? With one roof a - bove our heads,

Gm Gm(maj7) Gm7 Fm7 B♭9sus B♭9

a warm house to re - turn to, you would-n't have to cook for me,

E♭maj7 G7sus G7 Cm E♭maj7/B♭

you would-n't have to learn to. I'm not sug - gest-ing that this — prop - o - si - tion here

Am7♭5 Fm7 D♭maj9

could last for - ev - er. — I've no in - ten-tion of de-ceiv-ing you;

Cm/G



G



A♭maj7



you're far too clev - er. But we could come to an ar - range - ment,

Fm7(add4)



Dm7b5



G7#5



G7



a prac - ti - cal ar - range - ment, and per - haps you'd learn to love me, giv - en

Fm9



A♭maj7/G



A♭



Cm7/B♭



Am7b5



time. It may not be the ro - mance that you had in

rubato

Fm7



Dm7b5



G7#5



D♭9



Csus2



mind, but you could learn to love me, giv - en time.

rit.