Foreplay/Long Time

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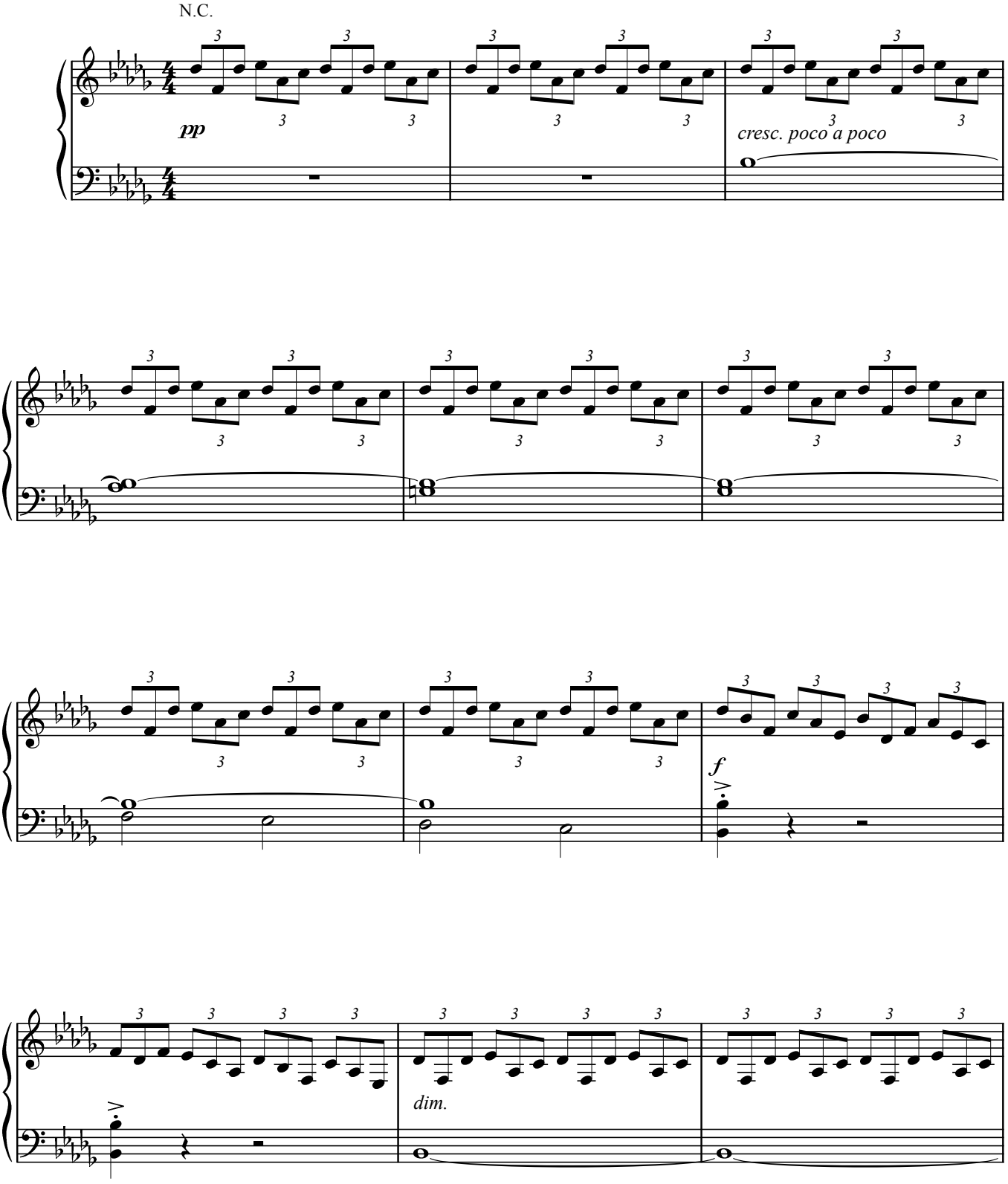
Very fast Rock



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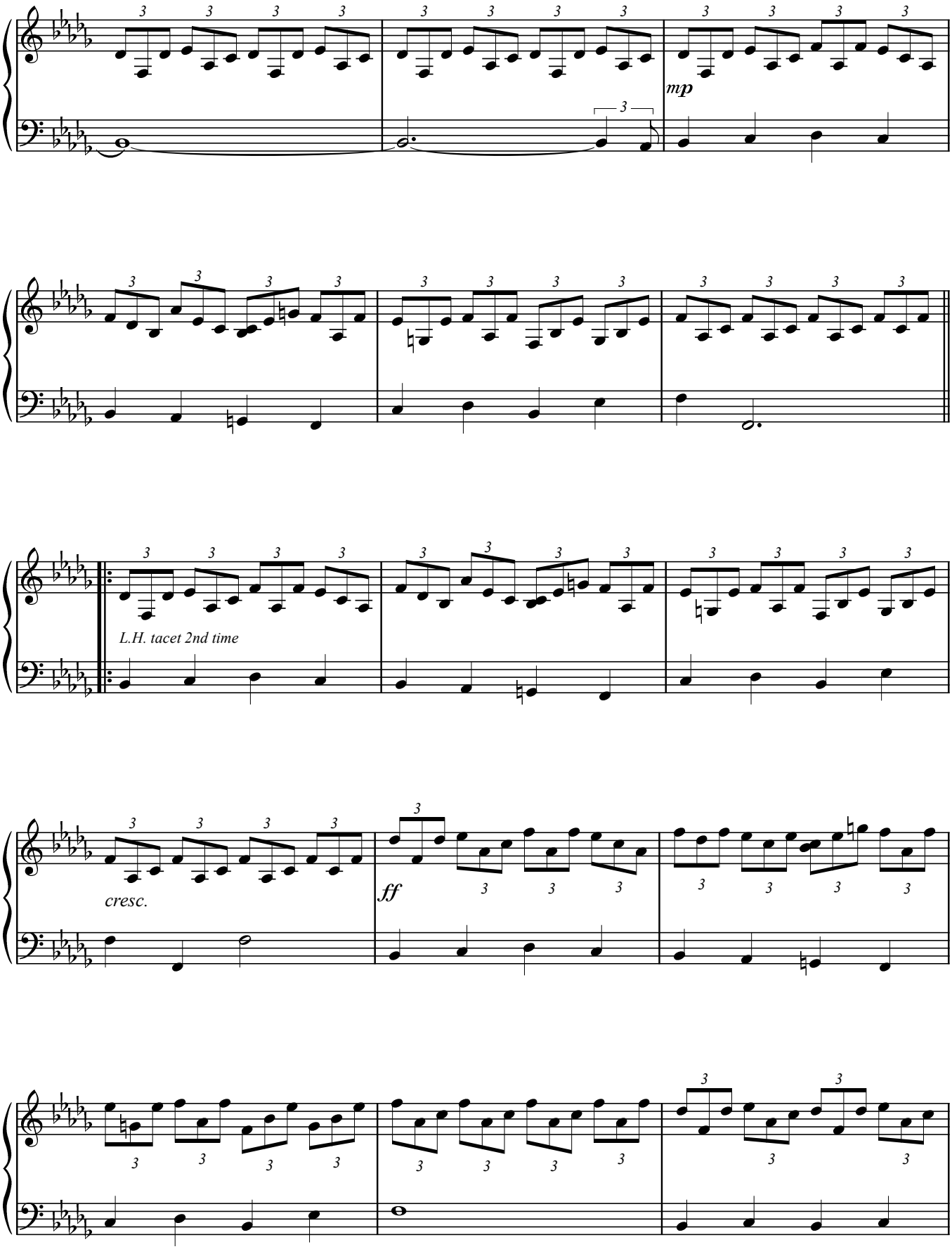
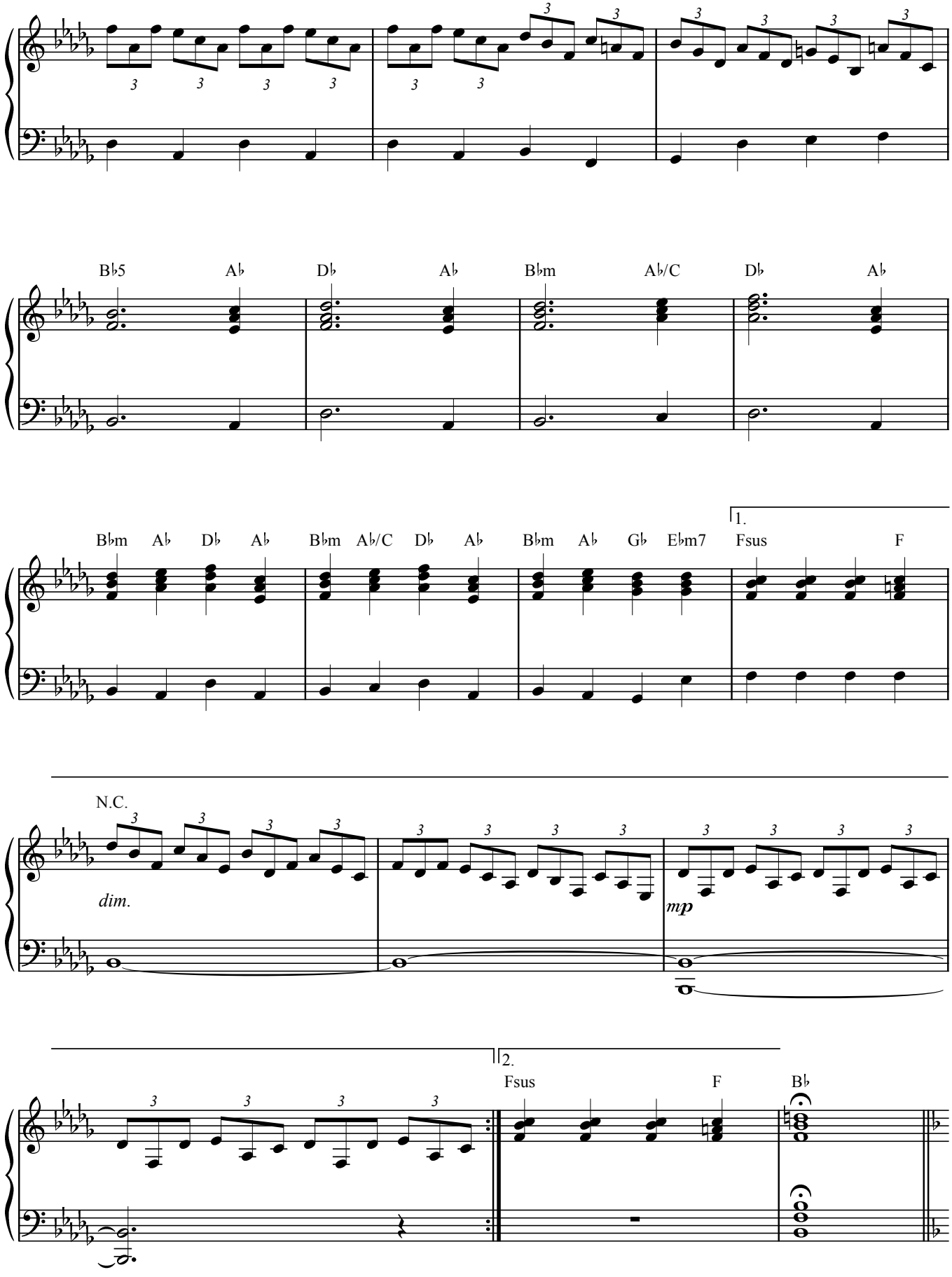

mp
L.H. tacet 2nd time
cresc.
ff


B♭5
A♭
D♭
A♭
B♭m
A♭/C
D♭
A♭
B♭m
A♭
D♭
A♭
B♭m
A♭/C
D♭
A♭
B♭m
A♭
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E♭m7
1.
Fsus
F
N.C.
dim.
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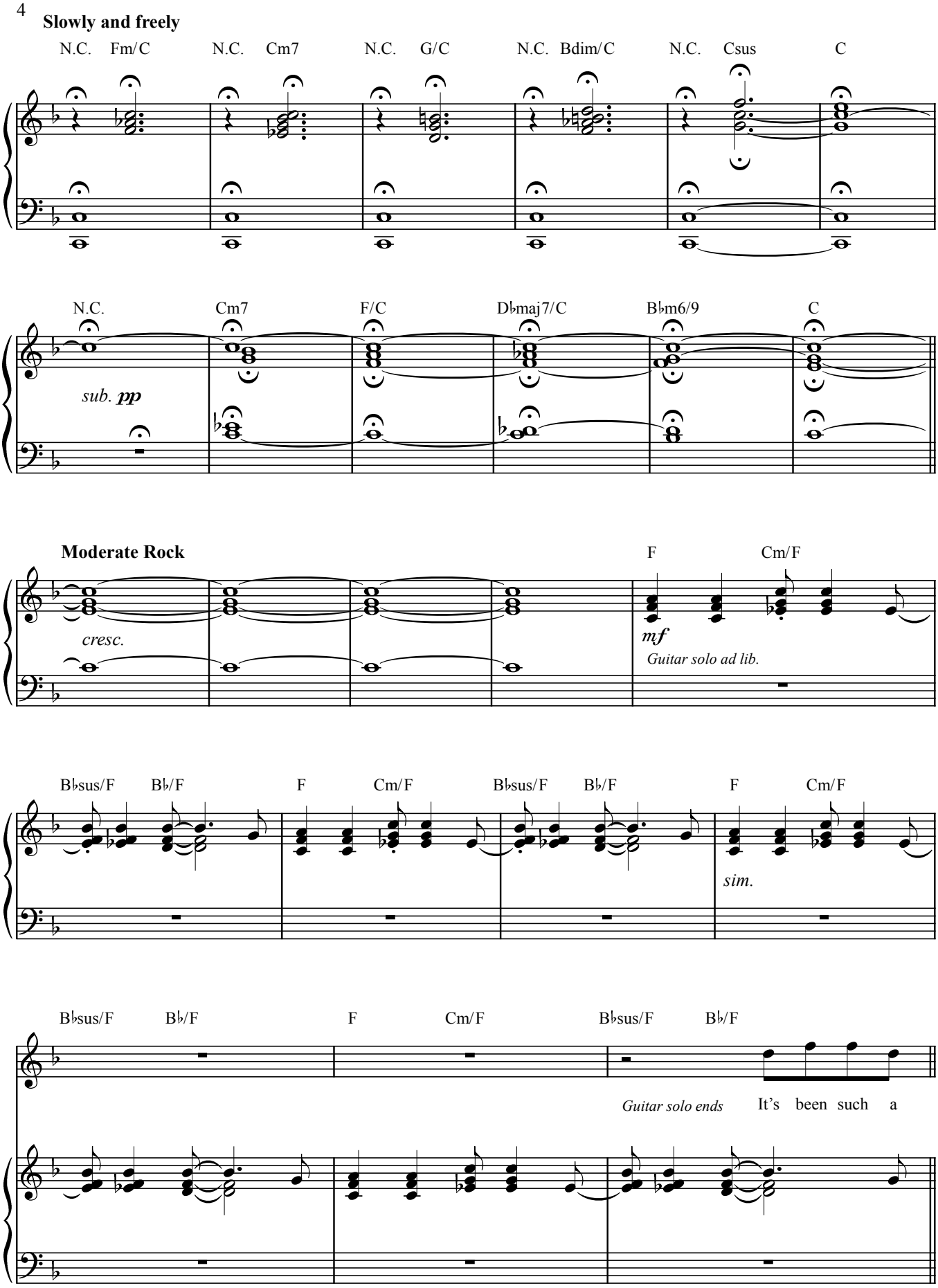
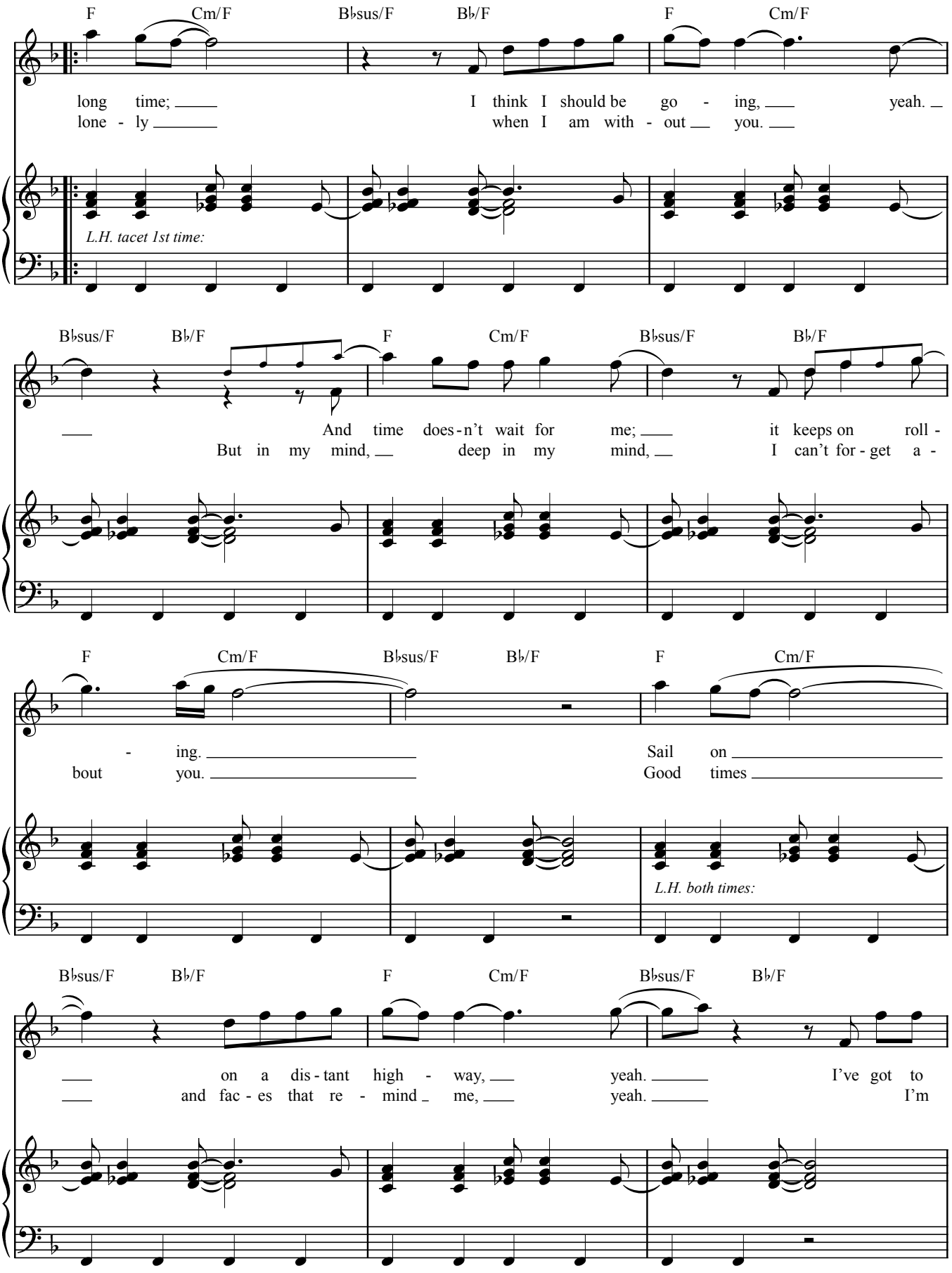
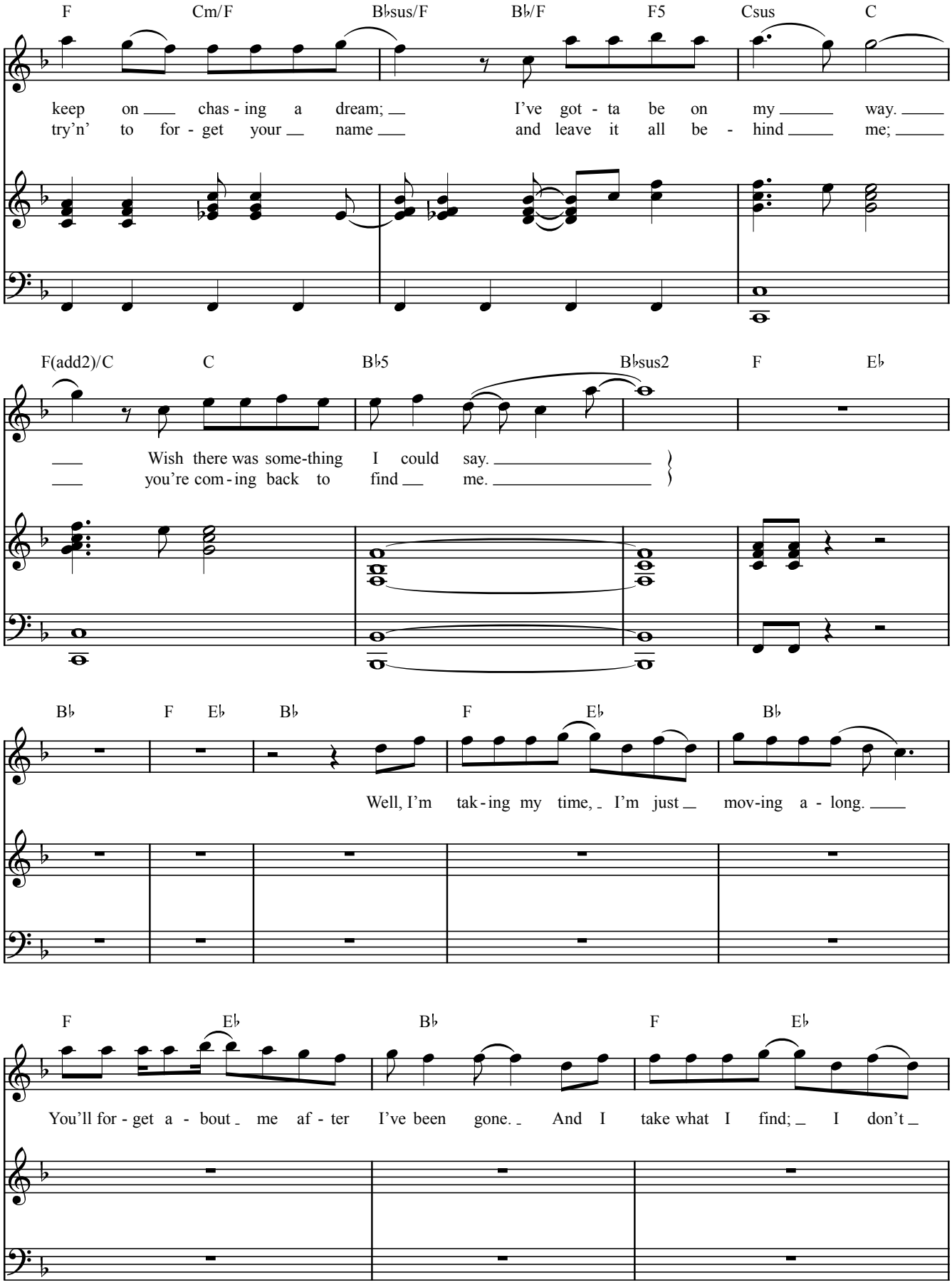
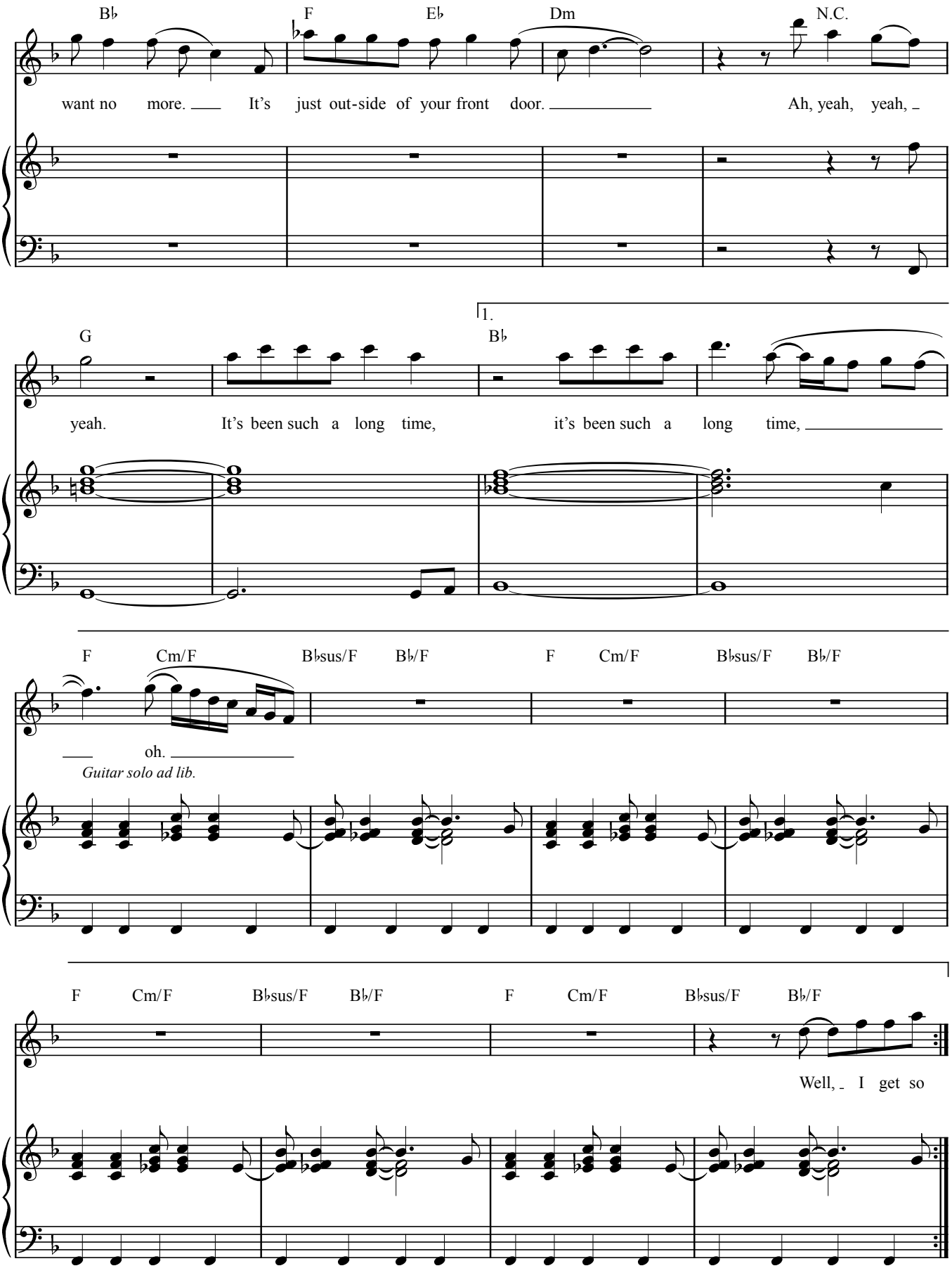
2.
Fsus
F
B♭


Slowly and freely
N.C. Fm/C N.C. Cm7 N.C. G/C N.C. Bdim/C N.C. Csus C
N.C. Cm7 F/C D♭maj7/C B♭m6/9 C
sub. pp
Moderate Rock
cresc.
F Cm/F
mf
Guitar solo ad lib.
B♭sus/F B♭/F F Cm/F B♭sus/F B♭/F F Cm/F
sim.
B♭sus/F B♭/F F Cm/F B♭sus/F B♭/F
Guitar solo ends
It's been such a


F Cm/F B♭sus/F B♭/F F Cm/F
long time; I think I should be go - ing, yeah.
lone - ly when I am with - out you.
L.H. tacet 1st time:
B♭sus/F B♭/F F Cm/F B♭sus/F B♭/F
And time does - n't wait for me; it keeps on roll -
But in my mind, deep in my mind, I can't for - get a -
F Cm/F B♭sus/F B♭/F F Cm/F
- ing. Sail on
bout you. Good times
L.H. both times:
B♭sus/F B♭/F F Cm/F B♭sus/F B♭/F
on a dis - tant high - way, yeah. I've got to
and fac - es that re - mind me, yeah. I'm


F Cm/F B♭sus/F B♭/F F5 Csus C
keep on chas - ing a dream; I've got - ta be on my way.
try'n' to for - get your name and leave it all be - hind me;
F(add2)/C C B♭5 B♭sus2 F E♭
Wish there was some-thing I could say.
you're com - ing back to find me.
B♭ F E♭ B♭ F E♭ B♭
Well, I'm tak - ing my time, I'm just mov-ing a - long.
F E♭ B♭ F E♭
You'll for - get a - bout me af - ter I've been gone. And I take what I find; I don't


B♭
F
E♭
Dm
N.C.
want no more. It's just out-side of your front door. Ah, yeah, yeah,
G
1.
B♭
yeah. It's been such a long time, it's been such a long time,
F
Cm/F
B♭sus/F
B♭/F
F
Cm/F
B♭sus/F
B♭/F
oh.
Guitar solo ad lib.
F
Cm/F
B♭sus/F
B♭/F
F
Cm/F
B♭sus/F
B♭/F
Well, I get so

2.

B♭5 F5 N.C. Cm E♭ B♭

it's been such a long time.

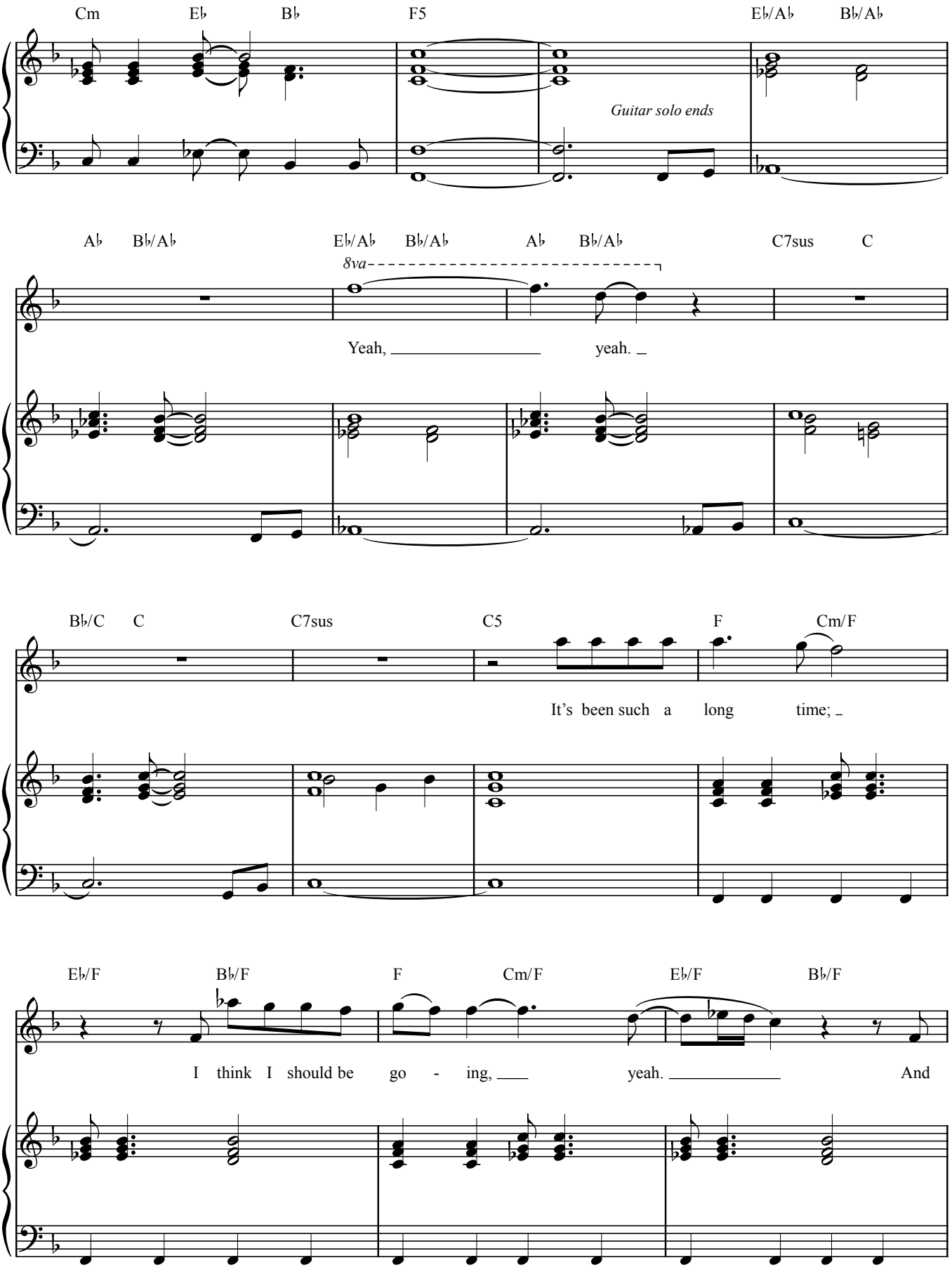
Guitar solo ad lib.

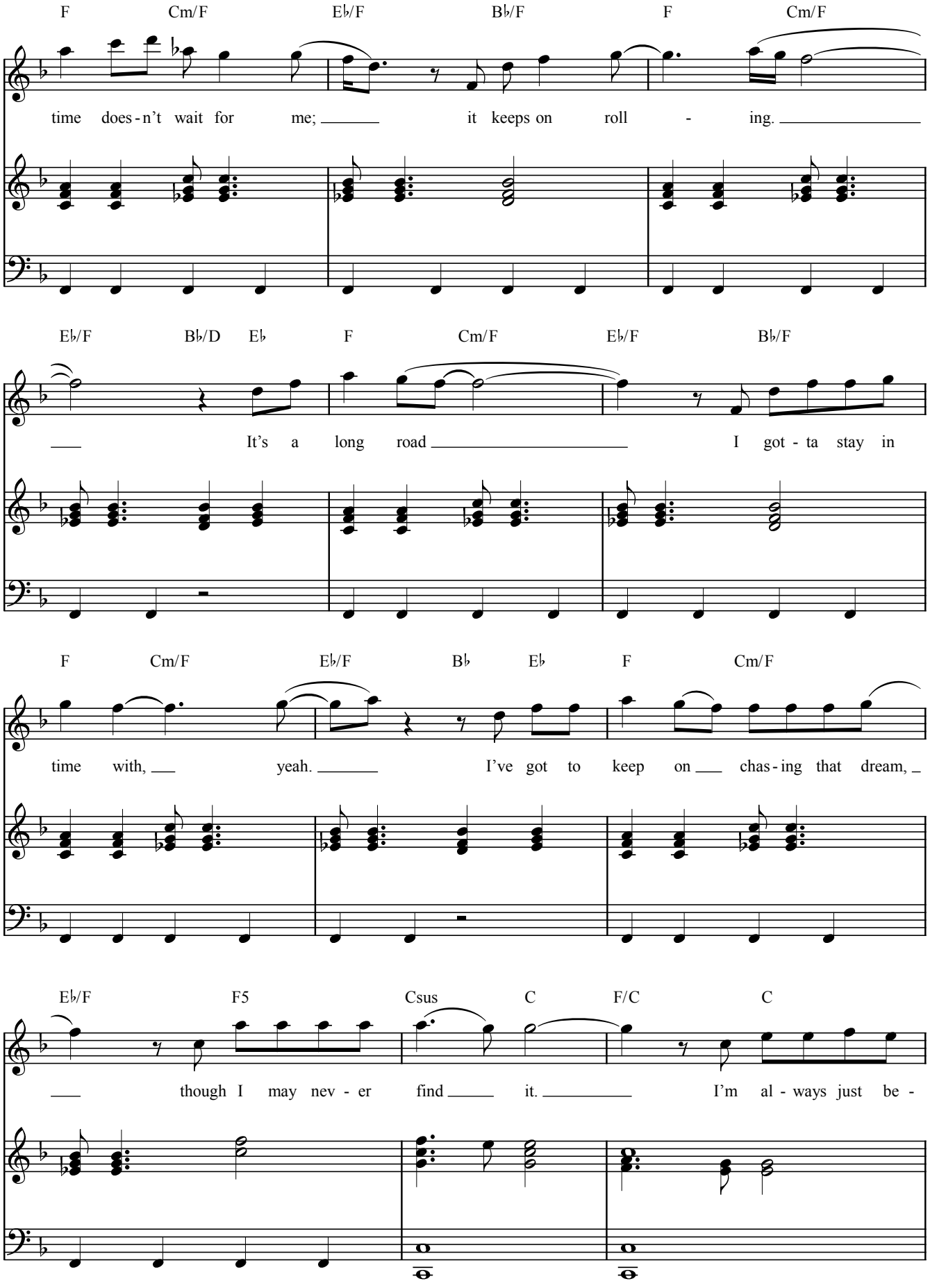
F5 N.C. Cm E♭ B♭ F5

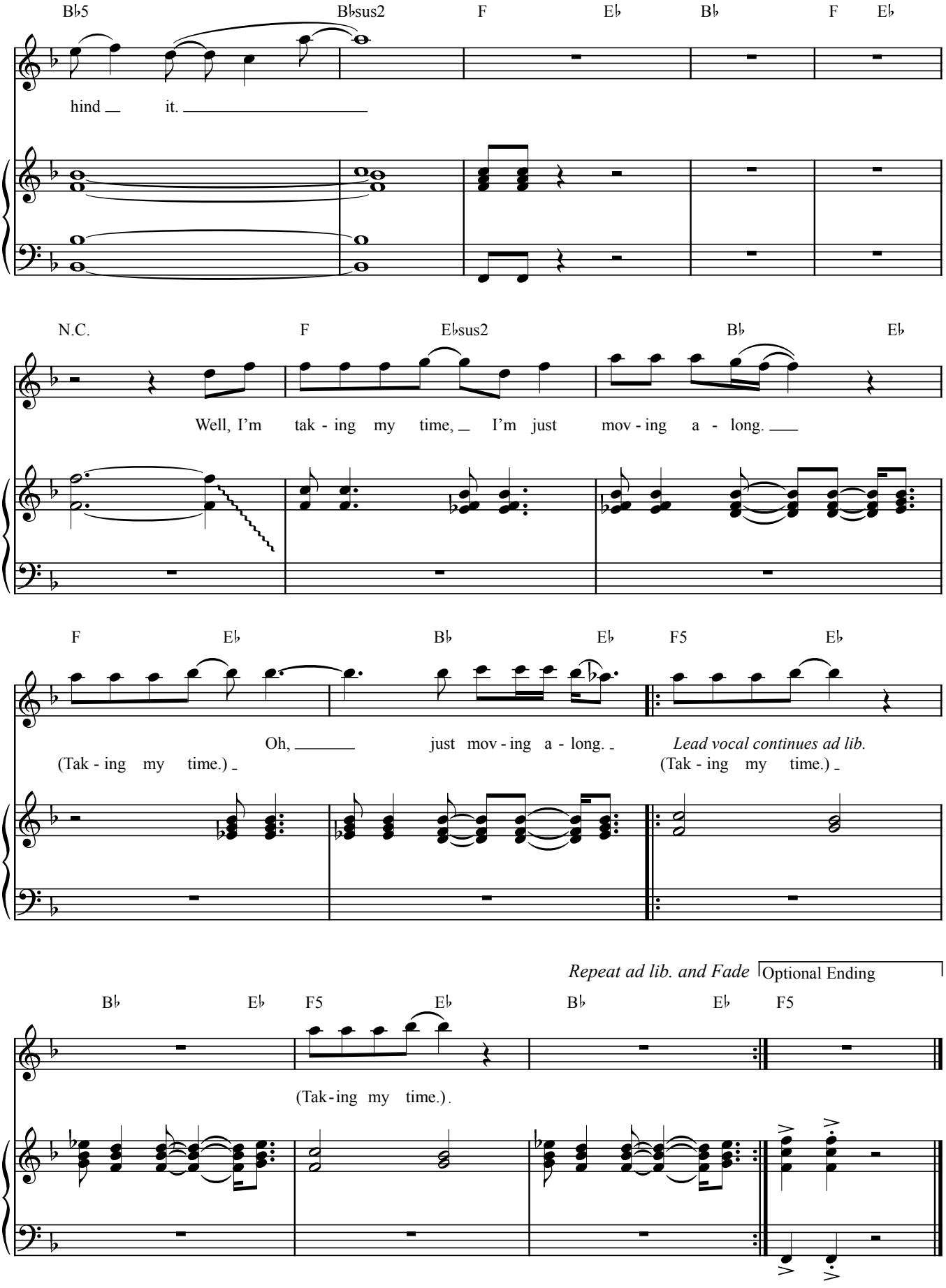
Cm E♭ B♭ F5 Cm E♭/B♭ B♭ F5

Cm E♭ B♭ F5 Cm E♭ B♭ F5

Cm E♭ B♭ F5 Cm E♭ B♭ F5


Cm E♭ B♭ F5 E♭/A♭ B♭/A♭
Guitar solo ends
A♭ B♭/A♭ E♭/A♭ B♭/A♭ A♭ B♭/A♭ C7sus C
8va
Yeah, yeah.
B♭/C C C7sus C5 F Cm/F
It's been such a long time;
E♭/F B♭/F F Cm/F E♭/F B♭/F
I think I should be go - ing, yeah. And


F Cm/F E♭/F B♭/F F Cm/F
time does-n't wait for me; it keeps on roll - ing.
E♭/F B♭/D E♭ F Cm/F E♭/F B♭/F
It's a long road I got - ta stay in
F Cm/F E♭/F B♭ E♭ F Cm/F
time with, yeah. I've got to keep on chas - ing that dream,
E♭/F F5 Csus C F/C C
though I may nev - er find it. I'm al - ways just be -


B♭5
B♭sus2
F
E♭
B♭
F
E♭
hind it.
N.C.
F
E♭sus2
B♭
E♭
Well, I'm tak - ing my time, I'm just mov - ing a - long.
F
E♭
B♭
E♭
F5
E♭
Oh, just mov - ing a - long.
(Tak - ing my time.)
Lead vocal continues ad lib.
(Tak - ing my time.)
Repeat ad lib. and Fade
Optional Ending
B♭
E♭
F5
E♭
B♭
E♭
F5
(Tak - ing my time.)