

# GIVE ME THE SIMPLE LIFE

for 2-part voices and piano  
with optional SoundPax and SoundTrax CD\*

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Light swing (♩ = ca. 120)

PART I

PART II

PIANO

Light swing (♩ = ca. 120)

F#m<sup>7</sup>(b5) Fm<sup>6</sup> C<sup>6</sup>/E Am<sup>7</sup> Dm<sup>7</sup> G C

*mf*

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5 *mf*

I don't be-lieve in fret-tin' and griev-in';

*mf*

I don't be-lieve in fret-tin' and griev-in';

C#o7 Dm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>9</sup> CM<sup>9</sup> A<sup>7</sup>

\* Also available for S.A.T.B. (25125) and S.A.B. (25126).

SoundTrax CD available (25129). SoundPax available (25130) – includes score and set of parts for Tenor Sax, Trumpet, Trombone, Guitar, Bass, and Drums.

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why mess a - round with strife. — I nev - er was cut out

why mess a - round with strife. — I nev - er was cut out

Dm<sup>7</sup> E<sup>7</sup> Am<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup>/G Gm F<sup>#</sup>m<sup>7</sup>(b<sup>5</sup>) Fm<sup>6</sup>

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to step and strut out. Give me the sim - ple life! —

to step and strut out. Give me the sim - ple life! —

C/E Am<sup>7</sup> Dm<sup>7</sup> A<sup>7</sup> Dm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup> C<sup>#</sup>dim<sup>7</sup>

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Some find it pleas - ant din - ing on pheas - ant.

Some find it pleas - ant din - ing on pheas - ant.

Dm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>9</sup> CM<sup>9</sup> A<sup>7</sup>