

as performed by ACCENT
THIS WILL BE
(An Everlasting Love)
 for S.S.A.T.B.B. voices, a cappella*

Performance time: approx. 2:00

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Funky shuffle (♩. = ca. 120-126)

SOPRANO I

SOPRANO II

ALTO

TENOR

BARITONE

BASS

mf

Woah oh

Oh

Dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

* Visit *alfred.com* for digital scores and audio.

Optional Body Percussion Instructions

Measures 1-21: Handclaps on beats 2 and 4

Measures 22-29: Snaps on beats 2 and 4

Measures 30-35: Handclaps on beats 2 and 4

Measures 36-42: Snaps on beat 4

Measure 43: Snaps on beats 2 and 4

Measures 44-first half of measure 58: Handclaps on beats 2 and 4

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mf

Oh _____ ah. _____

oh _____ ah. _____

oh _____ ah. _____

oh _____ ah. _____

oh _____ ah. _____

oh _____ ah. _____

d' dm dm dm dm woah _____ ah oh. _____ Dm dm

6

This will be _____ an ev - er - last - ing love. _____

This will be _____

This will be. _____

This will be _____ an ev - er - last - ing love. _____

This will be. _____

dm dah dm dah dah dm dm dm beh dm

This ___ will be the one I've wait - ed for. ___

This ___ will be. ___

___ This ___ will be, ___ for. ___

Be ___ the one I've wait - ed for. ___

___ Be, ___ for. ___

dm bah dm dm dm dm dm dm

This will be, has loved me, _

This will be, has loved me, _

___ This will be ___ the first time an - y - one has loved me, _

___ This will be, loved me, _

___ This will be, loved me, _

dm dah duh d' d' d' dm dm d' duh dm dm _

12

oh _____ ah. _____

oh _____ ah. _____

oh _____ ah. _____

oh _____ ah. _____

oh _____ ah. _____

oh _____ ah. _____

dm dm dm _____ dah doo oh _____ ah. _____

14

I'm so glad you found me in time, _____

I'm so glad _____

I'm so glad, _____

I'm so glad _____ you found me in time, _____

I'm so glad, _____

Dm dah dm dah dah dm dm dm dm beh dm

n'I'm ___ so glad that you rec - ti - fied ___ my mind. ___

n'I'm ___ so, oh ___ oh, ___ you rec - ti - fied ___ my mind. ___

___ n'I'm ___ so, oh. ___

oh. ___

oh. ___

dm beh dm dm dm bah dm beh

___ This ___ will be, love for ___

___ This ___ will be, love ___ for ___

___ This ___ will be an ev - er - last - ing love for ___

___ This ___ will be, for ___

___ This ___ will be, for ___

dm beh deh dm deh dm dm, love for ___

20

me, oh ah.

me, oh ah.

me, oh ah.

me, oh ah.

me, oh ah.

me, oh ah.

22

Lov - ing you is some kind of won-der - ful,

dm bah dm dah dm dah dm dm dah

mp

Oo mp

Oo mp

Oo

be-cause _ you showed me just _ how much you care. _

mp

Oo

dm dah dm dah dm dm dm bah deh

oh

oh

oh

You've giv - en me the thrill of a life - time and

oh

'm dm dm dm dm dm dm

28

cresc.

nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah

dah. _____

cresc.

nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah

dah. _____

cresc.

nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah

dah. _____

made me be - lieve _____ you've got more thrills to spare, girl!

cresc.

nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah

dah. _____

dm nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah dm dm dm dm.

30

mf

This will be, _____

mf

This will be, _____

mf

This will be, _____

mf

This will be _____ an ev - er - last - ing

mf

— This will be, _____

Dm

beh dm

deh 'n dm

dm

dm geh 'm

dah nah nah nah dah nah nah nah dah nah nah
 dah nah nah nah dah nah nah nah dah nah nah
 love! Oh
 dah nah nah nah dah nah nah nah dah nah nah
 dm buh deh 'm dah dm dm dm dm

dah dah dah dah
 dah dah dah dah
 dah nah nah nah nah nah
 dah nah nah nah nah nah
 dah nah nah nah nah nah
 dah nah nah nah nah nah
 dm buh deh 'm dm dm oh

36

You've brought a lot___ of sun - shine in - to___ my life.
sung quite smooth with "n" as gentle note separation
mp

mp
 Nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah oh

mp
 Nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah

mp
 You've brought a lot___ of sun - shine in - to___ my life

mp
 Nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah

mp
 Dm nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah dm dm dah

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You've filled me with hap - pi - ness___ I nev - er knew.____

mp
 nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah

mp
 nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah

mp
 You've filled me with hap - pi - ness___ I nev - er knew.____

mp
 nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah

mp
 dm nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah bah dah dah 'm

You gave me more joy — than I ev - er dreamed of, —

nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah

nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah

You gave me more joy — than I ev - er dreamed of, — and

nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah

dm nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah bah dn deh dn dah

nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah dah.

cresc. nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah dah.

cresc. nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah dah.

no one, — no one — can take the place of you, girl!

cresc. nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah dah.

dm nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah nah dm dm dm dm.

44

This will be. _____

mf This will be. _____

mf This will be. _____

This will be. _____

mf This will be _____ you and me. _____

This will be. _____

Dm beh *dm* deh *n* *dm* *dm* beh 'n

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Yes, ___ sir - ree. _____

Yes, ___ sir - ree. _____

Yes, ___ sir - ree. _____

Yes, ___ sir - ree, _____ e - ter - nal - ly. _____

Yes, ___ sir - ree. _____

dm doo *dn* deh *dm* deh 'n *dm* *dm* *dm* *dm*

This will be. _____

This will be. _____

This will be. _____

This will be. _____ you and me

This will be. _____

dm beh dm doo am doo dn dih dah dm deh dm deh

Yes, sir - ree. _____

Yes, sir - ree. _____

Yes, sir - ree. _____

Yes, sir - ree, e - ter - nal - ly. _____

Yes, sir - ree. _____

dm doo dn deh dm deh 'n dm dm dm dm.

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This will be. _____

This will be. _____

This will be. _____

8 This will be. _____ You fill me with such hap -

This will be _____

Dm dm deh dm dm dm _____ am dih dm _____ dih duh

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Yes, _____ sir - ree. _____

Yes, _____ sir - ree. _____

Yes, _____ sir - ree. _____

8 - pi - ness _____ that I nev - er knew. _

Yes, _____ sir - ree. _____

dm doo dn dah dm dm dm _____ dih dn dm _____ dm.

This will be _____

This will be _____

This will be _____

8 — This will be, _____ yes, you and me, _____

This will be _____

This will be, dm dm — dm dm dm dah

ev - er - last - ing love. _____

ev - er - last - ing love. _____

ev - er - last - ing love. _____

8 (eh) ev - er - last - ing love. _____

(eh) ev - er - last - ing love. _____

dm, ev - er - last - ing love. _____