

I'M A NURSE FOR ACHING HEARTS^{he}

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Hello, Frisco! 60

(I Called You Up to Say, "Hello"!)

Hold Me in Your Loving Arms 60

I'll Be a Santa Claus to You 60

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Allegro moderato (Dance)

The piano introduction consists of three systems of music. The first system begins with a treble clef, a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and a 6/8 time signature. It features a melody in the right hand with triplets and a bass line in the left hand. The second system continues the melody and bass line. The third system concludes the introduction with a 'poco rit.' (poco ritardando) marking and a final cadence in 2/4 time.

Allegretto

The vocal and piano accompaniment section consists of two systems. The first system includes the lyrics: "I'm sym-pa-the-tic, I con-fess, Ver-y much so, in fact;". The second system includes the lyrics: "I should have gone to war I guess, I would know how to act." The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and a treble line with chords and melodic fragments. The tempo is marked *Allegretto*.

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My one de-light is to help and care, Do what is right and your trou-bles share;

I find it heaps of fun, car-ing for ev-'ry-one, I'll tell you what I am!

CHORUS

I am a nurse, you can see, And hearts are

my spe - cial - ty; If your af - fec-tions are bo - th'ring

you, Fol - low di - rec - tions, I'll pull you through.

When doc - tors all dis - a - gree, Then you can just send for

me; I feel quite sure, Your case I can

cure, For I'm a nurse for bro - ken hearts.

Ad lib. (MEN) We've just dis - cov - ered that we are ill, Won't you at - tend to us, Say you will! I (NURSE)

hear what you say and I'll do my best, I'll try to grant your re - quest.

poco accel. *a tempo* *D.S. al Fine (Chorus)*