

VALEDICTION

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Ballad ♩ = 50

The musical score is arranged in a standard orchestral layout. It includes:

- Vocal Parts:** Three vocal staves labeled I (C), II (C), and III (C). Each staff contains a melodic line with lyrics. The lyrics are: "FOR PREVIEW ONLY REPRODUCTION PROHIBITED".
- Piano:** A grand staff with treble and bass clefs. The right hand plays chords and melodic fragments, while the left hand provides harmonic support.
- Bass:** A single bass staff with a bass clef, playing a steady bass line.
- Drums:** A single drum staff with a double bar line and a 4/4 time signature. It features a pattern of brushes and a cymbal (Cl.).
- Chord Progression:** A series of chords are written above the piano and bass staves: F#13(#5), Eø11, B-13(b5), G13(sus4), G13(#11), F#ø11, Fø11, Bb7alt., A-11(b6), AbΔ9, G-13, and GbΔ9(#11).
- Tempo and Meter:** The tempo is marked "Ballad ♩ = 50" and the meter is 4/4.
- Rehearsal Marks:** The score is divided into six measures, numbered 1 through 6 at the bottom.

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I

II

III

More Active

F#13(#5) Eø11 B-13(b5) G13(sus4) G13(#11) F#ø11 Fø11 Bb7alt. A-11(b6) AbΔ9 G-13 GbΔ9(#11) Cø11 BΔ7(sus4)

Pno.

F#13(#5) More Active Eø11 B-13(b5) G13(sus4) G13(#11) F#ø11 Fø11 Bb7alt. A-11(b6) AbΔ9 G-13 GbΔ9(#11) Cø11 BΔ7(sus4)

Bs.

More Active

7 8 9 10 11 12 13

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I

II

III

AΔ/Bb GΔ/Ab F(sus4)/Gb Eb(sus4)/E C-/D D7alt. C#13(sus4) EΔ7(Δ4) Ebø7 C#ø9 F#7alt. A-11(b6) AbΔ9 G-13 GbΔ9(#11)

Pno.

AΔ/Bb GΔ/Ab GbΔ7(#4) EΔ7(#4) D7(b9sus4) D7alt. C#13(sus4) EΔ7(Δ4) Ebø7 C#ø9 F#7alt. A-11(b6) AbΔ9 G-13 GbΔ9(#11)

Bs.

Tbn. 3 Bs. 3

14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21

Fine