

# life's too short, 051207

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alto solo  
tenor  
bass  
clarinet  
kbd 1  
kbd 2  
guitar  
bass guitar

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15

9 this is life 10 is life 11 life 12 this is life 13 life

9 you can do anything you set your mind to, if you can't set your mind to it, you can't do it 10 if you have Alzheimer's or a tumor, you can't do it 11 but you can do anything 12 you want if you set your mind to it, pass this on 13 and there 14 will be 15 no - thing

a  
t  
b  
cl  
k  
gr  
bg

16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

17 this is life 18 is life 19 life 20 this is life 21 this is life 22 this is life 23 this is life 24 this is life 25 this is life 26 this is life 27 this is life 28 this is life

17 new in 18 and there 19 will be 20 no - thing 21 new in 22 a - gain and a - gain 23 you will have to 24 live a - gain and a - gain 25 you will have to 26 live a - gain and a - gain 27 you will have to 28 live a - gain and a - gain

17 you will have to 18 live 19 you will have to 20 live 21 you will have to 22 live 23 as you live it 24 as you live it 25 as you live it 26 and have lived it 27 and have lived it 28 as you

a and there <sup>30</sup>will be <sup>31</sup>no - thing <sup>32</sup>new in <sup>33</sup>it <sup>34</sup> <sup>35</sup> <sup>36</sup> <sup>37</sup> <sup>38</sup> <sup>39</sup> <sup>40</sup> <sup>41</sup> <sup>42</sup> <sup>43</sup>  
 t you will have to <sup>30</sup>live <sup>31</sup> <sup>32</sup> <sup>33</sup> <sup>34</sup> <sup>35</sup> <sup>36</sup> <sup>37</sup>to those people who <sup>38</sup>made a difference in <sup>39</sup>your life <sup>40</sup>you can do anything <sup>41</sup>you want, whether god <sup>42</sup>likes it or not <sup>43</sup>you can tell GOD what to do  
 b live it as you live it <sup>30</sup>as you live it <sup>31</sup>and have lived it and have <sup>34</sup>lived it <sup>33</sup> <sup>34</sup> <sup>35</sup> <sup>36</sup> <sup>37</sup> <sup>38</sup> <sup>39</sup> <sup>40</sup> <sup>41</sup> <sup>42</sup> <sup>43</sup>  
 cl <sup>29</sup> <sup>30</sup> <sup>31</sup> <sup>32</sup> <sup>33</sup> <sup>34</sup> <sup>35</sup> <sup>36</sup> <sup>37</sup> <sup>38</sup> <sup>39</sup> <sup>40</sup> <sup>41</sup> <sup>42</sup> <sup>43</sup>  
 k <sup>29</sup> <sup>30</sup> <sup>31</sup> <sup>32</sup> <sup>33</sup> <sup>34</sup> <sup>35</sup> <sup>36</sup> <sup>37</sup> <sup>38</sup> <sup>39</sup> <sup>40</sup> <sup>41</sup> <sup>42</sup> <sup>43</sup>  
 gr <sup>29</sup> <sup>30</sup> <sup>31</sup> <sup>32</sup> <sup>33</sup> <sup>34</sup> <sup>35</sup> <sup>36</sup> <sup>37</sup> <sup>38</sup> <sup>39</sup> <sup>40</sup> <sup>41</sup> <sup>42</sup> <sup>43</sup>  
 bg <sup>29</sup> <sup>30</sup> <sup>31</sup> <sup>32</sup> <sup>33</sup> <sup>34</sup> <sup>35</sup> <sup>36</sup> <sup>37</sup> <sup>38</sup> <sup>39</sup> <sup>40</sup> <sup>41</sup> <sup>42</sup> <sup>43</sup>

a <sup>44</sup> <sup>45</sup> <sup>46</sup> <sup>47</sup> <sup>48</sup> your <sup>49</sup>life <sup>50</sup> <sup>51</sup> <sup>52</sup> <sup>53</sup>god <sup>54</sup> <sup>55</sup> <sup>56</sup> wills <sup>57</sup>it <sup>58</sup> <sup>59</sup>  
 t <sup>44</sup> <sup>45</sup> <sup>46</sup> <sup>47</sup> <sup>48</sup> <sup>49</sup> <sup>50</sup> <sup>51</sup> <sup>52</sup> <sup>53</sup> <sup>54</sup> <sup>55</sup> <sup>56</sup> <sup>57</sup> <sup>58</sup> <sup>59</sup>  
 b <sup>44</sup> <sup>45</sup> <sup>46</sup> <sup>47</sup> <sup>48</sup> <sup>49</sup> <sup>50</sup> <sup>51</sup> <sup>52</sup> <sup>53</sup>god likes <sup>54</sup>it <sup>55</sup>god likes <sup>56</sup>it <sup>57</sup>god likes <sup>58</sup>it <sup>59</sup>god likes  
 cl <sup>44</sup> <sup>45</sup> <sup>46</sup> <sup>47</sup> <sup>48</sup> <sup>49</sup> <sup>50</sup> <sup>51</sup> <sup>52</sup> <sup>53</sup> <sup>54</sup> <sup>55</sup> <sup>56</sup> <sup>57</sup> <sup>58</sup> <sup>59</sup>  
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 gr <sup>44</sup> <sup>45</sup> <sup>46</sup> <sup>47</sup> <sup>48</sup> <sup>49</sup> <sup>50</sup> <sup>51</sup> <sup>52</sup> <sup>53</sup> <sup>54</sup> <sup>55</sup> <sup>56</sup> <sup>57</sup> <sup>58</sup> <sup>59</sup>  
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Sheet music for measures 60-75. Instruments: a (alto sax), t (trumpet), b (baritone sax), cl (clarinet), k (keyboards), gr (guitar), bg (bass).

Lyrics for Alto Sax (a):  
61 in 62 63 your 64 life 65 66 67 68 69 god 70 71 72 wills 73 it 74 75

Lyrics for Trumpet (t):  
61 love 62 63 or 64 die 65 66 67 68 69 god likes 70 it 71 god likes 72 it 73 god likes 74 it 75 god likes

Lyrics for Baritone Sax (b):  
61 it 62 god likes 63 it 64 god likes 65 it 66 god likes 67 it 68 god likes 69 it 70 god 71 god 72 wills 73 it 74 god 75 god likes

Lyrics for Clarinet (cl):  
61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75

Lyrics for Keyboards (k):  
61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75

Lyrics for Guitar (gr):  
61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75

Lyrics for Bass (bg):  
61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75

Sheet music for measures 76-88. Instruments: a (alto sax), t (trumpet), b (baritone sax), cl (clarinet), k (keyboards), gr (guitar), bg (bass).

Lyrics for Alto Sax (a):  
77 love 78 79 or 80 die 81 82 83 84 85 god 86 87 88 likes

Lyrics for Trumpet (t):  
77 it 78 get down on it get 79 down on it get down 80 on it get down on 81 it get down on it 82 get down on it 83 get down on it get 84 down on it get down 85 god 86 likes 87 88 likes

Lyrics for Baritone Sax (b):  
76 77 get down on it get 78 down on it get down 79 on it get down on 80 it get down on it 81 get down on it 82 get down on it 83 get down on it get 84 down on it get down 85 on it get down on 86 it get down on it 87 get down on it 88 get down on it

Lyrics for Clarinet (cl):  
77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88

Lyrics for Keyboards (k):  
77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88

Lyrics for Guitar (gr):  
77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88

Lyrics for Bass (bg):  
77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88

a   
 t   
 b   
 cl   
 k   
 gr   
 bg

89 it 90 it 91 it 92 it 93 i love god, whether he's muslim, christian or jew, or terrorist or Satanist 94 man or woman, total and unconditional love 95 nothing less is acceptable, love or die unloved 96 so give it your all, scream with ecstasy 97 98 99 100

89 get down on it 90 get down on it 91 get down on it 92 get down on it 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100

a   
 t   
 b   
 cl   
 k   
 gr   
 bg

101 102 103 104 105 106 107 108 109 110 111 112 113

101 102 you have a choice, love or die 103 so get down on it 104 105 106 107 108 109 110 111 112 113

101 102 103 104 105 106 107 108 109 110 111 112 113

115 116 117 118 119 120 121 122 123 124 125 126

a  
t  
b

14 115 116 117 118 119 120 121 122 123 124 125 126

cl  
k

14 115 116 117 118 119 120 121 122 123 124 125 126

gtr  
bg

114 115 116 117 118 119 120 121 122 123 124 125 126

128 129 130 131 132 133 134 135 136 137 138

a  
t  
b

127 128 129 130 131 132 133 134 135 136 137 138

cl  
k

127 128 129 130 131 132 133 134 135 136 137 138

gtr  
bg

127 128 129 130 131 132 133 134 135 136 137 138

a  
 t  
 b  
 cl  
 k  
 gr  
 bg

140 141 142 143 144 145 146 147 148 149 150  
 life's too short, and you're shorter than life life's too short to remember how to be who you are i havent heard from you? have you heard from you?  
 eve - ry pain joy

a  
 t  
 b  
 cl  
 k  
 gr  
 bg

151 152 153 154 155 156 157 158 159  
 eve - ry sigh life's too short life's too short life's too short  
 eve - ry thought life's too short but eve-ry pain and eve-ry joy and eve-ry thought and eve-ry sigh but eve-ry pain and eve-ry joy and eve-ry

a 
  
 t 
  
 b 
  
 cl 
  
 k 
  
 gr 
  
 bg 

a 
  
 t 
  
 b 
  
 cl 
  
 k 
  
 gr 
  
 bg 

just look into your heart, the answers were engraved there  
 before you were born

a  
 t  
 b  
 cl  
 k  
 gr  
 bg

180 181 182 183 184 185 186 187 188 189 190  
 life's either too short to be with the one you don't love or life's too short to be alone

a  
 t  
 b  
 cl  
 k  
 gr  
 bg

192 193 194 195 196 197 as this spi-der 198 199 as this spi-der 200 201 as  
 192 193 194 195 196 197 and this move - ment 198 a - mong the trees 199 and this same way 200 and this mo - ment 201  
 191 192 193 and this move - ment 194 a - mong the trees 195 and this same way 196 and this mo - ment 197 198 199 200 201

a this \_\_\_\_\_ spi - - - der \_\_\_\_\_  
 t \_\_\_\_\_  
 b \_\_\_\_\_  
 cl \_\_\_\_\_  
 k \_\_\_\_\_  
 gr \_\_\_\_\_  
 bg \_\_\_\_\_

202 203 204 205 206 207 208 209 210 211 212  
 the e - ter - nal flour - glass of ex - is tence will be turned a - gain and

a and in the same way as this spi-der  
 t \_\_\_\_\_  
 b \_\_\_\_\_  
 cl \_\_\_\_\_  
 k \_\_\_\_\_  
 gr \_\_\_\_\_  
 bg \_\_\_\_\_

213 214 215 216 217 218 219 220 221  
 and you with it dust to dust and you with it dust to dust and this moon - light a - mong the trees and this moon - light a - mong the trees this same way this

a   
 t   
 b   
 cl   
 k   
 gr   
 bg

eve-ry thought and eve-ry sigh but eve-ry pain and eve-ry joy and eve-ry thought and eve-ry sigh god likes it mo - ment and my this same way this mo - ment and my self wills it

222 223 224 225 226 227 228 229 230 231 232 233

a   
 t   
 b   
 cl   
 k   
 gr   
 bg

and in the same way as this spi-der and in the same way as this spi-der and in the same way as this spi-der and in the same way as this spi-der and in the same way as this spi-der and in the same way as this spi-der

life's too short life's too short life's too short life's too short life's too short life's too short

234 235 236 237 238 239 240 241 242



Sheet music for the first system (measures 265-275). The vocal line (a) contains the lyrics: "life's too short to try anything life's too short to judge life's too short to judge life's too short to bo-ther life's too short to". The piano accompaniment includes parts for trumpet (t), bass (b), clarinet (cl), keyboard (k), guitar (gtr), and bass guitar (bg). Measure numbers 265 through 275 are indicated below the staves.

Sheet music for the second system (measures 276-285). The vocal line (a) contains the lyrics: "bo-ther you can't have it both ways you can't have it both ways life's too short to try even try thing life's too short to try an-". The piano accompaniment includes parts for trumpet (t), bass (b), clarinet (cl), keyboard (k), guitar (gtr), and bass guitar (bg). Measure numbers 276 through 285 are indicated below the staves.

a  
 t  
 b  
 cl  
 k  
 gr  
 bg

y - thing life's too short to judge life's too short to bo - ther this is life as you live it but every pain and every joy and every thought and every sigh and all the unspeakable small and great in

286 287 288 289 290 291 292 293 294 295 296

a  
 t  
 b  
 cl  
 k  
 gr  
 bg

and in the same way as this spider, and this moonlight among the trees and this same way this moment and myself the eternal hourglass of existence will be turned again and again and you with it dust to dust

297 298 299 300 301 302 303 304 305 306 307 308

a  
 t  
 b  
 cl  
 k  
 gr  
 bg

309 310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317 318 319 320 321 322  
 you will have to live a - gain and

a  
 t  
 b  
 cl  
 k  
 gr  
 bg

323 324 325 326 327 328 329 330 331 332 333 334 335  
 you will have to live a - gain and you will have to live a - gain and you will have to

The musical score is arranged in a standard format with vocal parts at the top and instrumental parts below. The vocal parts (a, t, b) are in treble and bass clefs respectively. The instrumental parts include Clarinet (cl), Keyboard (k), Guitar (gtr), and Bass Guitar (bg). The score is divided into measures, with measure numbers 336 through 343 indicated at the beginning of each measure. The lyrics are: "live a - gain and a - gain", "life's too short", and "you will have to live a - gain and a - gain". The instrumental parts provide a rhythmic accompaniment, with the keyboard and guitar parts featuring a steady eighth-note pattern.

a  
336 live a - gain and a - gain 337 338 339 you will have to 340 live a - gain and a - gain 341 342 343

t  
336 337 life's 338 too short 339 340 341 life's 342 too short 343

b  
336 337 life's 338 too short 339 340 341 life's 342 too short 343

cl  
336 337 338 339 340 341 342 343

k  
336 337 338 339 340 341 342 343

gtr  
336 337 338 339 340 341 342 343

bg  
336 337 338 339 340 341 342 343