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I Wish I Had A Girl

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SONG

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Moderato

f

f *Vamp* *p*

p Not too fast

These days ev - 'ry fel - low has a sweet - heart,
There are times when I get fair - ly start - ed

p

Detailed description: The image shows a sheet of music for the song 'I Wish I Had a Girl'. It features a piano accompaniment and a vocal line. The piano part is written in G major (one flat) and common time. The first system is marked 'Moderato' and starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The second system includes a 'Vamp' section with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The vocal line is written in the same key and time signature, with lyrics: 'These days ev - 'ry fel - low has a sweet - heart, There are times when I get fair - ly start - ed'. The piano accompaniment for the vocal line starts with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The music is arranged in three systems, each with a treble and bass clef staff.

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Seems that ev - 'ry girl ie has a beau, _____
 With some girl ie who looks good. to me, _____

Gee I'd be glad if I on - ly had
 But I cant win 'cause some - one butts in,

Some one to tell me "I love you so." I'd
 And then it looks like they meant twen - ty - three. It

like to do some kiss - in' and some hug - gin', Some
 seems that I just can't get up a sys - tem, My

I wish I had a girl

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croon - in' and some spoon - in' too I guess, _____ But no
sigh - in' and my try - in's all in vain, _____ Cruel

mat - ter how I strive Folks don't know that I'm a - live, And I
fate spoils ev - 'ry plan, 'Cause I'm not a la - dies man, And a

fear I'm goin' to die of lone - some - ness. _____
lone - ly crea - ture I'll al - ways re - main. _____

CHORUS *Not too fast*

p Gee, _____ I wish that I had a girl like the oth - er fel lows had, _____

I wish I had a girl! 4

Some one — to make a fuss o - ver me, — To cheer me up — when

I feel sad, — On Wednesday night I'm all a - lone When I

ought to be up — at some sweet-heart's home And "I'm lone - some, aw - ful

lone - some," Gee, I wish I had — a girl. —

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Long - ing for you, dear, Long - ing all the while

Long - ing for your ca - res - es, For your ten - der

smile, Days come and go, dear.

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