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# IF SOMEBODY CARED FOR ME



WORDS AND MUSIC BY

## BEN RITCHIE

WRITER OF "THE STORY OF A FADED FLOWER"  
"COULD YOU LEARN TO LOVE ME"  
"DREAMS THAT I DREAM OF YOU" etc.



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If Song

# TRY THIS OVER ON YOUR PIANO COULD YOU LEARN TO LOVE ME?

Words by CAROL VOX

Music by BEN. RITCHIE

## CHORUS

Could you learn to love me if you tried, \_\_\_\_\_ Tell me if you had me by your side, \_\_\_\_\_

Would you care if I should steal a kiss or two, Tell me true, Would you?

How'd you like to al-ways have me near, \_\_\_\_\_ Tell me would you let me call you dear? \_\_\_\_\_

If I would-n't tease you, Always try to please you, Could you learn to love me dear? — dear? —

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# If Somebody Cared For Me.

Words and Music  
 by BEN RITCHIE.

Tempo di Valse

Voice

PIANO

Down by a brook a cool shad-y nook Sat a lit - tle maid 'neath a  
 Lad pass-ing by heard lit - tle maid sigh I wish some-one cared for

tree \_\_\_\_\_ With tears in her eyes the dear girl - ie sighs I  
 me \_\_\_\_\_ So he asked the miss please do tell me this Tell

wish some-one cared for me. ————— He sure-ly must know that  
me who some-one may be ————— If some-one means I, dear

I love him so I won-der if he loves me too, ————— The next time he'll  
you need-n't sigh I think of no-bod-y but you, ————— The maid droop'd her

call ————— I'll tell him all And then I'll know just what to do. —————  
head and bash-ful-y said, Yes, dear, if what you say is true. —————

Chorus

If some-bod-y cared for me, dared for me,

*p-f*

on - ly me. Some - one who would be kind to me I would be

al - ways true (hon-est, yes I would) If some-bod - -y that I know

I love so, would be my beau. Then I would greet him when - ev - er I'd

meet him with I love you.                      you.                     

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# TRY THIS OVER ON YOUR PIANO DIRTY FACE.

Words by LAWRENCE STEDMAN.

Music by AL STEDMAN.

## CHORUS

Dirt-y face,— oh! dirt-y face,— To the school you bring dis-grace.—

Go and get— a bar of soap— And wash your face;— don't be a mope.—

Al-ways on— the dunc-es' stool,— Dis-o - bey - ing ev - 'ry rule;—

This bad boy— is out of place— 'Cause he's got a dirt-y face.—

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