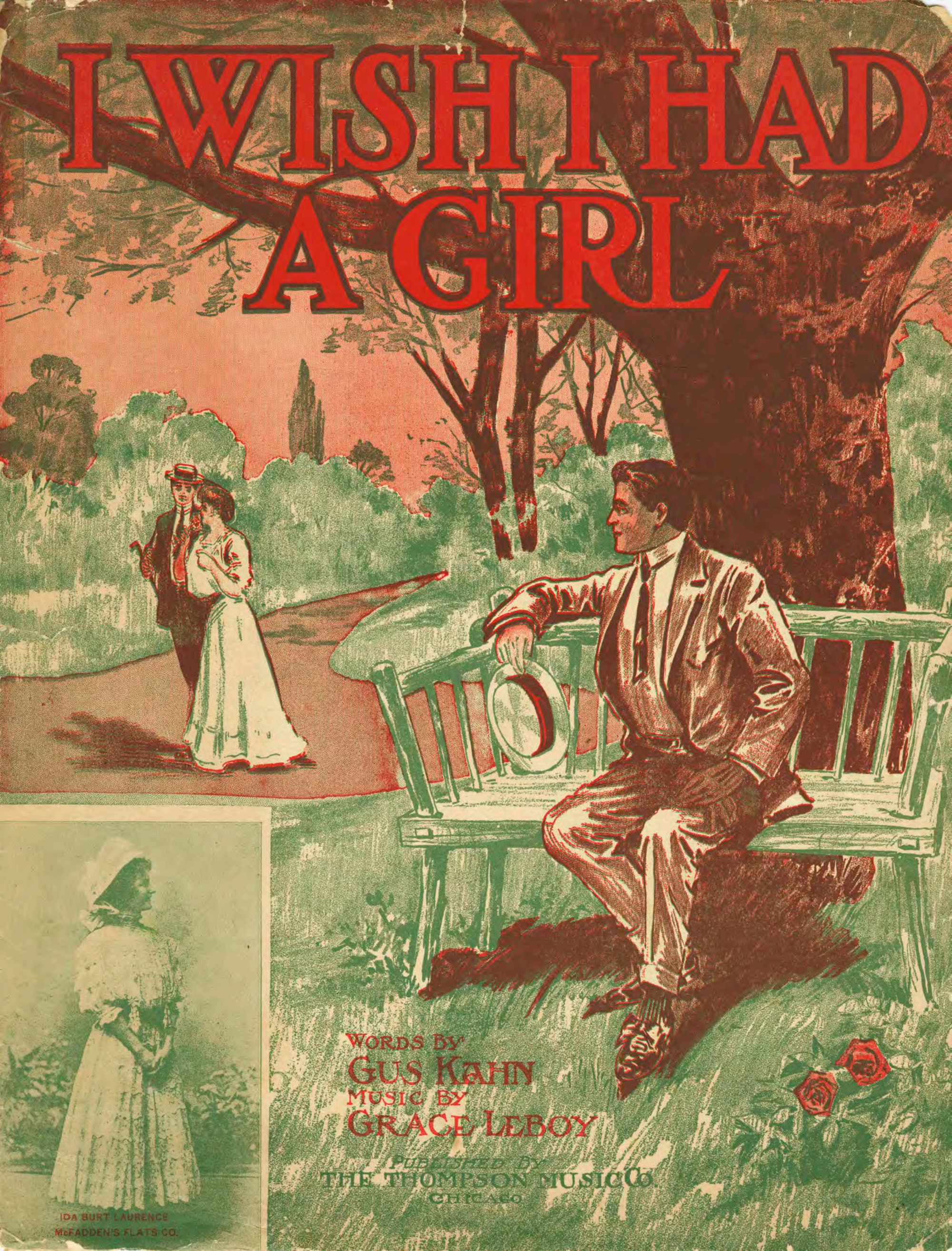


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Moderato

The piano introduction consists of two staves in 2/4 time, marked 'Moderato'. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The music begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a steady accompaniment of quarter notes.

This section continues the piano accompaniment. It includes a 'Vamp' section where the right hand plays a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Dynamics include *fz* (forzando) and *p* (piano). The piece concludes with a repeat sign.

p Not too fast

The vocal line is written on a single staff in treble clef. It begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic and is marked 'Not too fast'. The melody is simple and follows the rhythm of the 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 consists of two staves. It begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The right hand plays a simple harmonic accompaniment, and the left hand provides a bass line with quarter notes.

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 can't 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

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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
p Not too fast

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

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

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