

# LET THE REST OF THE WORLD GO BY

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To Julie and Carrie

# Let The Rest Of The World Go By

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Moderately with expression

The piano introduction consists of two staves in 3/4 time, key of B-flat major. The right hand features a melody of eighth and quarter notes, while the left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes. A dynamic marking of *mf* is present.

With much expression

The first line of the song features a vocal melody on a single staff and piano accompaniment on two staves. The lyrics are: "Is the strug-ple and strife We find in this life Real-ly Is the fu-ture to hold Just strug-gles for gold While the". The piano accompaniment includes a dynamic marking of *p*.

The second line of the song continues the vocal melody and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "worth while, aft - er all? I've been wish-ing to - day I could real world waits out - side A - way out on the breast Of the".

just run a - way, Out where the west winds call. \_\_\_\_\_  
 won - der - ful West, A - cross the great Di - vide? \_\_\_\_\_

*rit.*

REFRAIN *Tenderly with expression*

With some one like you, a pal good and true, I'd like to leave it

*p - - f*

all be - hind, and go and find Some place that's known to God a -

lone, Just a spot to call our own. We'll find per-fect

peace, Where joys nev-er cease, Out there be-neath a kind-ly sky,

We'll build a sweet lit-tle nest some-where in the west, And let the

rest of the world go by. With by.

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*Moderately*

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 Spring, like birds, a - way; Bring them back just one more day. One more day

*f* *mf*

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*p* *p*

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