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Just As Your Mother Was.

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Piano.

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand plays a series of chords and eighth notes in a major key, while the left hand provides a simple harmonic accompaniment with chords and eighth notes.

Vioce.

Wed-ding bells are ring-ing Choir— sweet-ly sing-ing
Just a sim-ple sto-ry Love in all it's glo-ry

The vocal line begins with a double bar line and a repeat sign. The piano accompaniment continues with a steady eighth-note accompaniment.

Soon the hap-py bride will ride a-way As she whis-pers "Good-bye, Dad-dy" To her
Sun or storm your moth-er's love was true But the an-gels came and took her On the

The vocal line continues with the second verse. The piano accompaniment remains consistent with the previous section.

fath-er old and gray— Ten-der-ly he holds her Tears are in his eyes
day they left me you— Ten-der-ly I watched you Grow-ing day by day

The vocal line continues with the third verse. The piano accompaniment continues with the same accompaniment.

"Lis-ten, child," he whis-pered fond and low "Your moth-er was an an-gel and
Now the time to part is draw-ing near Re-mem-ber that your moth-er was

The vocal line concludes with the fourth verse. The piano accompaniment continues with the same accompaniment.

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you're an an - gel too For you look just like your moth - er long a - go. —
 stead - fast staunch and true And I know you'll al - ways be like her my dear. —

Chorus.
 You've got the same eyes of blue You've got the same sweet smile too And may the

an - gels up a - bove you Watch and love you all life through — You've got the

same lov - ing way — And ev - ry night I'll kneel and pray — That you'll be through life, a

1 *High Ending (Optional).*
 good true wife, dear, Just as your moth - er was. — Just as your moth - er was. —

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