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THREE LITTLE WORDS

" I LOVE YOU ! "

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Composer of, "I Love You, Lady,"
"What Might Have Been," &c.

Moderato

f

Musical notation for the piano introduction, consisting of two staves (treble and bass clef) in 3/4 time. The music begins with a series of chords in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand. The tempo is marked 'Moderato' and the dynamic is 'f' (forte).

When love shines out from trust - ing eyes, And
When ach - - ing hearts bow down with grief, And

Musical notation for the first vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line is on a single staff with lyrics. The piano accompaniment consists of two staves (treble and bass clef) in 3/4 time. The dynamic is 'p' (piano).

vows are sealed with ten - der kiss, ... Three lit - tle words, just whis - per'd
all the world seems dark and drear, ... What com - fort to hear faith - ful

Musical notation for the second vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line is on a single staff with lyrics. The piano accompaniment consists of two staves (treble and bass clef) in 3/4 time.

low,..... "I love you!" brim our hearts with bliss..... The
 lips,..... Just say, "I love you, love you, dear!..... The

moon - beams fall with soft - - er light,..... On
 sil - - ver shin - - ing of the clouds..... Dis -

cheeks that blush red as the rose,... And ev'-ry star tells to its
 -pels the gloom, and life grows bright.... Three lit - tle words, but all their

mate The hap - pi - ness each true heart knows.
 pow'r..... Of chang - ing dark - ness in - to light

CHORUS

Just three little words, "I love you!" Whisper'd right from the heart,.....

Three lit-tle words so sim - - ple, Yet how much they im - part.....

Welcome as beau-ti-ful mu - - sic, Sweet as the singing of birds,.....

Hap-pi-ness lingers a - round them, "I love you!" Just three lit-tle words.....