

Shape of my Heart

-Sting-

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Pop/Latin ♩ = 75

A

Musical score for the first system, measures 1-4. It features four staves: Tenor 1, Tenor 2, Bass 1, and Bass 2. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The tempo is marked as Pop/Latin with a quarter note equal to 75 beats per minute. The dynamic is *mp* (mezzo-piano). The Tenor 1 part has lyrics: "Doo doot doo doot doo doot doo doo doo doot doo doot doo doo". The Tenor 2 part has lyrics: "doo doot doo doot doo doot doo doo". The Bass 1 and Bass 2 parts are currently silent.

Musical score for the second system, measures 5-8. It features four staves: T 1, T 2, B 1, and B 2. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The dynamic is *mp*. The T 1 part has lyrics: "doo doot doo doot doo doo doo doot doo doot doo". The T 2 part has lyrics: "doo doot doo doot doo doot doo doo doo doot doo doot doo". The B 1 part has lyrics: "ah". The B 2 part has lyrics: "dung - a dung dung - a dung dung - a dung dung - a dung dung - a dung".

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C

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T 1
He don't play for___ res-pect He deals the cards to find the an-swer

T 2
doo doo doo_____ doot doo_____ doot doo_____ doot doo_____ doo

B 1
doo doo doo doo_____ doot doo_____ doot doo_____ doot doo_____ doo

B 2
dung-a dung dung - a dung dung dung - a dung dung - a dung dung - a dung dung - a dung

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T 1
The sa-cred geo-me - try___ of chance the hi-dden law___ of a

T 2
doo_____ doot doo_____ doot doo_____ doot doo_____ doo doo

B 1
doo_____ doot doo_____ doot doo_____ doot doo_____ doo doo

B 2
dung - a dung dung - a dung dung - a dung dung - a dung dung - a dung dung - a dung

D

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T 1
pro - ba-ble out - come The num-bers lead a dance___ I know that the spades are the

T 2
doo doo doo doo I know that the spades are the

B 1
doo doo doo doo doo I know that the spades are the

B 2
dung-a dung dung - a dung dung-a dung dung - a dung dung dung - a dung dung-a dung

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T 1
8
spades He may con - ceal... a King in his hand While the mem-'ry of it... fades

T 2
8
doot doo... doo doo doo doo doo doo

B 1
doot doo... doo doo doo doo doo doo

B 2
dung ch dung dung ch dung ch dung dung ch dung ch dung dung ch dung ch dung dung... ch

F

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T 1
8
I know that the spades are the swords of a sol - dier

T 2
8
doo I know that the spades are the swords of a sol - dier

B 1
doo I know that the spades are the swords of a sol - dier

B 2
dung ch ch dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung

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T 1
8
I know that the clubs are wea-pons of war I know that dia - monds mean

T 2
8
I know that the clubs are wea-pons of war doo

B 1
I know that the clubs are wea-pons of war doo

B 2
dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung

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T 1
heart, ah

T 2
ba ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__ ba ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__

B 1
ba ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__ ba ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__

B 2
dung ch dung dung. ch dung ch dung dung. ch dung ch dung dung. ch

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T 1
H
mf
And if I told you that__ I loved__ you

T 2
mf
__ ba dap bap ba__ ba ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__

B 1
mf
__ ba dap bap ba__ ba ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__

B 2
mf
dung ch dung dung ch dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung

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T 1
You'd may-be think there's some-thing wrong__ I'm not a man_ of

T 2
ba ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__ doo

B 1
ba ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__ ba dap bap ba__ doo

B 2
dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung dung-a chung dung-a chung dung-a chung

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J

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T 1
8 And those who fear a loss____ I know that the spades are the

T 2
8 doo doo I know that the spades are the

B 1
doo doo doo I know that the spades are the

B 2
dung - a chung dung - a chung dung ch ch dung - a chung dung - a chung

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T 1
8 swords of a sol - dier I know that the clubs are wea-pons of war

T 2
8 swords of a sol - dier I know that the clubs are wea-pons of war

B 1
swords of a sol - dier I know that the clubs are wea-pons of war

B 2
dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung

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T 1
8 I know that dia - monds mean mo-ney for____ this art____ But that's not____ the shape of____ my

T 2
8 doo doo doo that's not____ the shape of____ my

B 1
doo doo doo that's not____ the shape of____ my

B 2
dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung dung - a chung

Vowels, Scat and Percussive Sounds

OO	as in	Shoe
OH		Show
OW		Cow
E		Her
EH		Get
AH		Car
A		Tap
AI		My
EE		Me
I		Dip
U		tongue

Standardise wow , woa, woah to Whoa

Diphthongs in English are not written so:

Oh not Ohw etc.

Scat:

Single letters are harder to understand than if a vowel is associated e.g.

'Doo ba doo' or 'doo be doo' easier to read than 'doo b doo'

'Dum' or 'doom' perhaps easier than 'dm' . 'Dung' easier than 'dng' etc.

Be careful using single voiced consonants - without a vowel they make no sound at all.

Voiced

A simple explanation of voiced consonants is that they use the voice. This is easy to test by putting your finger on your throat. If you feel a vibration, the consonant is voiced.

b(e)

d(e)

th (as in the)

v(e)

l(e)

r(e)

z(e)

j (as in Jane)

g(e)

m(e)

n(e)

(i)ng

w(e)

y (as in yellow)