



# JAZZ VOCAL SERIES

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## Polkadots and Moonbeams

Words by JOHNNY BURKE

Music by JIMMY VAN HEUSEN

Arranged by DAVE WOLPE

### INSTRUMENTATION

Conductor Low Key (female) B♭

Conductor High Key (male) E♭

Vocal Solo

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2nd B♭ Tenor Saxophone

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1st B♭ Trumpet

2nd B♭ Trumpet

3rd B♭ Trumpet

4th B♭ Trumpet

1st Trombone

2nd Trombone

3rd Trombone

Bass Trombone

Guitar Chords

Guitar

Piano

Bass

Drums

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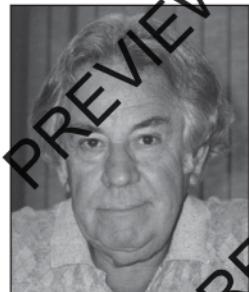
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**POŁKA DOTS AND MOONBEAMS** /  
VOCAL FEATURE: Lew Kow (Piano)

## ~~VOCAL FEATURE - Low Key (Female)~~

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Arranged by DAVE WOLPE

A musical score page featuring ten staves for different instruments. The instruments listed on the left are: VOCAL, 1ST Eb ALTO SAXPHONE, 2ND Eb ALTO SAXPHONE, 1ST Bb TENOR SAXPHONE, 2ND Bb TENOR SAXPHONE, Eb BARITONE SAXPHONE, 1ST Bb TROMBONE, 2ND Bb TRUMPET, 3rd Bb TRUMPET, 4th Bb TRUMPET, 1ST TROMBONE, 2ND TROMBONE, 3rd TROMBONE, BASS TROMBONE, GUITAR, PIANO, BASS, and DRUMS. The music includes various chords like Dm7, Am7, Gm7, Dm7, Em7, A7(45), Dm7, Cm7(11), and B7(65). The score is annotated with 'SOLO', 'LEAD', 'SOLI', 'CHORD SYMS. CUED ON PART', and 'H.H.'. The page is heavily watermarked with the word 'PREVIEW' in black, and features a prominent red stamp in the center that reads 'Review Only' and 'Requires Purchase'.

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The image shows a musical score for a choral piece titled "Polka Dots and Moonbeams". The score is arranged for a conductor and twelve instrumental/vocal parts: VOCAL, ALTO 1, ALTO 2, TENOR 1, TENOR 2, BARI., TPT. 1, TPT. 2, TPT. 3, TPT. 4, TBN. 1, TBN. 2, TBN. 3, BASS TBN., GTR., BASS, and DRUMS. The vocal part includes lyrics: "A coun-try the mus-ic dance was start-ed, be-ing held in a gar-den. I felt a bump and heard an an-said, 'May'. The score also features several chords indicated by Roman numerals and sharps: Bbmaj7, Gm17, Em17, A7, Bbmaj7, Fm19, and B7. A large, diagonal red watermark with the text "Legal Use Requires Purchase Only" is overlaid across the entire page.

The image shows a single page from a musical score for a band or orchestra. The title 'POLKA DOTS AND MOONBEAMS' is at the top. The score includes parts for CONDUCTOR, VOCAL, ALTO 1, ALTO 2, TENOR 1, TENOR 2, BASS 1, BASS 2, TPT. 1, TPT. 2, TPT. 3, TPT. 4, TBN. 1, TBN. 2, TBN. 3, BASS TBN., GTR., BASS, and DRUMS. The vocal parts have lyrics: "Oh, I beg your par - don." one?", "Sud - den - ly saw -", "pol - ka pol - ka dots and moon - beams beams", and "all a - round a spark - led on a pug - pug -". The score is filled with musical notation, including chords like E7Maj7, C7M17, A7M17, D7(9), G7M17, Ab13, B7Maj7, CM17, DM17, D7M17, and CM17. A large red diagonal watermark reads "Preview Legal Use Requires Purchase Only".

## POLKA DOTS AND MOONBEAMS

A musical score featuring five staves of five-line staff paper. The first staff contains the letters 'PRE' in black, followed by 'VIEW' in large red capital letters. The second staff contains 'REVIEW' in black. The third staff contains 'VIEW' in black. The fourth staff contains 'PREVIEW' in black. The fifth staff contains 'VIEW' in black. A large, semi-transparent red diagonal watermark reading 'ONLY' is overlaid across the middle of the staves.

A musical score page featuring a large, semi-transparent red watermark reading "Preview Legal Use". The watermark is oriented diagonally from the bottom-left towards the top-right. The musical score itself is in black and white, showing various staves of music with notes, rests, and dynamic markings. The page number "24" is visible at the bottom right.

The image shows a musical score for a piece titled "Polka Dots and Moonbeams". The score is arranged for a large ensemble with the following parts: CONDUCTOR, VOCAL, ALTO 1, ALTO 2, TENOR 1, TENOR 2, BARI., TPT. 1, TPT. 2, TPT. 3, TPT. 4, TBN. 1, TBN. 2, BASS TBN., GTR., BASS, and DRUMS. The vocal part contains lyrics: "nosed dream." and "There were". The score is annotated with numerous diagonal red text overlays. These overlays include the word "PREVIEW" repeated many times, as well as the phrases "Legal Use Requires Purchase Only" and "REVIEW". The music itself consists of standard staff notation with various clefs, key signatures, and dynamic markings.

**PREVIEW**

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**CONDUCTOR**

(28) %  
ques tions in the eyes of oth - er danc - ers as we float - ed o - ver the floor.

**VOCAL**

**ALTO 1**

**ALTO 2**

**TENOR 1**

**TENOR 2**

**SAR1.**

**TPR. 1**

**TPR. 2**

**TPR. 3**

**TPR. 4**

**TBN. 1**

**TBN. 2**

**TBN. 3**

**BASS TBN.**

**GTR. 1**

**DRUMS**

in the eyes of oth - er danc - ers as we float - ed o - ver the floor.

-5-

There were

Dm7 G7 A15 F#M7 G15 F#M7 E7 (11) A15 D7 G15

**POLKA DOTS AND MOONBEAMS**

**SIMILE**

28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35



The image shows a full-page musical score for a band. At the top right, it says "POLKA DOTS AND MOONBEAMS". The vocal part has lyrics: "Down in a cot - tage built of li - lacs and laugh - ter know the mean - ing of the words 'Ev - er af - ter.'". The score is organized into 16 parts: CONDUCTOR, VOCAL, ALTO 1, ALTO 2, TENOR 1, TENOR 2, BASS, TPT. 1, TPT. 2, TPT. 3, TPT. 4, TBN. 1, TBN. 2, BASS TBN., GRTR., BNO., BASS, DRUMS. The vocal part is the only one with lyrics. The score is divided into measures 44 through 51. A large, diagonal red watermark reading "Preview Legal Use Requires Purchase" is overlaid across the entire page.

A musical score for "Polka Dots and Moonbeams" featuring multiple staves for various instruments and voices. The score includes lyrics for "An' I'll al-ways see pol-ka dots and moon beams when I kiss the pug - nosed dream. To God". A large red watermark reading "Preview Only Legal Use Requires Purchase" is overlaid across the page.

## POLKA DOTS AND MOONBEAMS

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A musical score page featuring a large, semi-transparent red watermark. The watermark contains the words "Preview", "Requires", "Purchase", and "Only" stacked vertically, with "Preview" at the top and "Only" at the bottom. The watermark is oriented diagonally from the bottom-left towards the top-right. The background of the image is a black and white musical score with multiple staves of music, including various notes, rests, and musical chords labeled with their names (e.g., AM17, CM17, FM17 (ss), BM17, GM17, CM17, FM17, DM17) above the staves.

CONDUCTOR

VOCAL

ALTO 1

ALTO 2

SOPR. 1

TENOR 2

BARI.

TPT. 1

TPT. 2

TPT. 3

TPT. 4

TBN. 1

TBN. 2

TBN. 3

BASS TBN.

GTR.

DR.

BASS

DRUMS

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POLKA DOTS AND MOONBEAMS

68

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VIEW

VIEW

VIEW

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VIEW

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CONDUCTOR

VOCAL

ALTO 1

TENOR 2

SAR. 1

TPT. 1

TPT. 2

TPT. 3

TPT. 4

TBN. 1

TBN. 2

TBN. 3

BASS TBN.

GTR.

DRUMS

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CONDUCTOR

VOCAL

ALTO 1

ALTO 2

EMB. 1

TENOR 2

BARI.

TPT. 1

TPT. 2

TPT. 3

TPT. 4

TBN. 1

TBN. 2

TBN. 3

BASS TBN.

GR. 2

SOLO

BASS

DRUMS

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dream.

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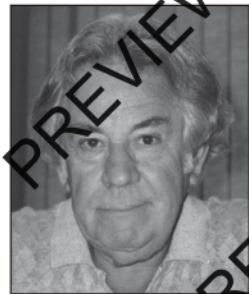
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### MEDIUM BOSSA ( $d = 126$ )

VOCAL FEATURE - High Key (Male)

## VOCAL

**1ST Eb ALTO SAXOPHONE**

~~2ND ESTATE SAXOPHONE~~

1st & TENOR SAXOPHONES

AND STYLING FABRICANTS

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WIN BY TRUMPET

ICE TRAVELERS

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GUITAR

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PIANO

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#### **DRUMS**

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**CONDUCTOR**

**VOCAL**

**ALTO 1**

**ALTO 2**

**TENOR 1**

**TENOR 2**

**SATB.**

**TPP. 1**

**TPP. 2**

**TPP. 3**

**TPP. 4**

**TBN. 1**

**TBN. 2**

**TBN. 3**

**BASS TBN.**

**GTR. 1**

**BASS**

**DRUMS**

A coun - try  
The mus - ic  
dance was  
start - ed,  
be - ing  
and was  
held  
I -  
in a gar - den.  
the per - pleed  
den.  
one.  
I felt a bump  
I held my breath  
and heard said,  
an "May"

**Polka Dots and Moonbeams**

EDM7 CM7 FM9 AM7(II) D7(9) EDMAS7 BDM17 E7(9)

**SIMILE**

9 10 11 12 13 14

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CONDUCTOR

VOCAL

ALTO 1

ALTO 2

CANTOR 1

TENOR 2

SARCI.

TPT. 1

TPT. 2

TPT. 3

TPT. 4

TBN. 1

TBN. 2

TBN. 3

BASS TBN.

GTR.

BASS

DRUMS

"Oh,  
I  
beg your par-  
don."  
one?"

Sud - den - ly I  
In my fright I  
saw -

pol - ka  
pol - ka

dots and  
dots and  
morn -

beams  
beams

all a - round a  
spark - led on a  
pug -

- 3 -

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**CONDUCTOR**

(28) **ques** tions in the eyes of oth - er dan - - ers as we float - ed o - ver the floor.

**VOCAL**

**ALTO 1**

**ALTO 2**

**TENOR 1**

**TENOR 2**

**SAR. 1**

**TPT. 1**

**TPT. 2**

**TPT. 3**

**TPT. 4**

**TBN. 1**

**TBN. 2**

**TBN. 3**

**BASS TBN.**

**GTR.**

**PNO.**

**BASS**

**DRUMS**

**Polka Dots and Moonbeams**

There were

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SIMILE

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POLKA DOTS AND MOONBEAMS

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CONDUCTOR

VOCAL

ALTO 1

ALTO 2

TENOR 2

BARI.

TPR. 1

TPR. 2

TPR. 3

TPR. 4

TBN. 1

TBN. 2

BASS TBN.

GTR. 1

BASS

DRUMS

POLKA DOTS AND MOONBEAMS

-7-

Now in a cot - tage built of li - lacs and laugh - ter  
know the mean - ing of the words "Ev - er af - ter."

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CONDUCTOR

VOCAL

ALTO 1

ALTO 2

TENOR 1

TENOR 2

SAR.

TPT. 1

TPT. 2

TPT. 3

TPT. 4

TBN. 1

TBN. 2

BASS TBN.

GTR.

BASS

DRUMS

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CONDUCTOR

VOCAL

ALTO 1

ALTO 2

TENOR 1

TENOR 2

SARCI.

TPT. 1

TPT. 2

TPT. 3

TPT. 4

TBN. 1

TBN. 2

TBN. 3

BASS TBN.

GTR.

ONO.

BASS

DRUMS

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POLKA DOTS AND MOONBEAMS

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VIEW



CONDUCTOR

VOCAL

ALTO 1

ALTO 2

TENOR 1

TENOR 2

SAR. 1

TPT. 1

TPT. 2

TPT. 3

TPT. 4

TBN. 1

TBN. 2

BASS TBN.

GTR.

SOLI

BASS

DRUMS

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## POLKA DOTS AND MOONBEAMS

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There were—

## CONDUCTOR

VOCAL

ALTO 5

ALTO-9

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TENDE

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A musical score page featuring a large, semi-transparent red watermark that reads "Preview requires purchase". The text is repeated diagonally across the page. The musical score itself consists of several staves of music with various notes, rests, and dynamic markings. Chords are labeled above the staff at various points, such as E<sub>b</sub><sup>9</sup>, F#Maj<sup>7</sup>, B<sub>b</sub><sup>9</sup>, AMin<sup>7</sup>, AMin<sup>7</sup>, GMin<sup>7</sup>, C<sup>9</sup>, C<sup>7(9)</sup>, B<sub>b</sub><sup>9</sup>, B<sub>b</sub>7(9), E<sub>b</sub><sup>6</sup>, and GMi<sup>7</sup>. The page number 84 is visible at the bottom left, and 85 is at the bottom right.



## CONDUCTOR

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POLKA DOTS AND MOONBEAMS

The image shows a musical score for a choral and instrumental piece titled "Polka Dots and Moonbeams". The score is arranged for a conductor and various musical parts. The vocal part is marked with the word "dream.". The instrumentation includes two alto parts, two tenor parts, bass, brass (TPT. 1-4), woodwind (TBN. 1-3), strings (GTR. 1-2, BASS), and drums. The score is filled with musical notation on five-line staves. Numerous "PREVIEW" text overlays are scattered across the page. A prominent red watermark reading "Preview Legal User Requires Purchase Only" is diagonally placed across the center of the score.