BAD FOR GOOD

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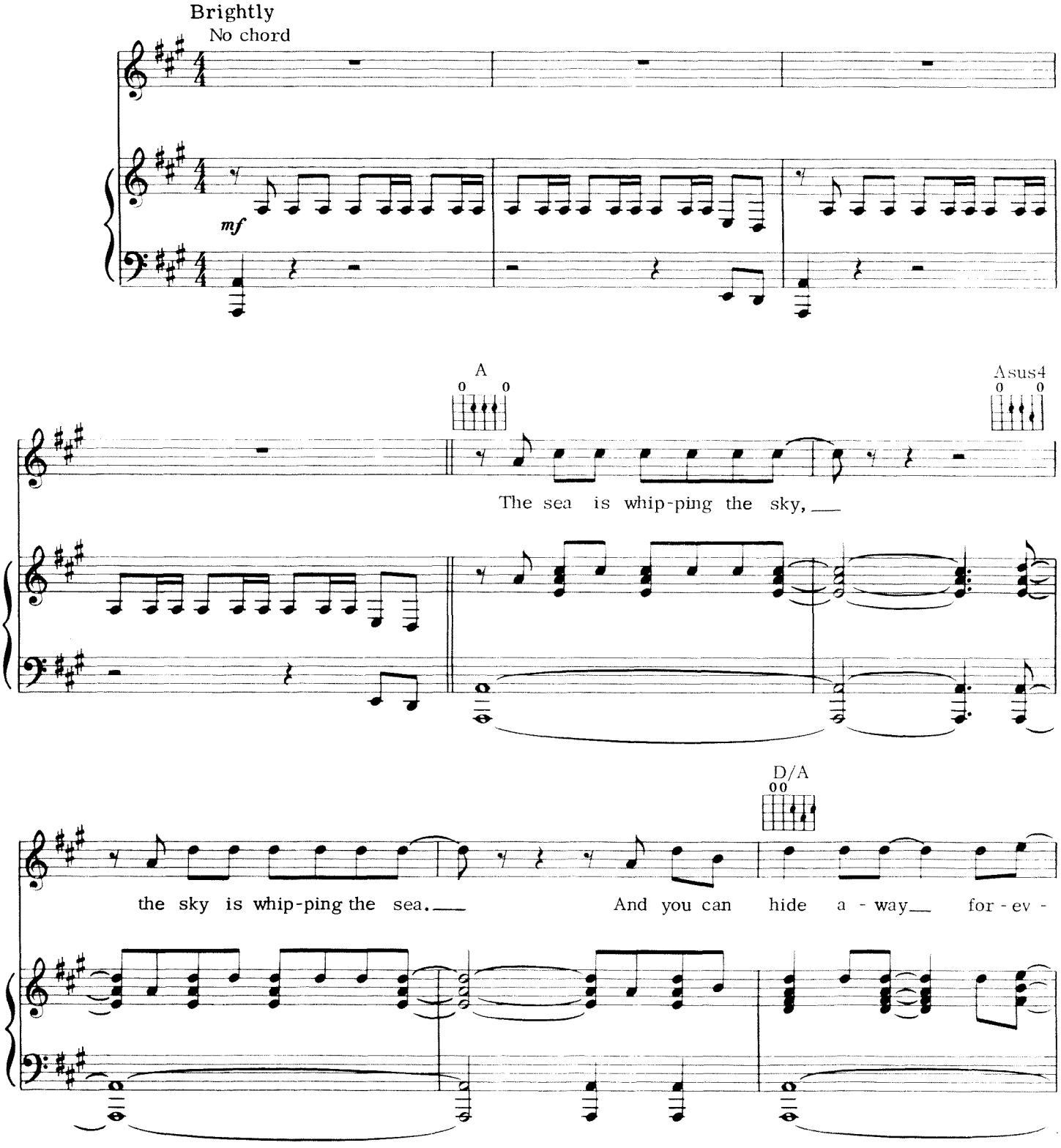

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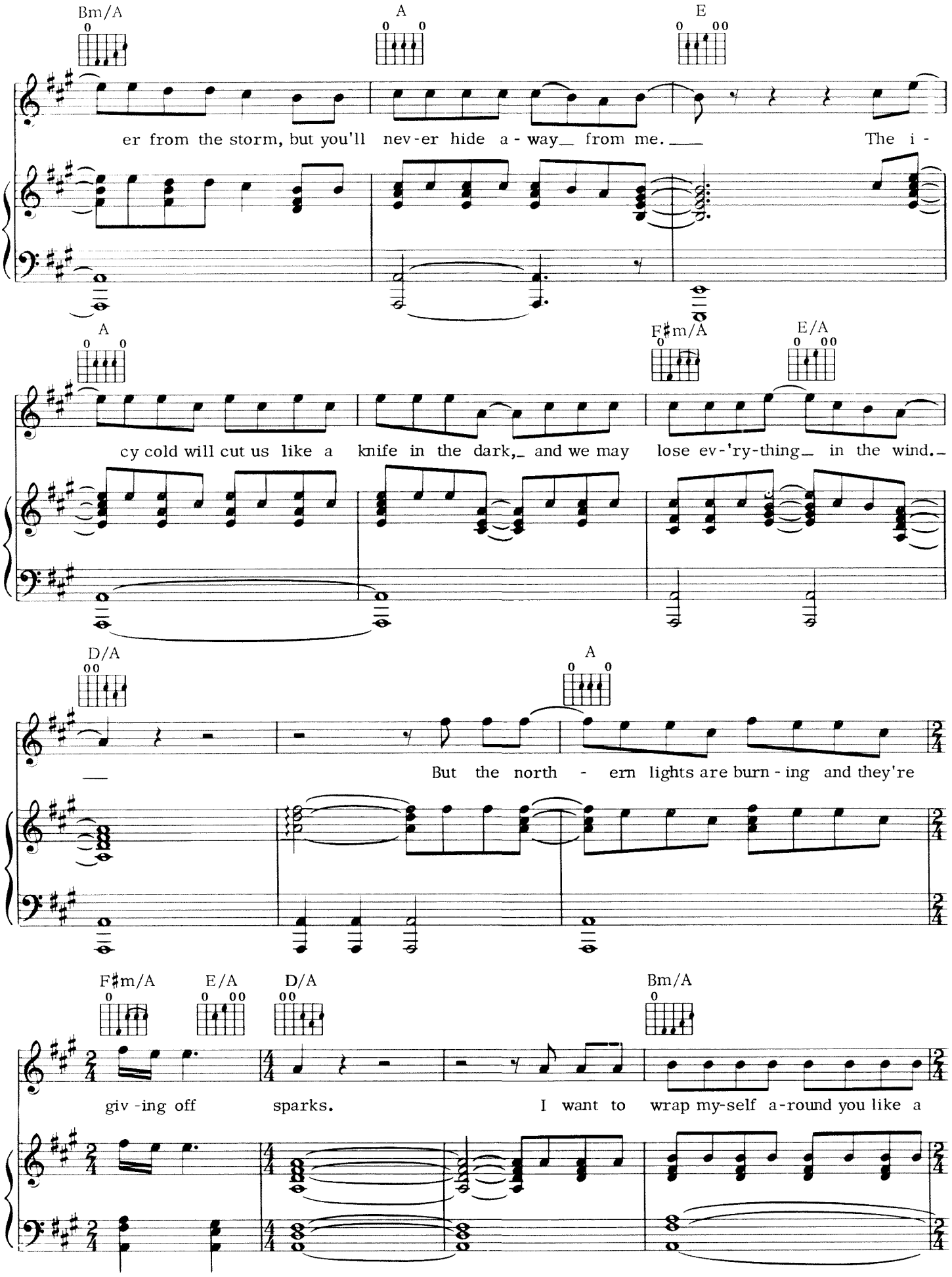
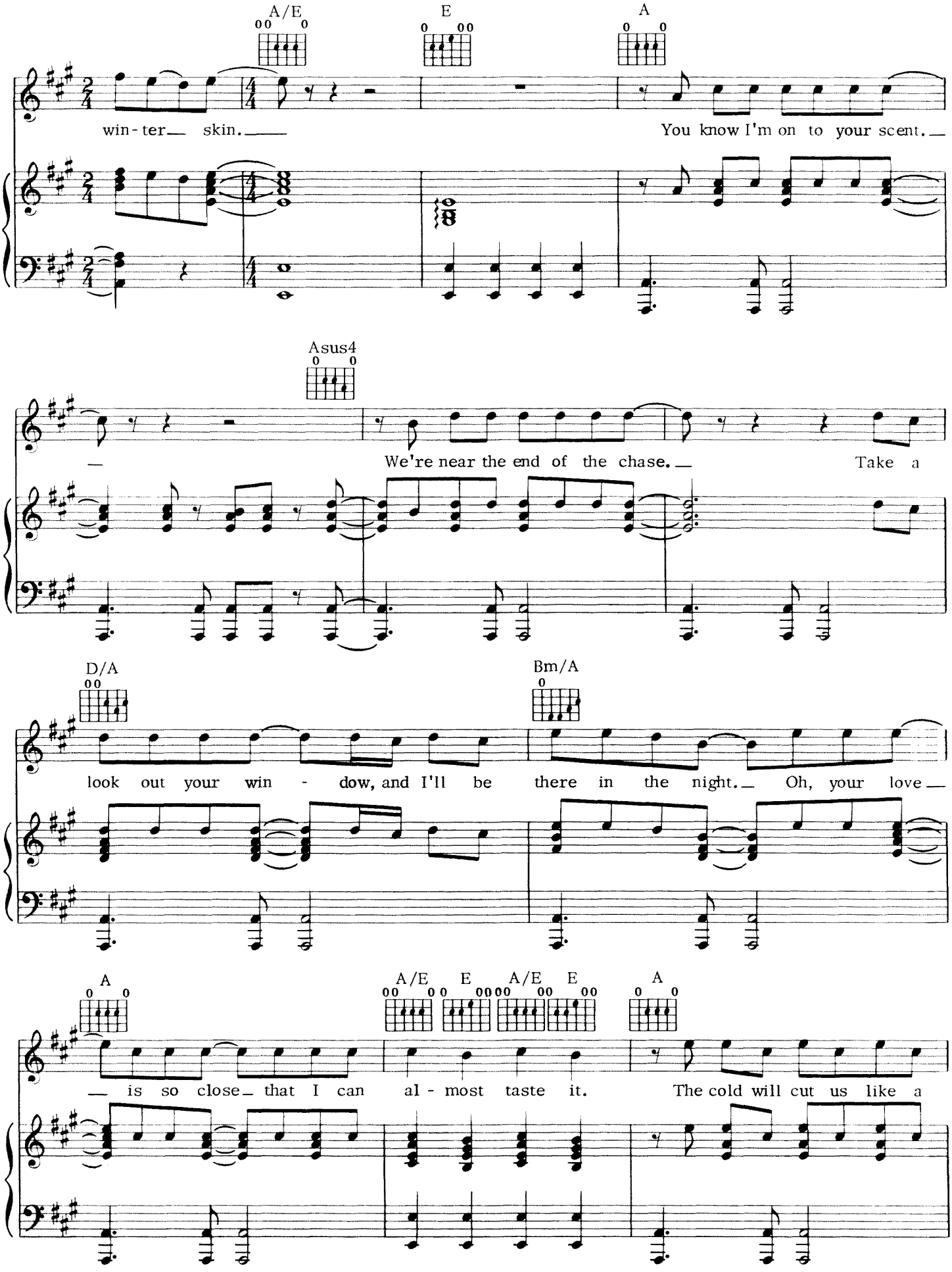
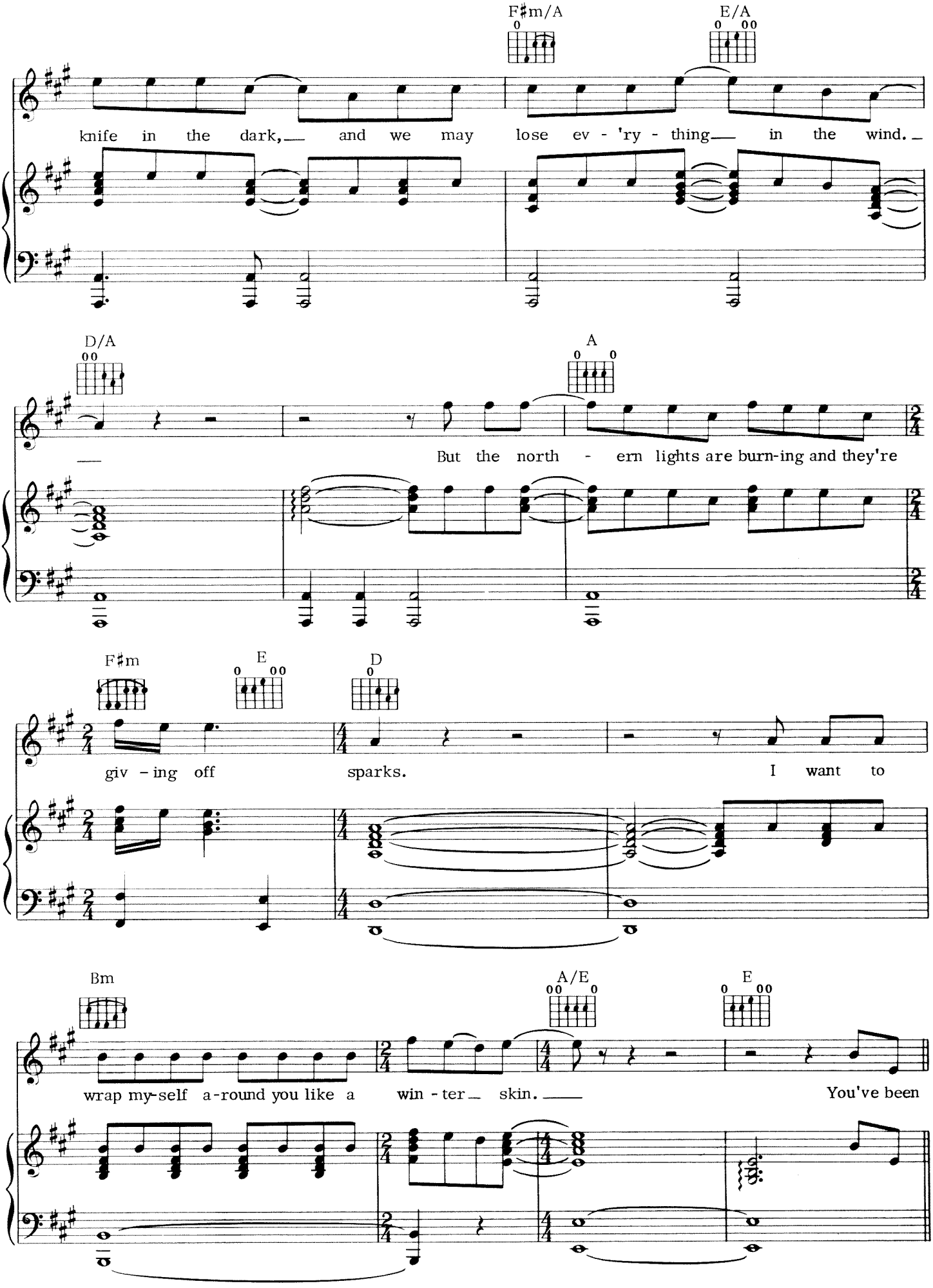
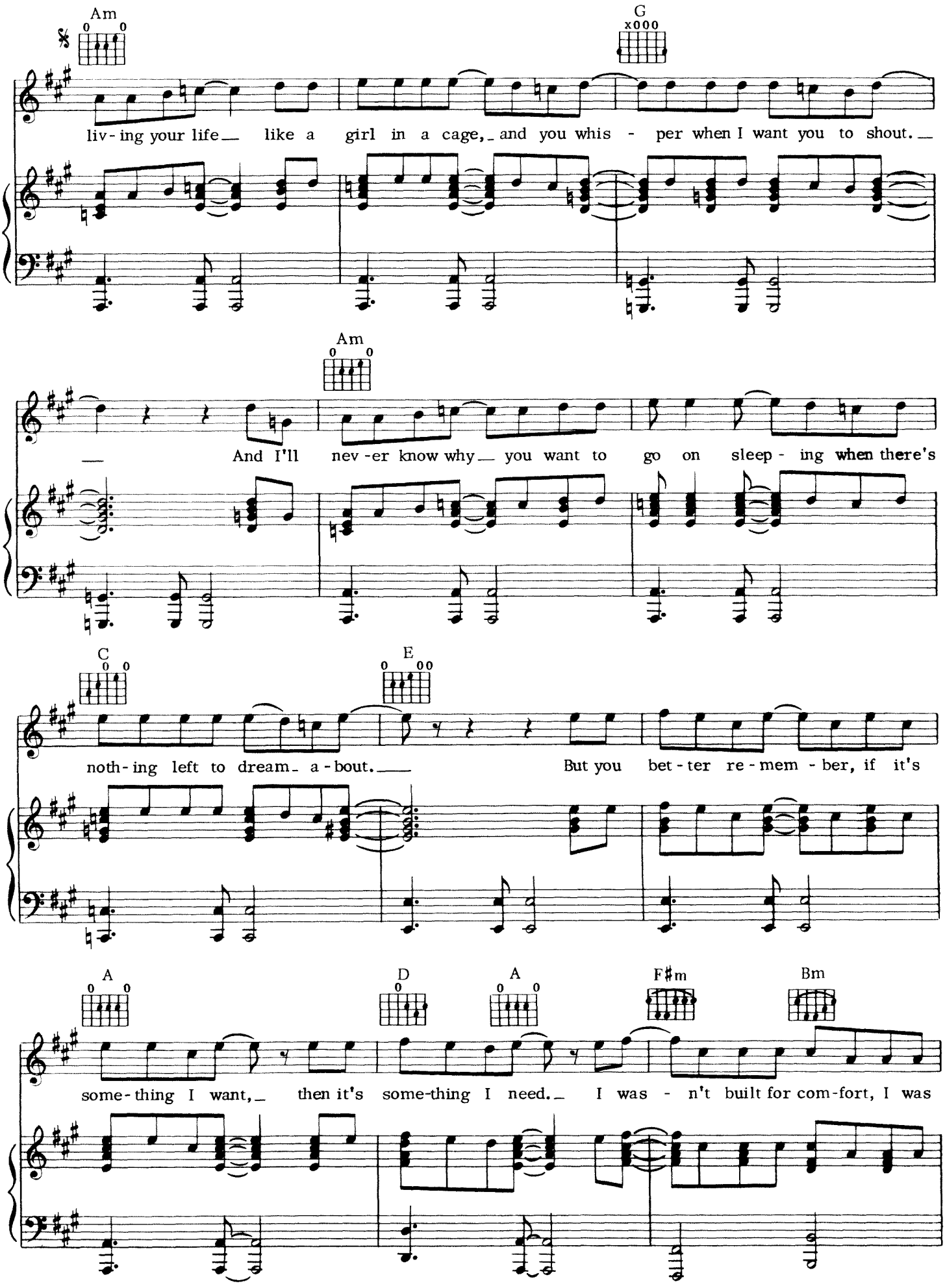
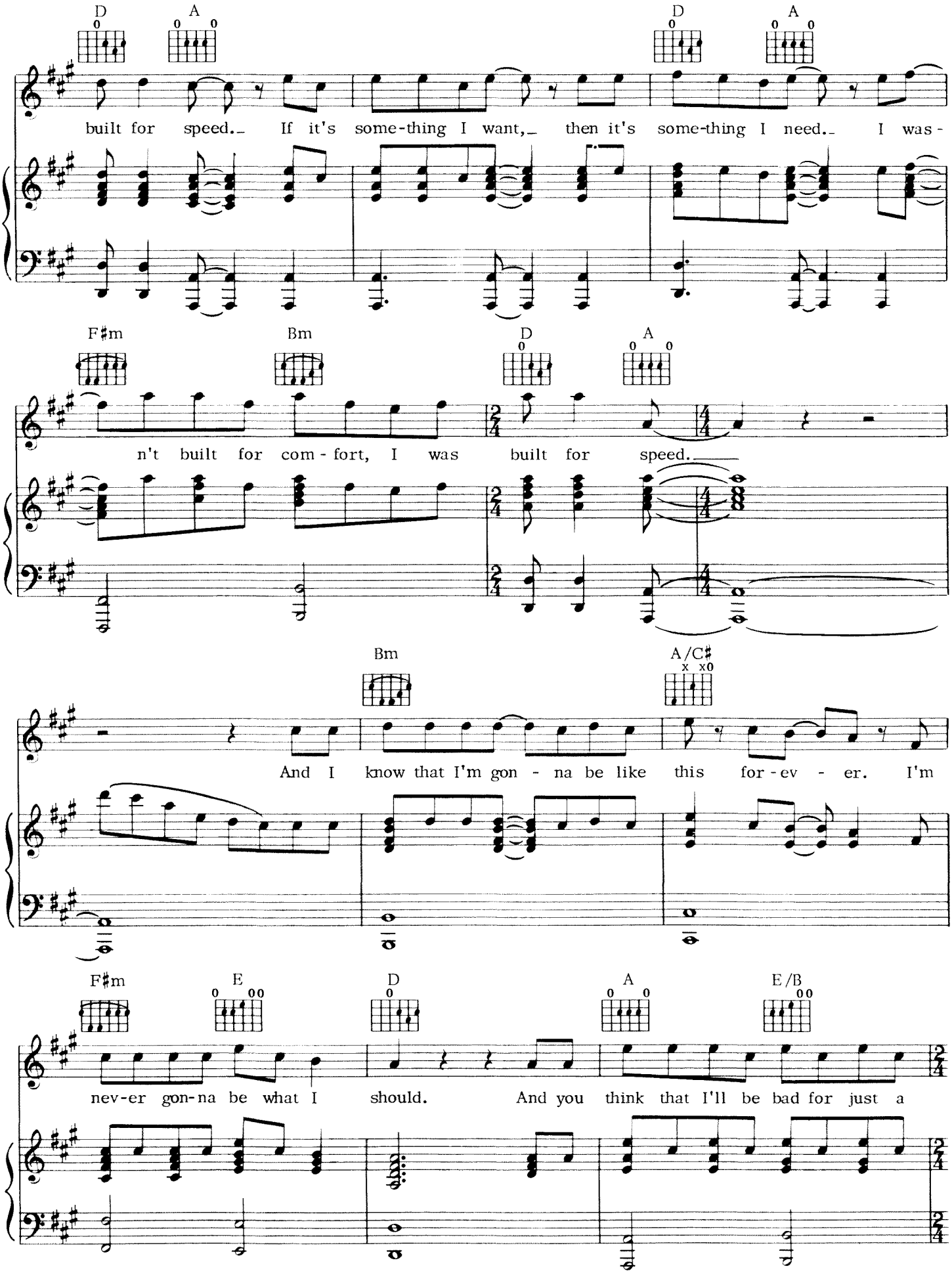
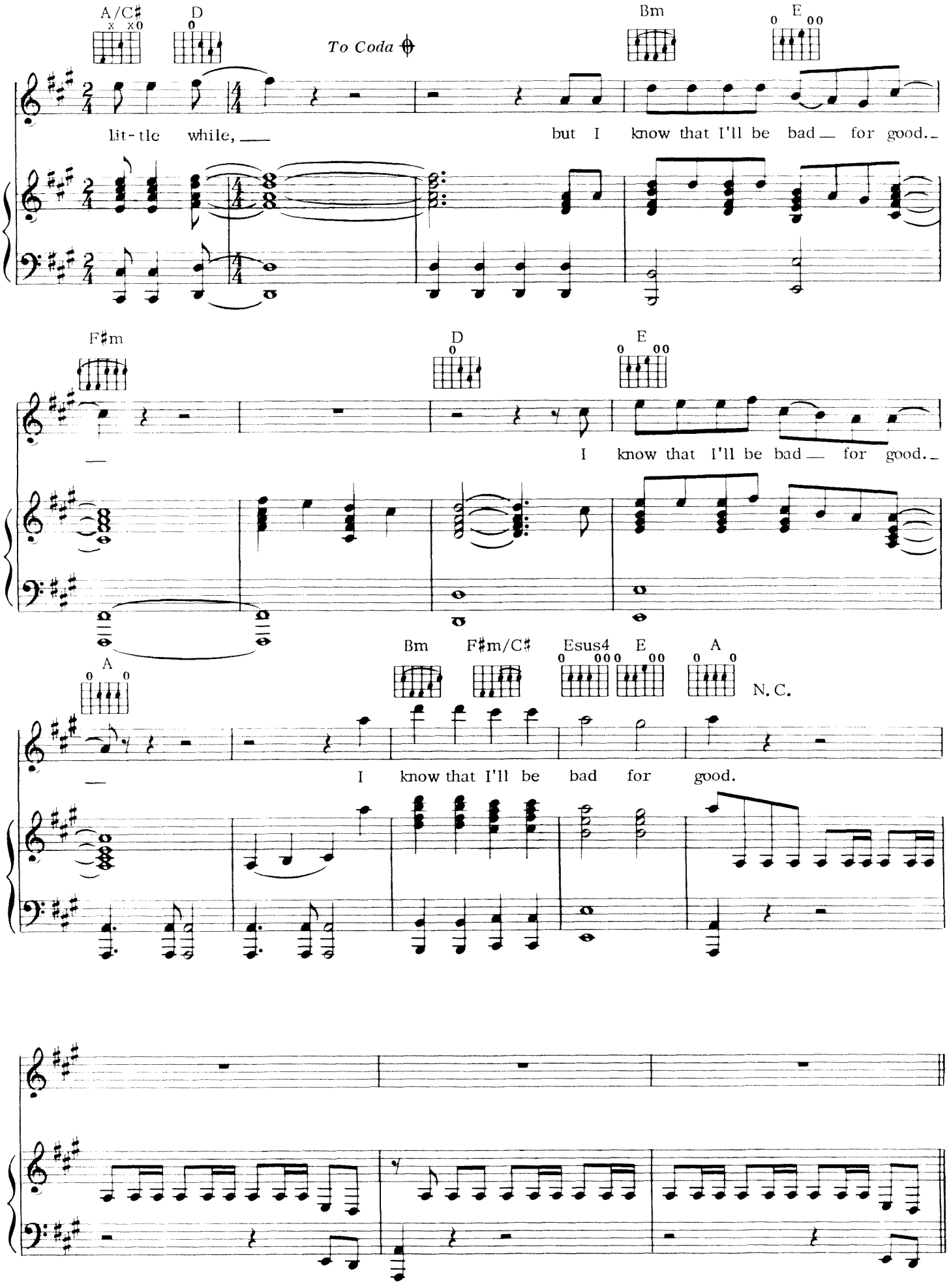

Bm/A
A
E
er from the storm, but you'll nev-er hide a - way_ from me. ___ The i -
A
F♯m/A
E/A
cy cold will cut us like a knife in the dark,_ and we may lose ev-'ry-thing_ in the wind._
D/A
A
___ But the north - ern lights are burn - ing and they're
F♯m/A
E/A
D/A
Bm/A
giv -ing off sparks. I want to wrap my-self a-round you like a

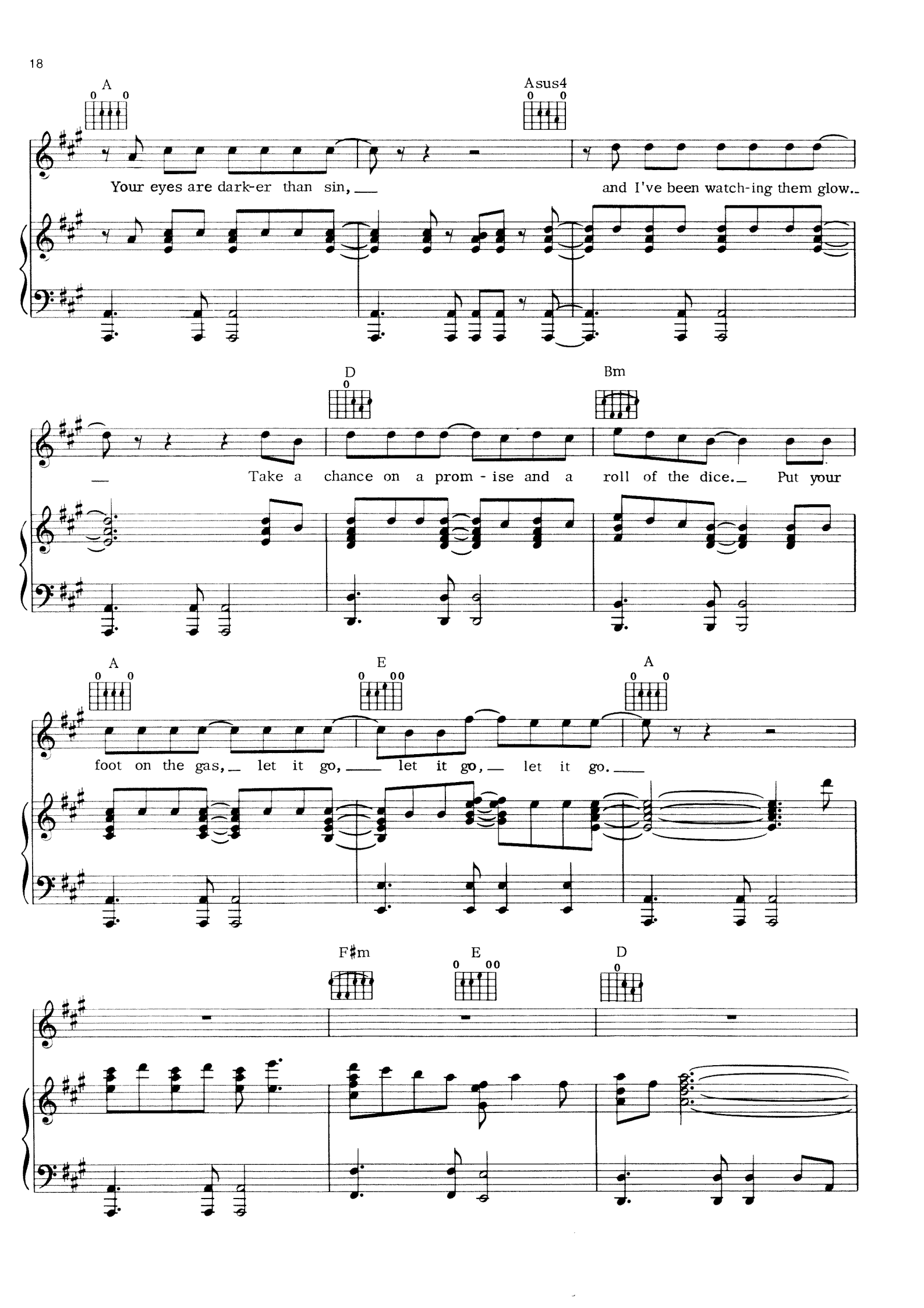

A/E
E
A
win - ter skin.
You know I'm on to your scent.
Asus4
We're near the end of the chase.
Take a
D/A
Bm/A
look out your win - dow, and I'll be there in the night.
Oh, your love
A
A/E
E
A/E
E
A
is so close that I can al - most taste it.
The cold will cut us like a

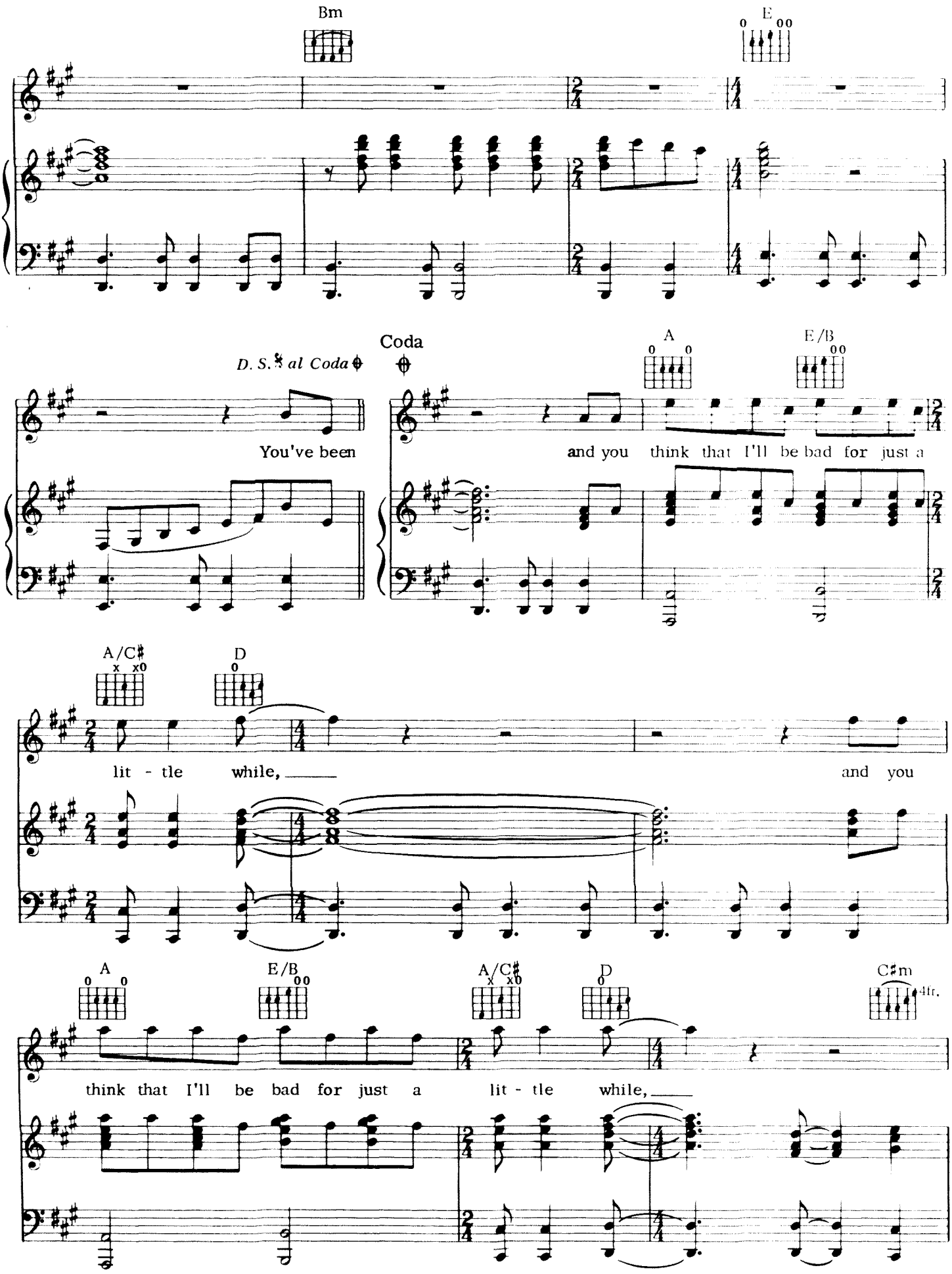

F♯m/A
E/A
knife in the dark, and we may lose ev - 'ry - thing in the wind.
D/A
A
But the north - ern lights are burn-ing and they're
F♯m
E
D
giv - ing off sparks. I want to
Bm
A/E
E
wrap my-self a-round you like a win - ter skin. You've been

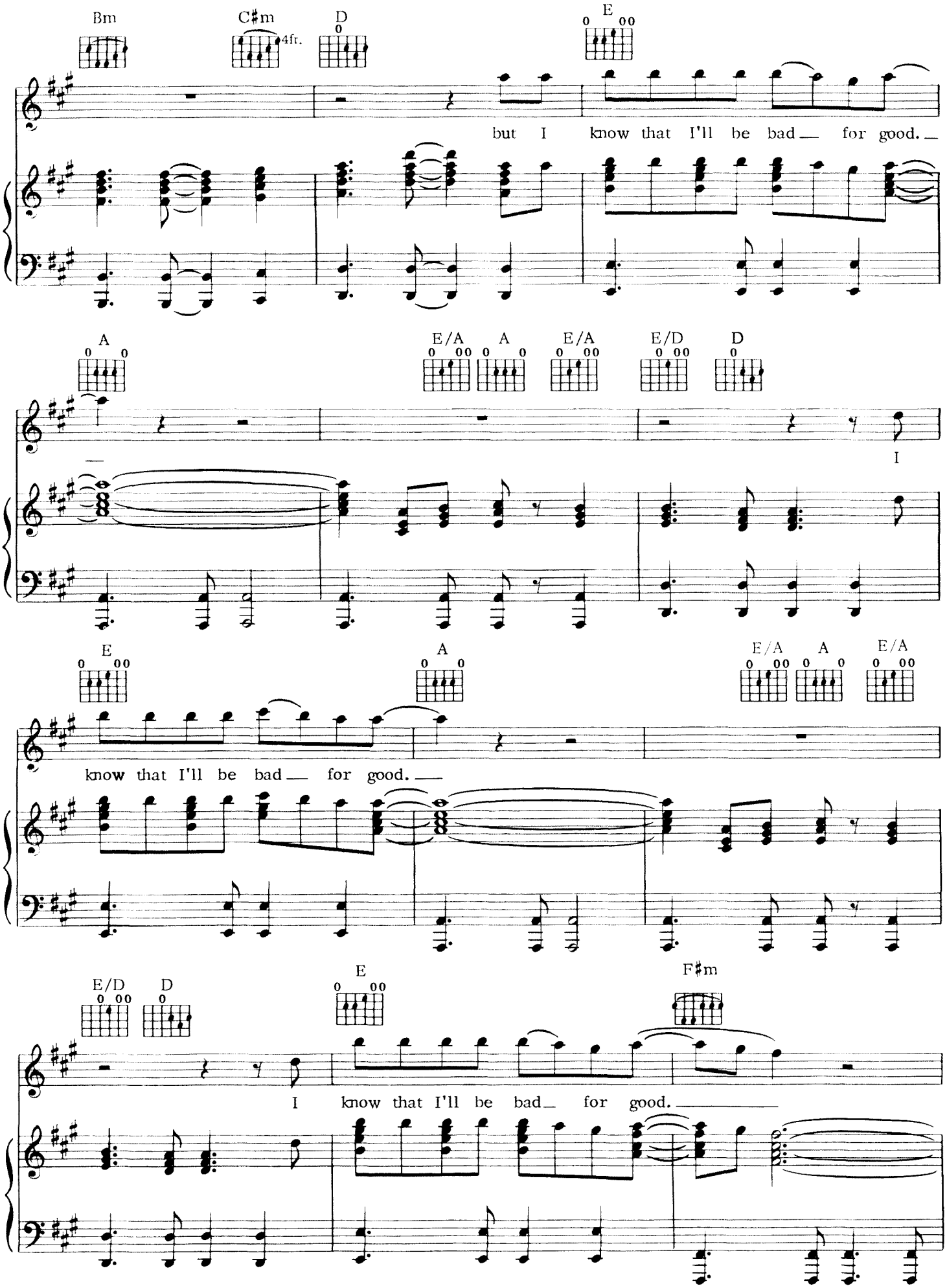

Am
G
liv - ing your life like a girl in a cage, and you whis - per when I want you to shout.
Am
And I'll nev - er know why you want to go on sleep - ing when there's
C
E
noth - ing left to dream a - bout. But you bet - ter re - mem - ber, if it's
A
D
A
F♯m
Bm
some - thing I want, then it's some-thing I need. I was - n't built for com-fort, I was

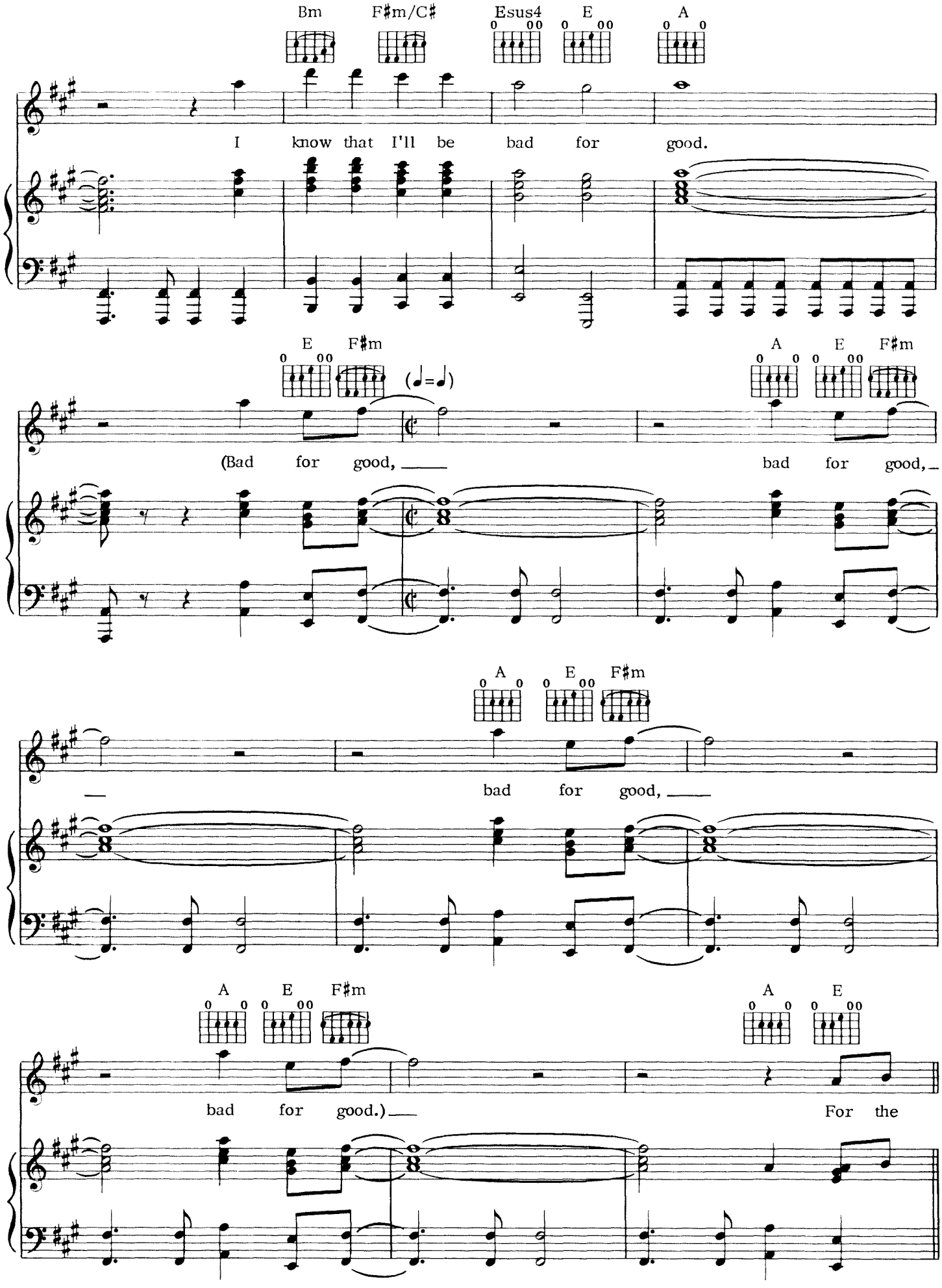

D A D A
built for speed. If it's some-thing I want, then it's some-thing I need. I was-
F♯m Bm D A
n't built for com - fort, I was built for speed.
Bm A/C♯
And I know that I'm gon - na be like this for - ev - er. I'm
F♯m E D A E/B
nev-er gon-na be what I should. And you think that I'll be bad for just a

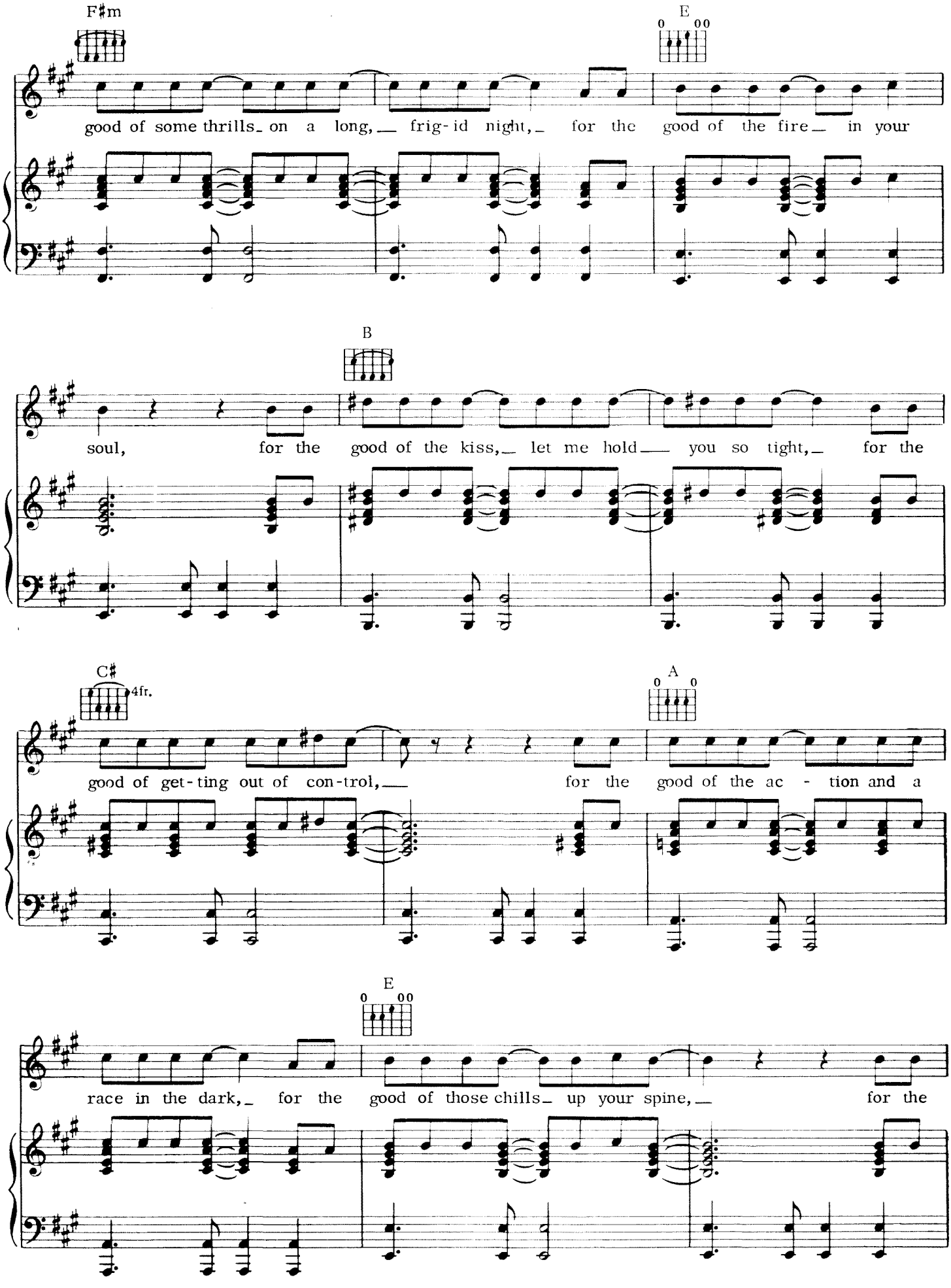

A/C♯
D
To Coda
Bm
E
lit-tle while, but I know that I'll be bad for good.
F♯m
D
E
I know that I'll be bad for good.
Bm
F♯m/C♯
Esus4
E
A
A
N.C.
I know that I'll be bad for good.

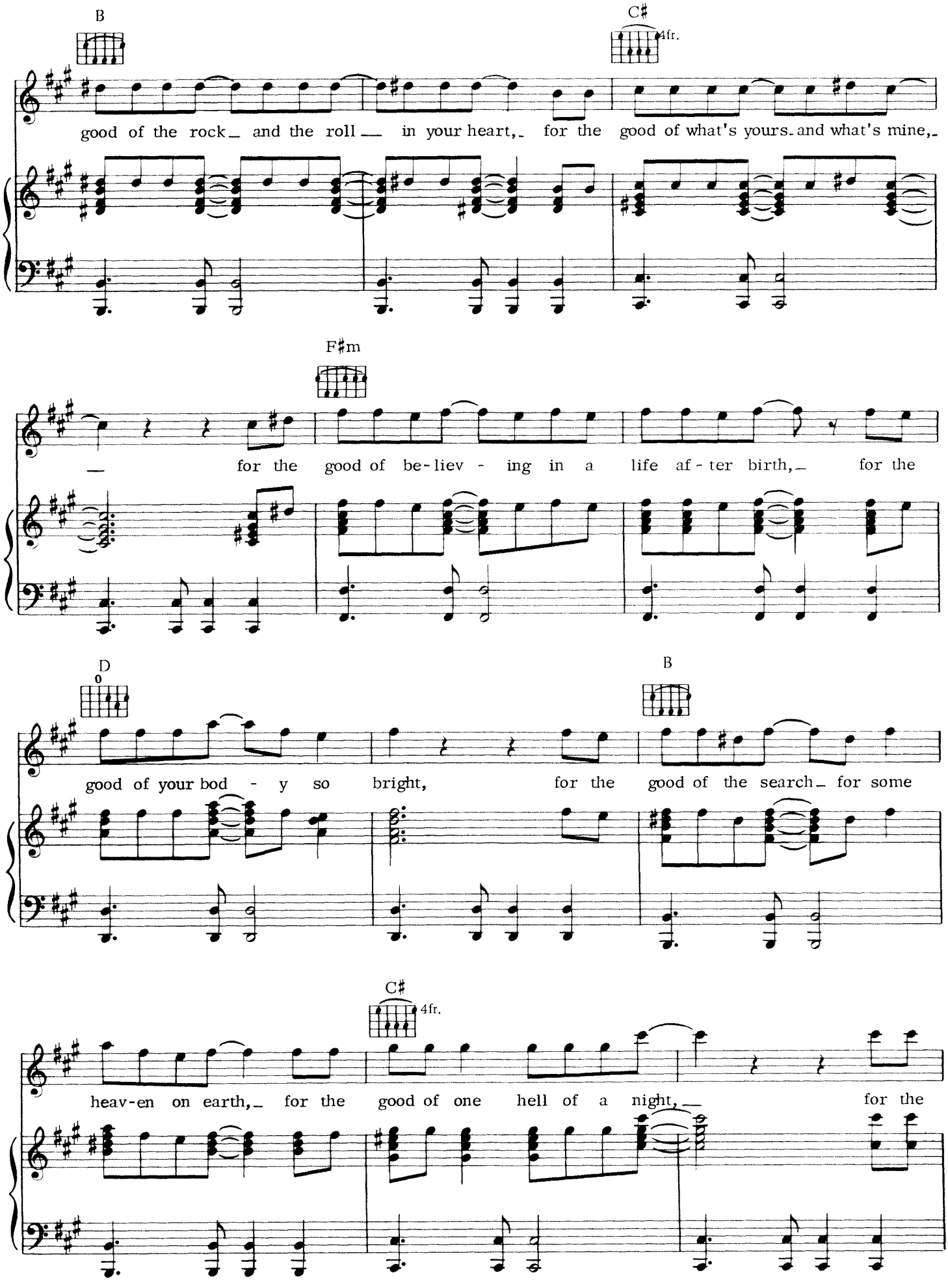

A
Asus4
Your eyes are dark-er than sin, and I've been watch-ing them glow.
D
Bm
Take a chance on a prom - ise and a roll of the dice. Put your
A
E
A
foot on the gas, let it go, let it go, let it go.
F♯m
E
D

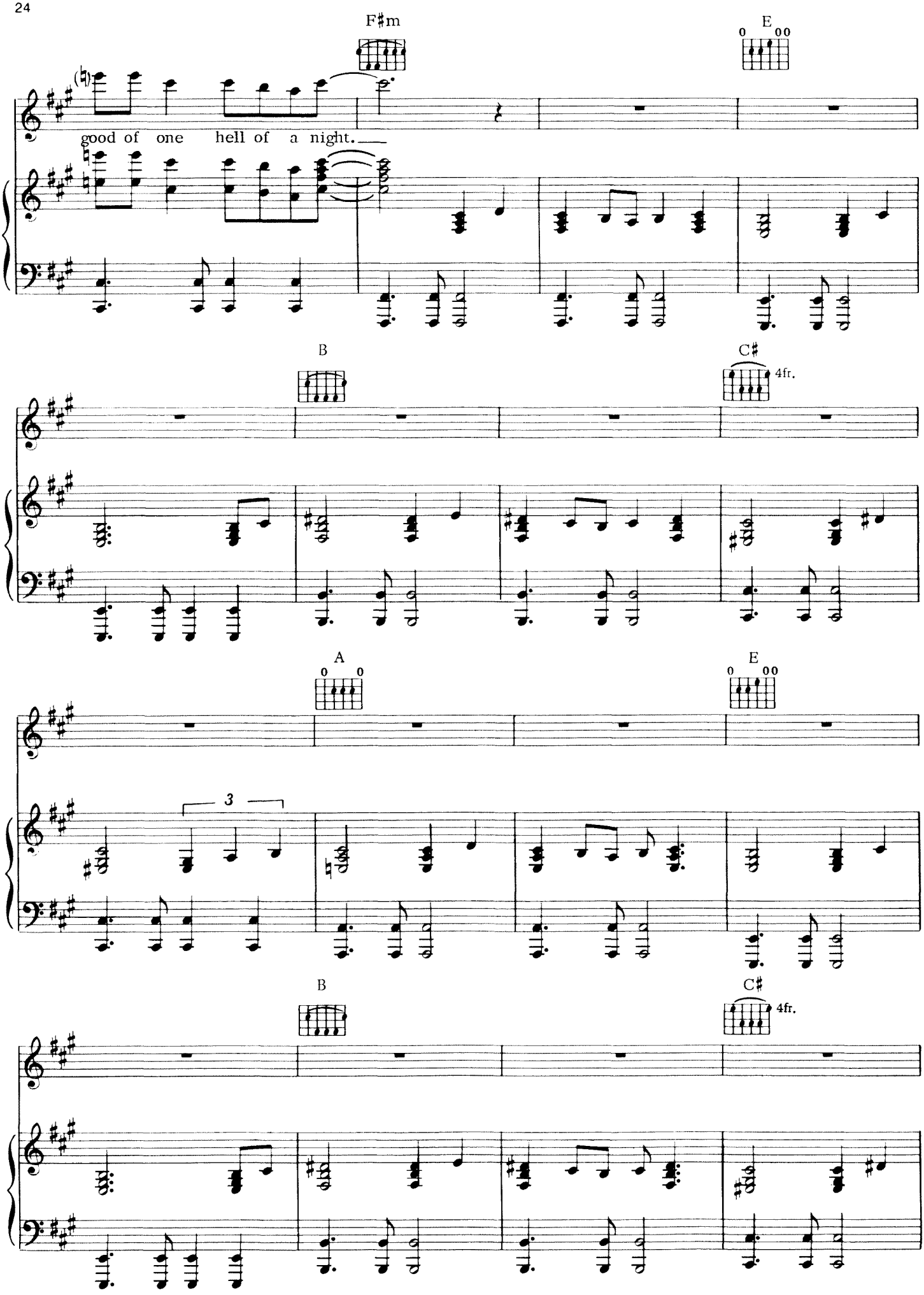

Bm
E
D. S. 𝄋 al Coda
Coda
A
E/B
You've been
and you think that I'll be bad for just a
A/C♯
D
lit - tle while,
and you
A
E/B
A/C♯
D
C♯m
4fr.
think that I'll be bad for just a
lit - tle while,

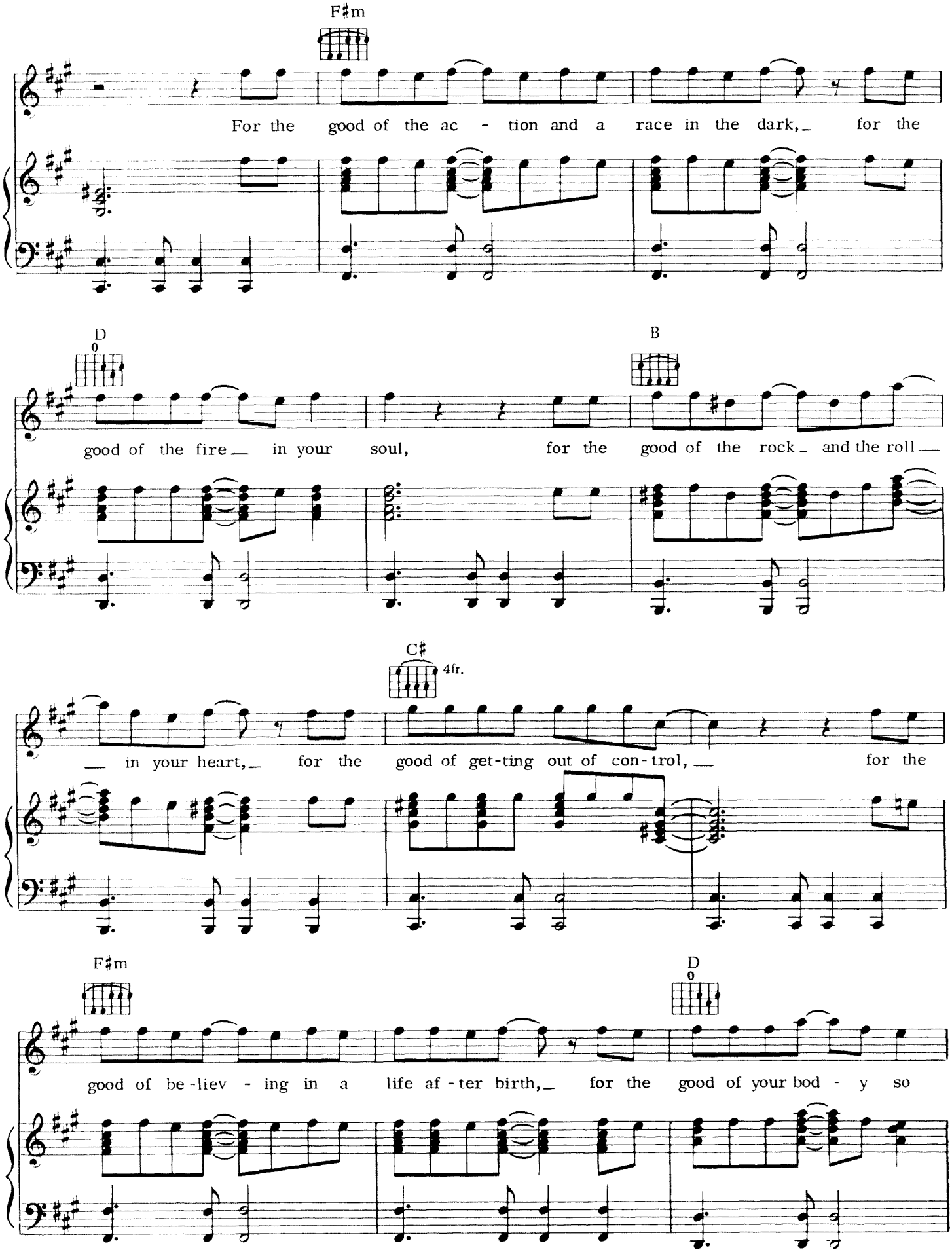

Bm
C♯m
4fr.
D
E
but I know that I'll be bad for good.
A
E/A
A
E/A
E/D
D
I
E
A
E/A
A
E/A
know that I'll be bad for good.
E/D
D
E
F♯m
I know that I'll be bad for good.

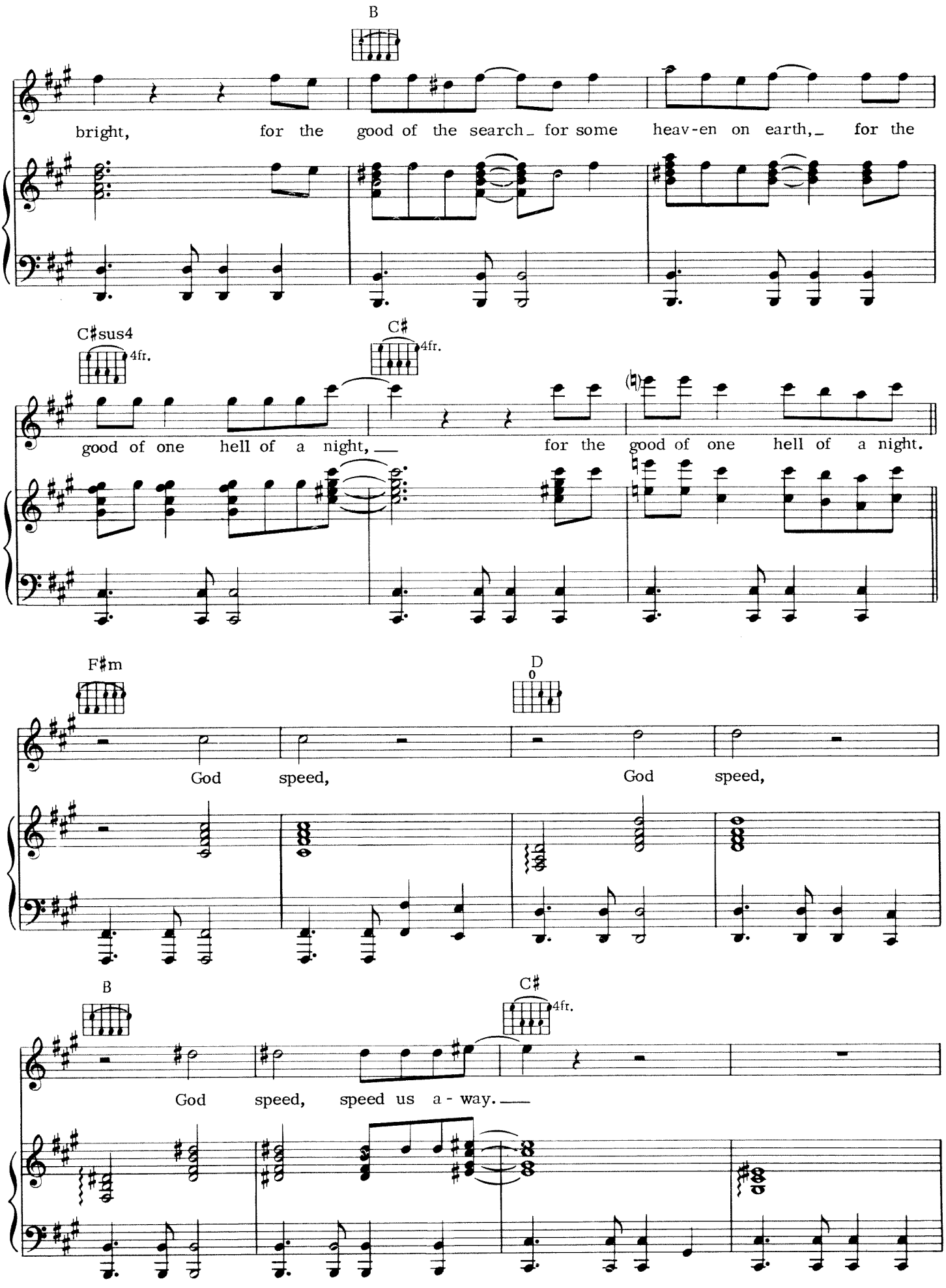

Bm
F♯m/C♯
Esus4
E
A
I know that I'll be bad for good.
E
F♯m
(♩=♩)
A
E
F♯m
(Bad for good, ___ bad for good, _
A
E
F♯m
_ bad for good, ___
A
E
F♯m
A
E
bad for good.) ___ For the

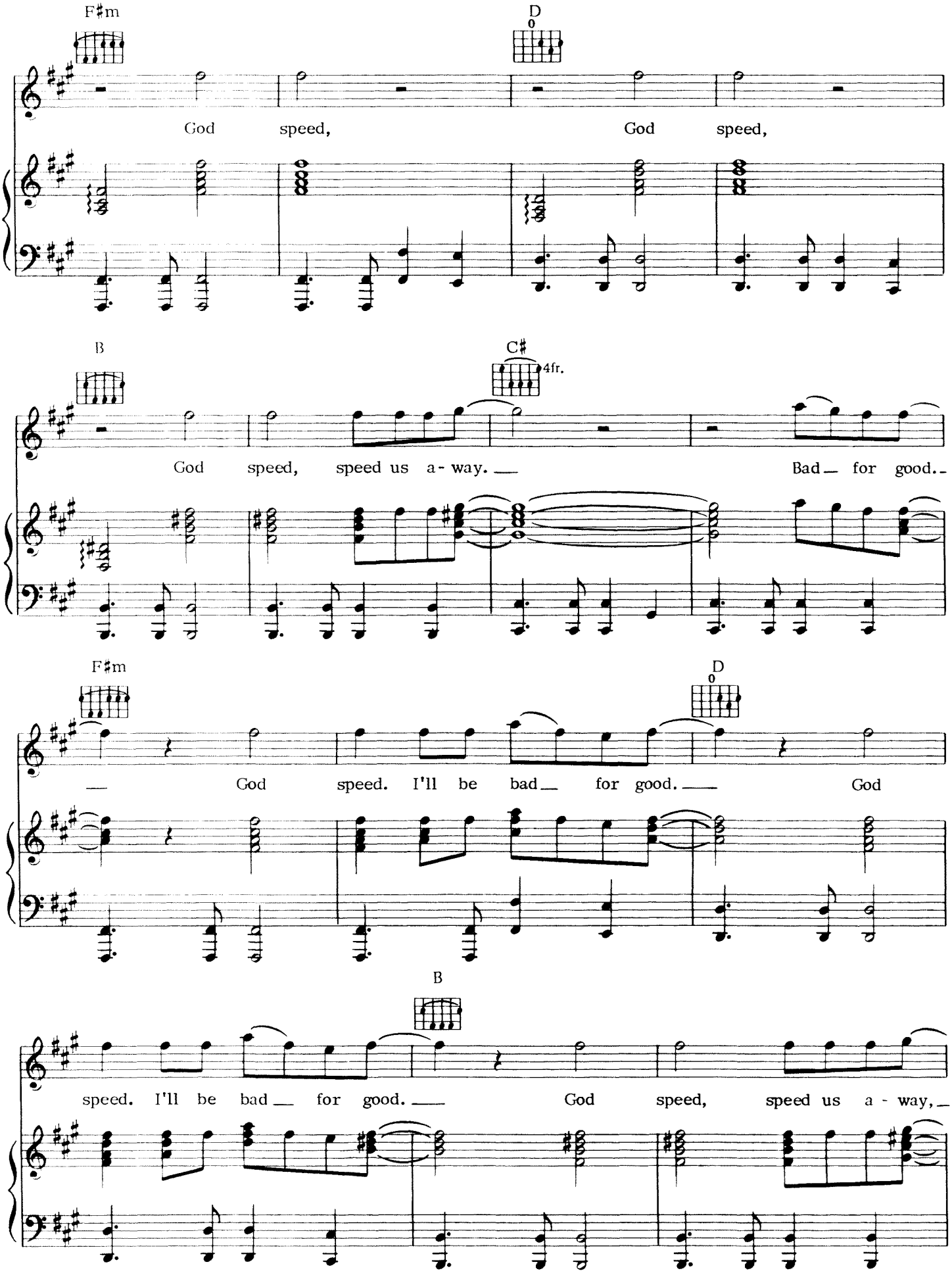

F♯m
E
good of some thrills_ on a long,__ frig-id night,_ for the good of the fire__ in your
B
soul, for the good of the kiss,_ let me hold__ you so tight,_ for the
C♯
4fr.
A
good of get-ting out of con-trol,__ for the good of the ac - tion and a
E
race in the dark,_ for the good of those chills_ up your spine,__ for the

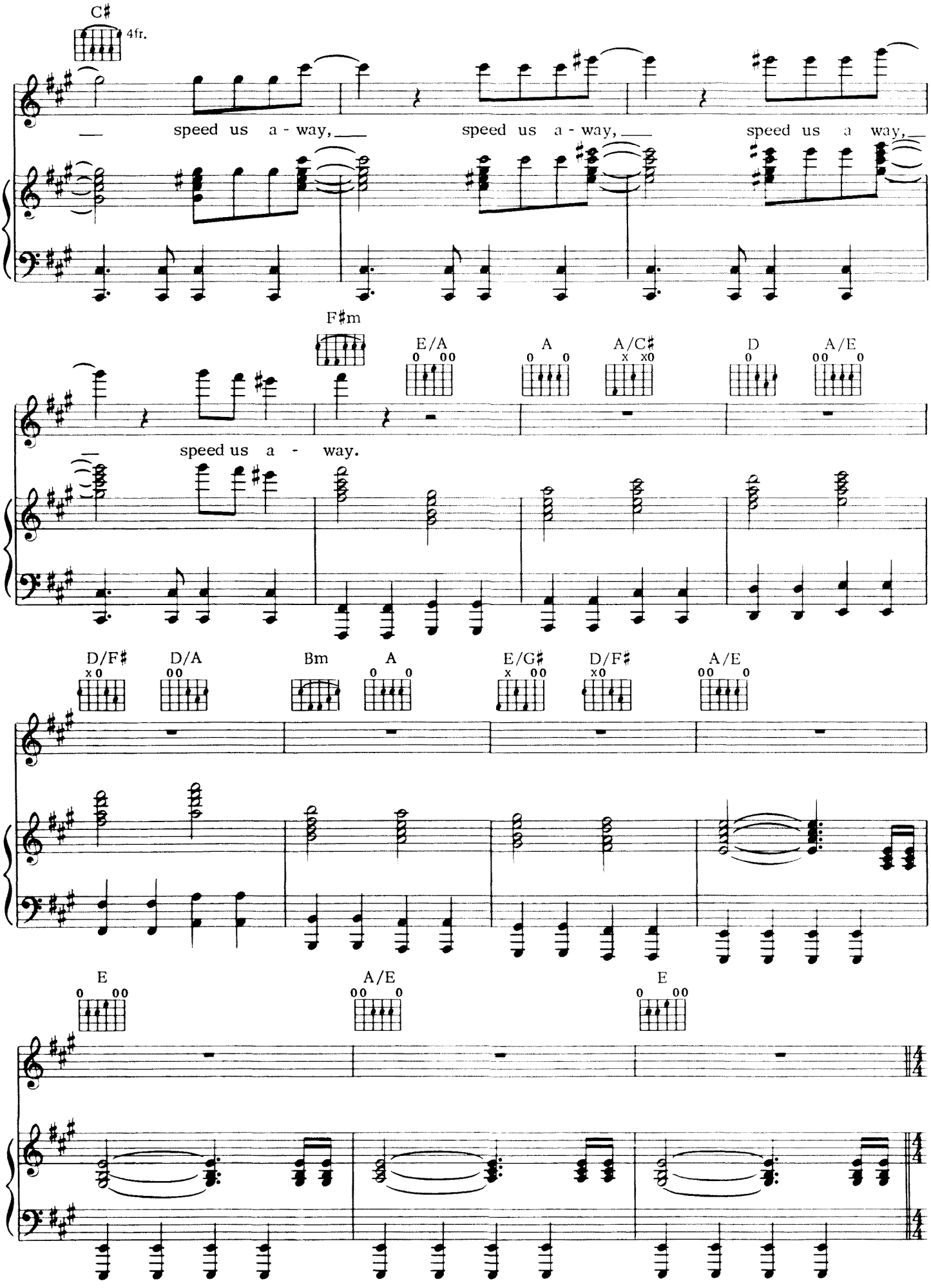

B
C♯
4fr.
good of the rock and the roll in your heart, for the good of what's yours and what's mine,
F♯m
for the good of be-liev - ing in a life af - ter birth, for the
D
0
B
good of your bod - y so bright, for the good of the search for some
C♯
4fr.
heav-en on earth, for the good of one hell of a night, for the

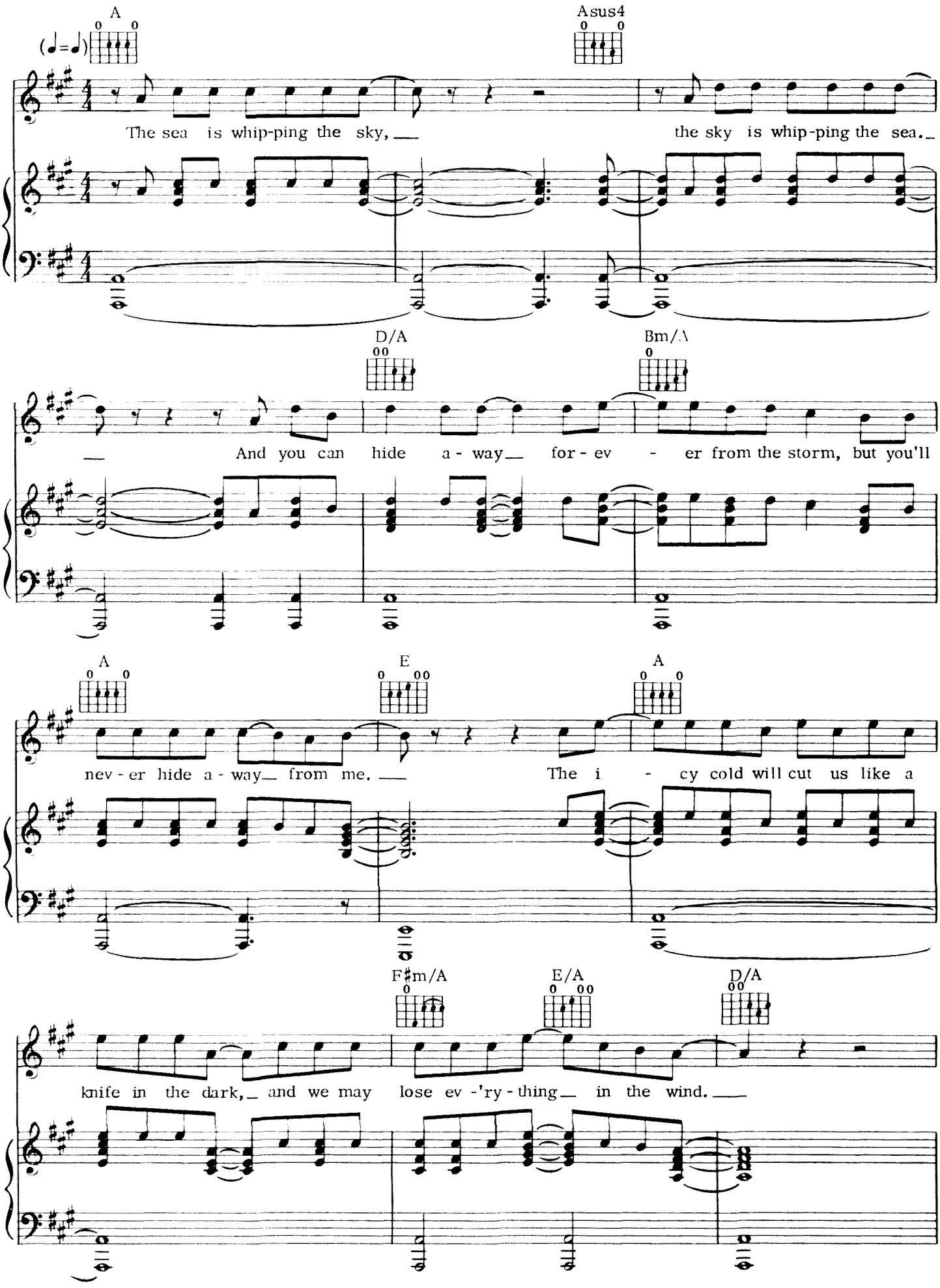

F♯m
E
good of one hell of a night.
B
C♯
4fr.
A
E
3
B
C♯
4fr.

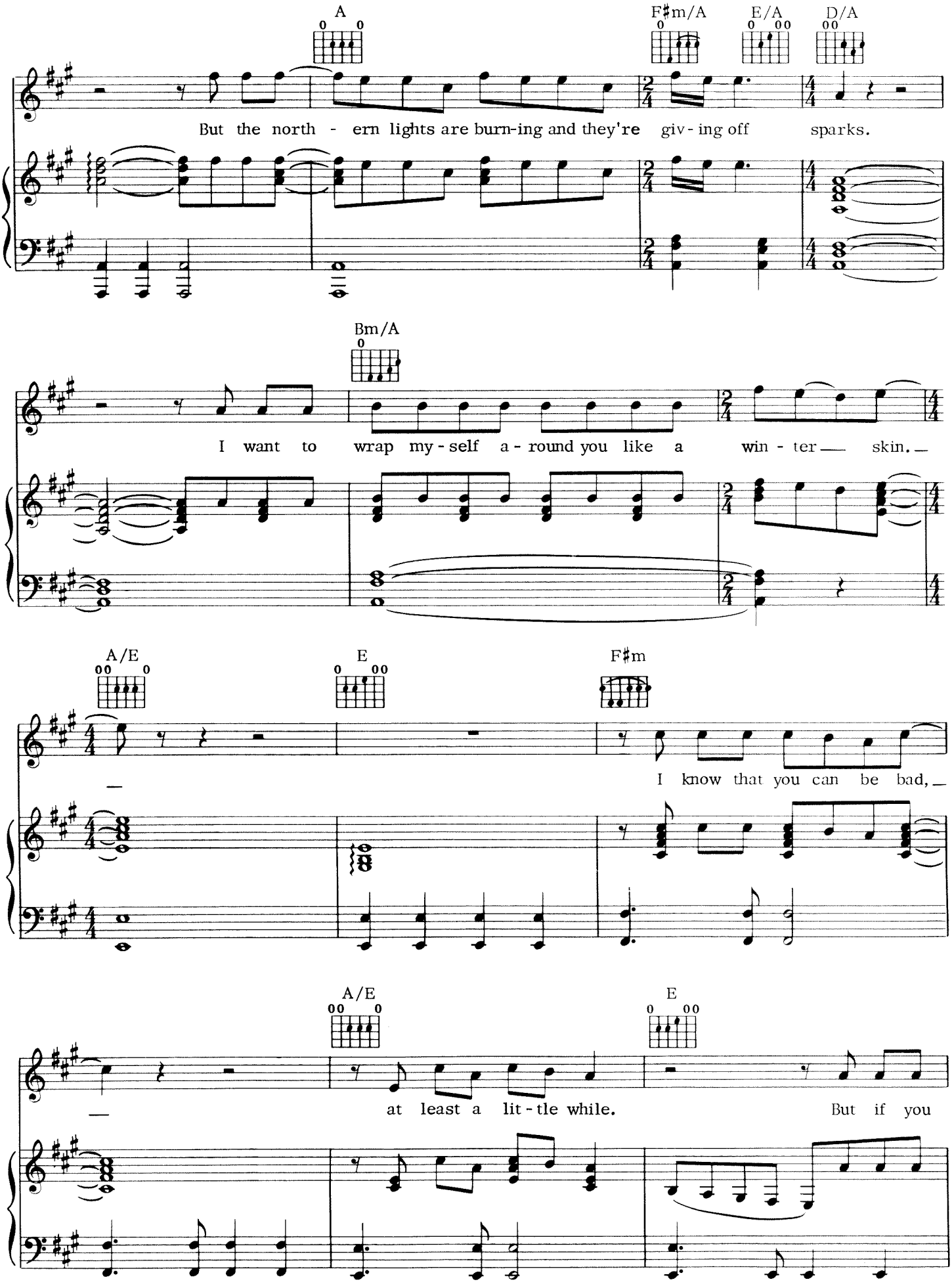

F♯m
For the good of the ac - tion and a race in the dark, for the
D
0
B
good of the fire in your soul, for the good of the rock and the roll
C♯
4fr.
in your heart, for the good of get-ting out of con-trol, for the
F♯m
D
0
good of be-liev - ing in a life af - ter birth, for the good of your bod - y so

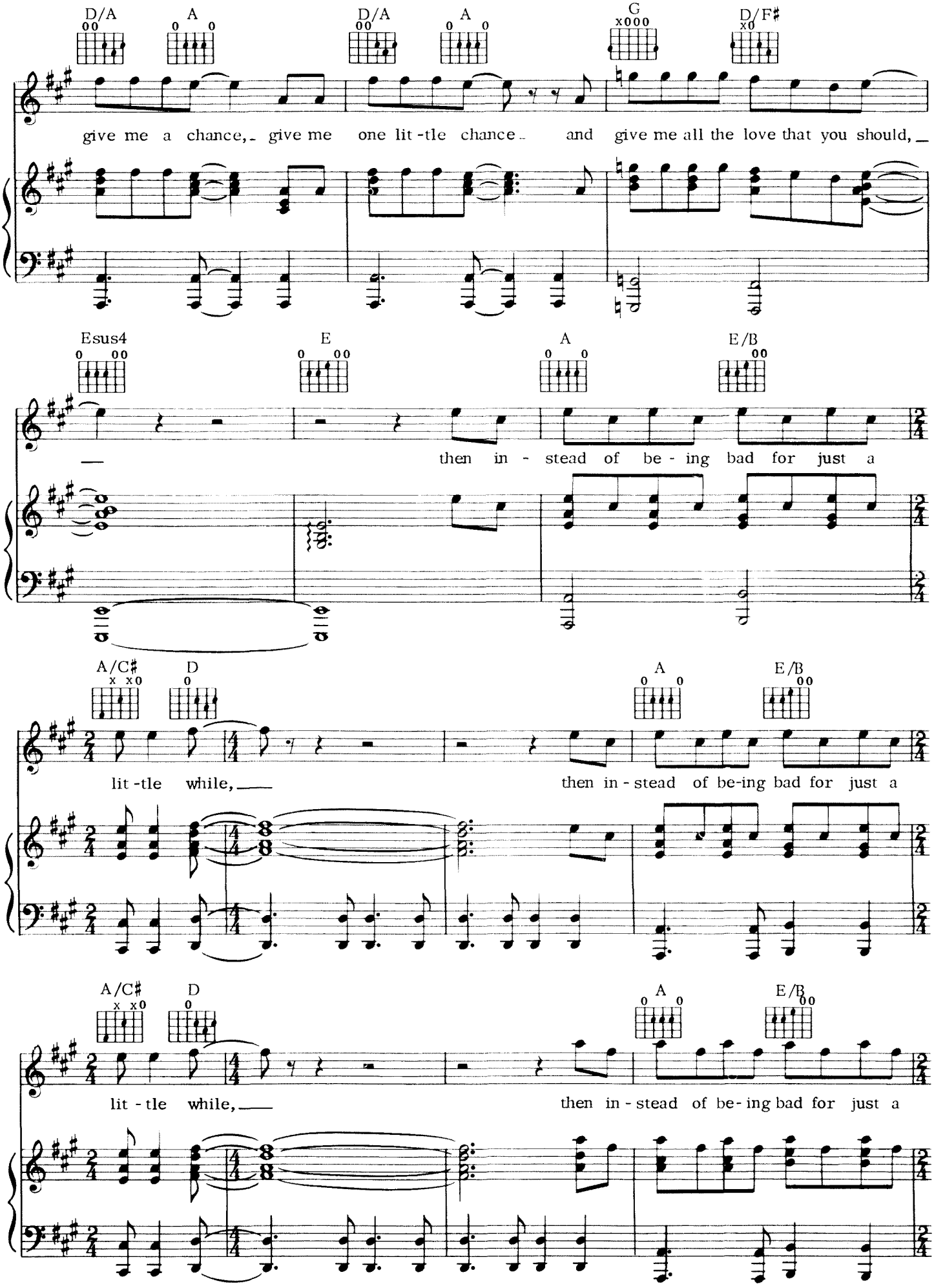

B
bright, for the good of the search_ for some heav-en on earth,_ for the
C♯sus4
4fr.
C♯
4fr.
good of one hell of a night,__ for the good of one hell of a night.
F♯m
D
0
God speed, God speed,
B
C♯
4fr.
God speed, speed us a - way.__

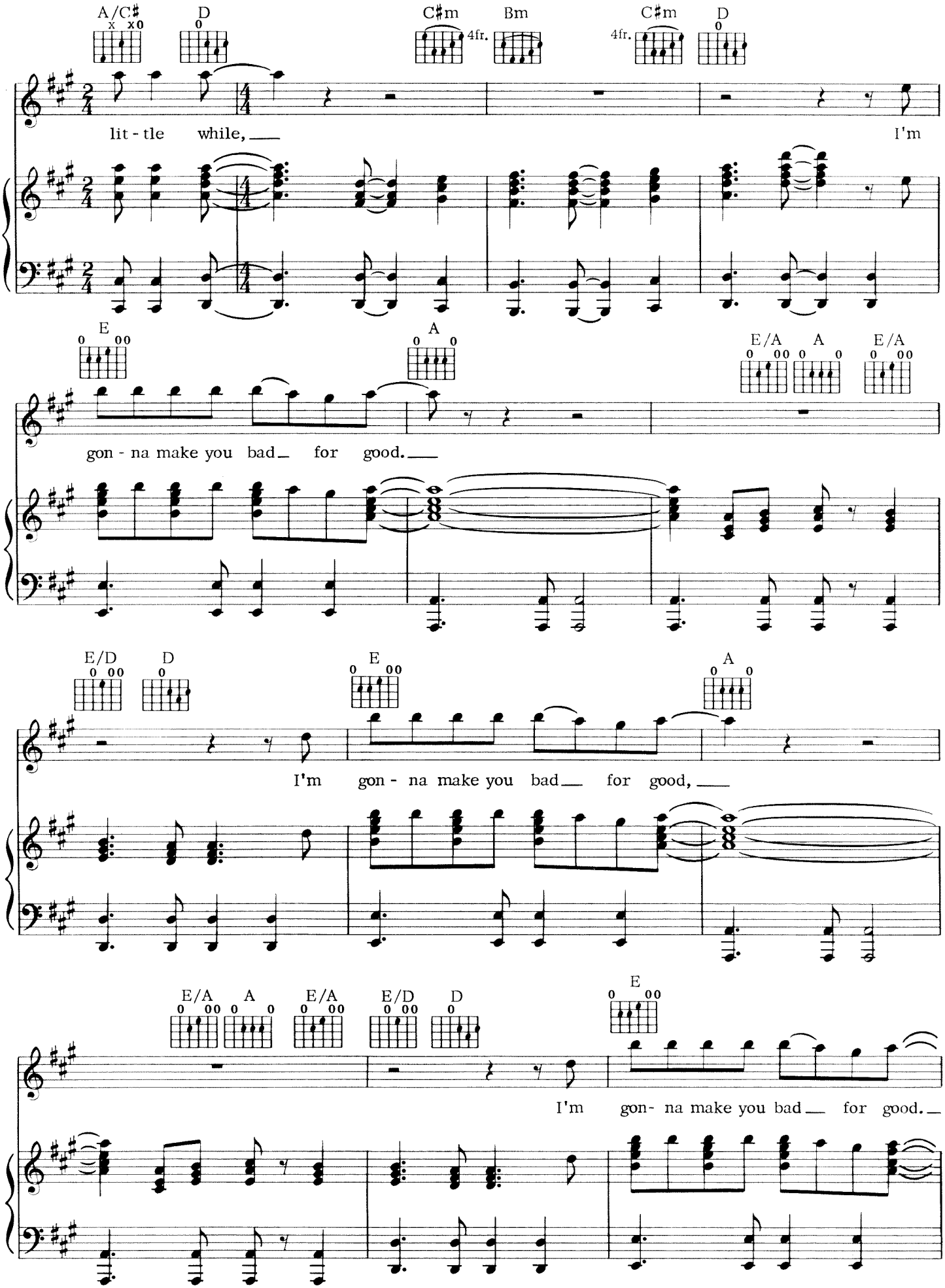

F♯m
D
God speed, God speed,
B
C♯
4fr.
God speed, speed us a - way. Bad for good.
F♯m
D
God speed. I'll be bad for good. God
B
speed. I'll be bad for good. God speed, speed us a - way,

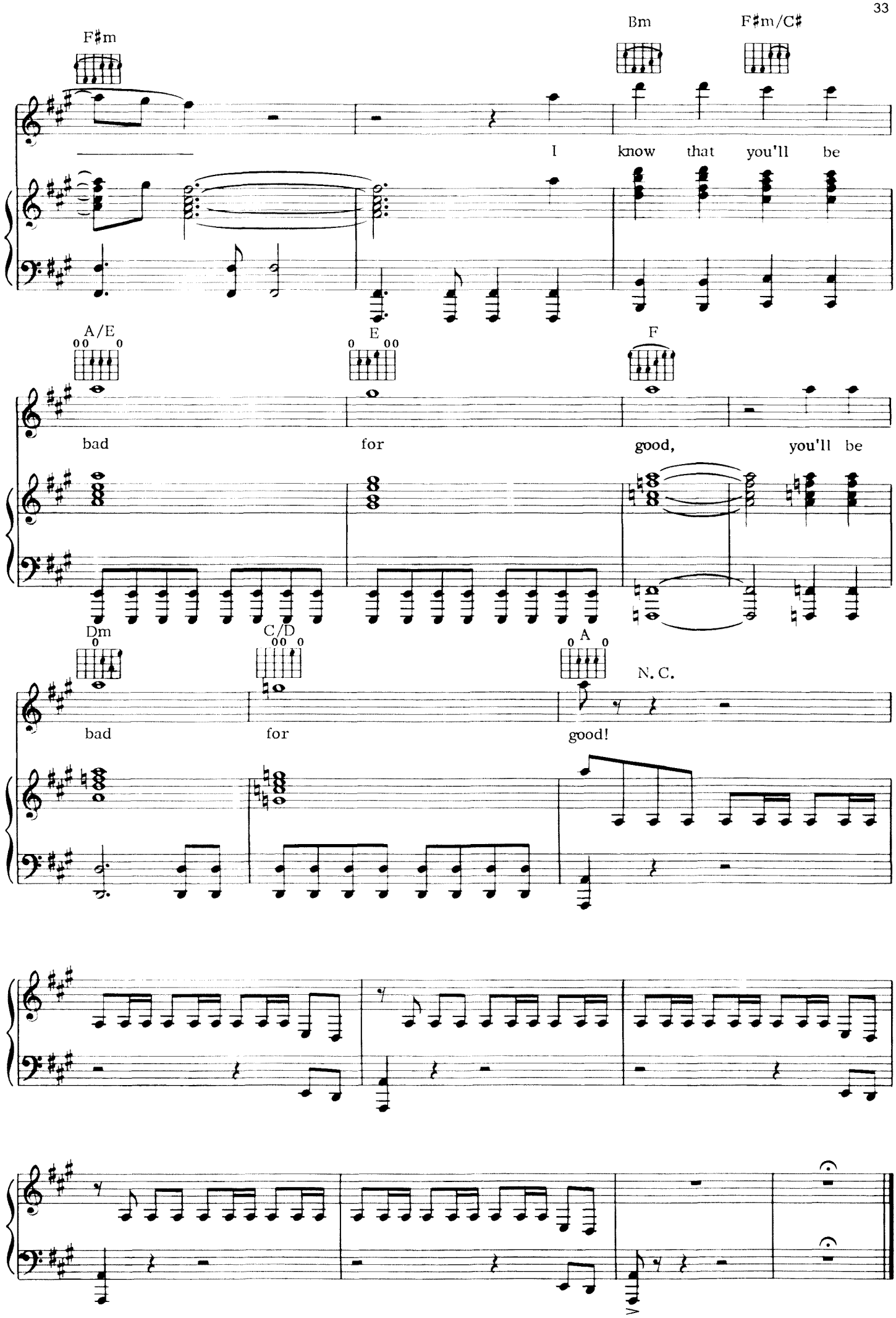

C♯
4fr.
speed us a - way,
speed us a - way,
speed us a way,
F♯m
E/A
A
A/C♯
D
A/E
speed us a - way.
D/F♯
D/A
Bm
A
E/G♯
D/F♯
A/E
E
A/E
E


A
Asus4
The sea is whip-ping the sky,
the sky is whip-ping the sea.
D/A
Bm/A
And you can hide a - way for - ev - er from the storm, but you'll
A
E
A
nev - er hide a - way from me.
The i - cy cold will cut us like a
F♯m/A
E/A
D/A
knife in the dark, and we may lose ev -'ry - thing in the wind.


A
F♯m/A
E/A
D/A
But the north - ern lights are burn-ing and they're giv - ing off sparks.
Bm/A
I want to wrap my - self a - round you like a win - ter skin.
A/E
E
F♯m
I know that you can be bad,
A/E
E
at least a lit - tle while.
But if you


D/A
A
D/A
A
G
D/F♯
give me a chance, give me one lit-tle chance and give me all the love that you should,
Esus4
E
A
E/B
then in - stead of be - ing bad for just a
A/C♯
D
A
E/B
lit-tle while,
then in - stead of be-ing bad for just a
A/C♯
D
A
E/B
lit - tle while,
then in - stead of be - ing bad for just a


A/C♯
D
C♯m
4fr.
Bm
C♯m
4fr.
D
lit - tle while,
I'm
E
A
E/A
A
E/A
gon - na make you bad for good.
E/D
D
E
A
I'm gon - na make you bad for good,
E/A
A
E/A
E/D
D
E
I'm gon- na make you bad for good.


F♯m
Bm
F♯m/C♯
I know that you'll be
A/E
E
F
bad for good, you'll be
Dm
C/D
A
N. C.
bad for good!