

I COULD HAVE DANCED ALL NIGHT

from *My Fair Lady*

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Music by FREDERICK LOEWE

Allegro molto

ELIZA:

Bed!

Bed!

I

mf

p sempre staccato

could - n't go to bed!

My head's too light to try to set it down!

Sleep!

Sleep!

I

could - n't sleep to - night! Not for all the

The first system of the musical score. The vocal line (treble clef) has a melody starting on a half note, followed by eighth notes. The piano accompaniment (grand staff) features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand. A blue handwritten word "start" is written below the piano staff.

jew - els in the crown! I could have

The second system of the musical score. The vocal line continues with a half note followed by a quarter note. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand. A dynamic marking *p* (piano) is present at the end of the system.

danced all night! I could have danced all

The third system of the musical score. The vocal line continues with a half note followed by a quarter note. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

night! And still have begged for

The fourth system of the musical score. The vocal line continues with a half note followed by a quarter note. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

more. I could have spread my

wings And done a thou - sand things I've

nev - er done be - fore.

I'll nev - er know what made it so ex -

cit - ing; Why all at once my

heart took flight. *ten. ten. ten.* I *ten.* on *ten.* - ly *ten.*

know when he be - gan to dance with

me, I could have danced, danced, danced, All *mp*

night! _____ I could have

pp

mf *dim.* *pp*

danced all night! _____ I could have danced all

night! And still have begged for

more. _____ I could have spread my

wings And done a thou sand things I've

nev er done be fore.

START

I'll nev - er know what made it so ex

cit - ing; Why all at once my

heart took flight. I on - ly

mf (non rit.)

know when he be - gan to dance with

cresc.

me, I could have danced, danced, danced

f

8vb

all night!

f

END