

# IN A CROWD OF THOUSANDS

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Freely

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DMITRY:

Moderato, with excitement

Asus2

It was June. I was

*p*

*mp poco rubato*

4

Esus2

A

B

C#m

ten. I still think of that day now and then. A pa -

7

A

B

C#m

D

rade \_\_\_\_\_ and a girl and a crowd of

10 A/B B E A E

thou - sands. She sat straight as a queen. On - ly

13 A B C#m C#m7 A B(add2)

eight, but so proud and se - rene. How they cheered! How I

16 C#m D A/B B

stared in that crowd of thou - sands! Then I

**Più mosso**

19 D(add2) D(add#4) D(add2) D(add#4) Amaj7/C# C#m

start - ed to run and to call out her name as the crowd on the road went

wild! I reached out with my hand and looked up and then she

*rall.*

smiled. The pa - rade trav-eled

*a tempo* *rall.* *f a tempo, expansive*

on. With the sun in my eyes, she was gone. But if

I were still ten in that crowd of

*mf*

Slightly relaxed

C#m C#9sus Amaj7 B5 A(add2)

thou - sands, I'd find her a - gain.

*mp* *p sub.*

E/G# A(add2) F#7(no3) ANYA:

ANYA: You're making me feel I was there, too. DMITRY: Maybe you were. Make it part of your story. A pa -

*poco rit.*

E B F#/B B E , F#

rade pass - ing by. It was hot. Not a cloud in the

DMITRY: A pa - rade pass - ing by.

*mf a tempo*

44 G#m E F# G#m

sky. Then a boy caught my eye

47 **A** **BOTH:** , **E/F#** **F#** **ANYA:** **B** **E**

in a crowd of thou - sands. He was thin. Not too

50 **B** **F#/B** **B** **E** **F#** **G#m**

clean. There were guards, but he dodged in be - tween. Yes, he

53 **E** **F#** **G#m** **A**

made him - self seen in that crowd of

56 **Più mosso**  
**E/F#** **F#** **A(add2)** **A(add2,#4)** **A** **A(add2)** **A(add2,#4)** ,

thou - sands! Then he called out my name and he start - ed to run through the

*mp*

59 Emaj7/G# G#m G G(add2,#4)

sun and the heat and crowd. And I tried not to smile, but I

62 G F#sus2,4

smiled... and then he bowed.

*poco rit. colla voce* *p sub.*

65

ANYA: You didn't have to. I remember. The pa -

DMITRY: I didn't tell you that. The pa -

*rall.*

68 E B E F#

rade trav - eled on. With the sun in my eyes you were

rade trav - eled on. With the sun in my eyes you were

*mf a tempo, expansive*

gone. But I knew e - ven then

gone. But I knew e - ven then

in a crowd of thou - sands I'd find you a -

in a crowd of thou - sands I'd find you a -

gain.

gain.