

DIAMONDS ARE A GIRL'S BEST FRIEND

from GENTLEMEN PREFER BLONDES

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March tempo
NC./C

First system of piano introduction. Treble clef, 2/4 time. Bass clef accompaniment. Dynamics: *p*, *cresc.*, *mf*. Chord: F/C.

Second system of piano introduction. Treble clef, 2/4 time. Bass clef accompaniment. Chords: Gb/C, F/C.

Third system of piano introduction. Treble clef, 2/4 time. Bass clef accompaniment. Chords: Adim7/C, Gm/C, C7. The word "The" is written below the treble staff.

Fourth system of piano introduction. Treble clef, 2/4 time. Bass clef accompaniment. Chords: F/C, Gb/C, F/C, C7. Lyrics: French well are con - glad duct - ed to die ren - for dez - love, they de - makes a

F/C Gb/C F/C F/A

light in fight ing du els. But
 maid en's heart beat quick er. But

Gdim7/Bb F/A F+

I pre fer a man who lives, and
 when the ren dez vous is through, these

poco rall.

Bb Gm7 C7 F

gives ex pen sive jew els.
 stones still keep their flick er.

a tempo

C7/G F

There A kiss on the hand may be
 may come a time when a

B \flat /F F/C C7 F F/A A \flat dim7

quite Con - ti - nen - tal, but dia - monds are a girl's best
 lass needs a law - yer, but dia - monds are a girl's best

C9 C7 \flat 9 C7 D7 Gm

friend. _____ A kiss may be grand, but it
 friend. _____ There may come a time when a

D7 G Am7 B \flat dim7 G/B Am7 G7

won't pay the rent - al on your hum - ble flat _____ or
 hard - boiled em - ploy - er thinks you're aw - ful nice, _____ but

C9 Gm7 C9 C13 Cm/F Fdim7 Cm/F F7

help you at the Au - to - mat. Men grow cold as
 get that "ice" or else no dice. He's your guy when

mp

Bb/F A/F Bb/F Bbm F/A A7/C# Dm G7

girls stocks grow are old high, and but we be - all ware lose our charms start in the de -

C7 F/A C7/G F

end. _____ But square - cut or pear - shape, these
scend. _____ It's then that those lous - es go

cresc.

Cm6/Eb Am7 D7 Gm7 C7b9

rocks don't lose their shape, dia - monds are a girl's dia - monds are a girl's best
back to their spous - es, dia - monds are a girl's best

1 F C7/G F C7 2 F Bb6 F

friend. _____ A friend. _____

f *mf* *f*