

Be the Best of Whatever You Are

$\text{♩} = 120$

The musical score is written in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of four systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The piano accompaniment is written in grand staff notation (treble and bass clefs). The first system starts with a piano dynamic of *mf* and a tempo marking of $\text{♩} = 120$. The second system begins at measure 7. The third system begins at measure 13. The fourth system begins at measure 20. The lyrics are: "If you can't be a pine on the top of the hill be a scrub in the val-ley-- but be be the best lit-tle scrub by the side of the rill; be a bush if you can't be a tree. If you can't be a bush be a bit of the".

If you can't be a pine on the top of the

hill be a scrub in the val-ley-- but be be the best lit-tle

scrub by the side of the rill; be a bush if you can't be a tree.

If you can't be a bush be a bit of the

26

grass, and some high - way some hap - pi - er make; _____ if you can't be a

Musical score for measures 26-31. The vocal line is in a single staff with lyrics. The piano accompaniment consists of two staves (treble and bass clef) with a consistent rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes.

32

mus - kie then just be a bass -- but the live - li - est bass in the lake! _____

Musical score for measures 32-37. The vocal line continues with lyrics. The piano accompaniment maintains the same rhythmic pattern.

38

— We can't all be cap - tains, we've got to be the crew, there's

Musical score for measures 38-44. The vocal line begins with a rest followed by lyrics. The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern.

45

some - thing for all of us here. _____ There's big work to do and there's les - ser to

Musical score for measures 45-50. The vocal line continues with lyrics. The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern.

52

do, and the task we must do is the near._____

59

If you can't be a high-way then just be a trail, if you can't be the sun be a

66

star;_____ it is - n't by size that you win or you fail -- be the best of what -

73

ev - er you are!_____ be the best of what - ev - er you are!_____

circa 2' 00"