

Bertha

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SB. 9 **A** (stop) Bm F#m Bm A Bm D

(Sonia) Wide, sol-emn eyes that quest-ion me, wee hand that pats my head. Where on-ly two have

15 A Bm A Bm D A

stroked be-fore and both of them are dead 'Ah poo - ah Dad - dy mine', she says with

20 Bm F# Bm G Bm Bm A Bm

wond-rous sym - pa-thy Oh ba-by girl you don't know how you break the heart in me.

26 **B** (stop) Bm F#m Bm A Bm D

(Ian) Let friends and kins - folk work their worst let all say what they will, Your ba-by arms go

32 A Bm A Bm (All men) D A Bm

round my neck I'm your own Da - ddy still! And you kiss me and I kiss you fresh kiss-es frank and free

38 F# Bm G Bm Bm A Bm G Bm

Ah, ba-by girl you don't know how you break the heart in me!

44 Bm A Bm **C** (stop) (Ian) Bm F#m Bm A Bm

When I was good I dreamed that when the snow showed in my hair. A

Fl.

51 D A Bm A Bm D A

SB. house-hold an - gel in her teens would flit a-bout my_ chair, To com-fort me_ as I grew old_ but

S. To com-fort me_ as I grew old_ but

57 Bm F# Bm G Bm Bm A Bm A Bm

SB. that shall ne - ver be_ Ah, ba-by girl_ you don't know how you break the heart in me!

S. that shall ne - ver be_ Ooo_ break the heart in me!

64 D A Bm G D A G A

Fl. D Bm A G F# Bm G Bm Bm A G

72 f p

81 E (stop) Bm F#m Bm A Bm D A

SB. (all women) But one shall love me while I live_ and soothe my trou-bled head And ne-ver brook an un-kind word of

88 Bm A Bm D A Bm F#

SB. me when I am_ dead Her eyes shall light to hear my name how e'er dis-graced it be_ Ah

Fl. mf

94 Bm G Bm Bm A Bm (Guitars & k/b end)

SB. ba - by girl_ you don't know how you help the heart in me! (all women) Ah ba - by girl_ you

100 Lento

SB. don't know_ how you help the heart_ in me! (Sonia)