

Speak Low

(From the Musical Production "ONE TOUCH OF VENUS")

Lyrics by OGDEN NASH
Music by KURT WEILL

Moderato assai (slowly)

PIANO

mf R.H. *mp*

C+

Speak

Refrain

Gm9 C9 Gm9 C9

low _____ when you speak, love, _____ Our sum-mer

Gm9 C9 Gm9 C7 F6 D7

day with-ers a - way too soon, too soon. Speak

B \flat sus9 Eb9 B \flat m sus9 Eb9

low _____ when you speak, love, _____ Our mo-ment is

G9 C9 C7(b9) F6 D7 Gm7 C7

swift, like ships a - drift, we're swept a - part too soon - Speak

Gm9 C9 Gm9 C9

low _____ dar-ling, speak low _____ love is a

Gm9 C9 Gm9 C9 F6 D7

spark lost in the dark too soon, too soon, I

B♭m sus9 *E♭9* *B♭m sus9* *E♭9*

feel _____ wher-ev-er I go _____ that to-mor-row is

G9 *C9* *C7(b9)* *F*

near, to-mor-row is here and al-ways too soon.

Fm7 *A♭m*

Time is so old _____ and love so brief,

mf più espr.

E♭maj7 *Fdim* *E7* *C+* *Gm9*

Love is pure gold _____ and time a thief. We're late _____

C9 Gm9 C9 Gm9 C9

dar-ling, we're late The cur-tain de-scends, ev'-ry-thing

Gm9 C7 F6 D Bbm sus9

ends too soon, too soon I wait

Bbm6 F Bb+ D7 C9 C9 +5

dar-ling, I wait Will you speak low to me, speak love to me and

espressivo *rall.*

1. F D7 Gm9 C+ 2. F

soon. Speak soon.

mf *a tempo* *L.H. p*