

# No. 2

# I Can't Be Bothered Now

(Bobby & Girls)

Cue: MOTHER: ...an excellent route. ...Bobby, get in the car!

(IRENE and MOTHER start arguing together, as BOBBY tunes them out, music starts.)

Slowly

BOBBY Ad lib.

1 2 5 6 7 8

S.Sx. Glock. Cls. +Vns. trem. p Cls. PP Cl., Hp. Bs.Cl., Hp.

Bad news, go 'way! Call 'round some

9 10 11 12 13

day In March or May, I can't be both-ered now. My

+Hp.

In Tempo (♩=106)

14 15 16 17 18

bonds and shares May fall down - stairs, Who cares, who

Cl., Bs.Cl. mf cup Tbn. Rhy: pizz. Bs., Gtr., Dr.

19 20 21 22

cares? I'm danc-ing and I can't be both-ered now!

Eb Cl. solo (+S.D. on shell)

Vn. *mf* Pno. harmon Tpts. wah

Tbn., pizz. Vc.

(MOTHER pulls BOBBY into the car, and IRENE follows them.)

23 24 25

wah wah etc.

(IRENE/MOTHER continue argument. In his dream fantasy, BOBBY rises out of the car and ends up dancing on the roof.)

26 27 28

Picc. 8<sup>va</sup>, Xylo., R.H. Pno.

Vn. *sfz* Hns.

Picc. 8<sup>va</sup>, R.H. Pno.

Eb Cl., Xylo.

Clas., L.H. Pno. +muted Tbn. 2

29 30 31

Clas. *f*

Hns., Vns. trem. *mp* *cresc. poco a poco*

+cup Tpt.

Vc., Bs., Tbns. (+Sus. Cym. roll)

32 33

Picc., Eb Cl., Pno., Vc.

+Vns.

Glock., Croc.  $\Delta$  I'm

cup Tpts., Clas. 8<sup>va</sup> *sfz*

38 39 40

up a - mong the stars; On earth - ly things I

Vns. 8<sup>va</sup> W.W., Pno., Glock. *tr* *tr* W.W. 8<sup>va</sup>, Vns. loco

Cl., Vc. *mf* cantabile

41 42 43 44

frown. I'm throw - ing off the bars That held me down.

Hns. Vns. +8<sup>va</sup> W.W., Pno. *f* Vns. (+Hns., Tbn. sust.)

(Rhy. cont.)

Rhy: Bs., Gtr., Drs.

45 46 47 48

I'll pay the pi - per When times are

Pno. 3 Cl., Vn. Picc., Pno. Eb Cl., Pno. *mf* Hn., Vc.

49 50 51 52 53

ri - per. Just now, I shan't, Be - cause you see I'm danc - ing and I

(Rhy.) Vc. Hns. W.W., Vn.

Bs. (Rhy.) Vc., Bs.

54 can't, 55 Be both-ered 56 now. 57-59 Slide Whistle

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Vc. 3

Bs. (+B.D.)

(Orch. tacet)

60 B.D. w/stage cue: stomp 61 62 63 64

W.B. w/stage cue: knock

Picc., Xylo., Tpt.

Hn., 8<sup>th</sup> Ob. *mf*

Glock gliss.

Picc., Ob. (Tpts. flutter)

Bs.Cl., Pno., pizz. Str., Tbns.

65 Xylo., W.W., Tpts. 65-a 65-b 65-c

Xylo., W.W., Br., Hns.

Str., Pno.

(During dance, BOBBY raises the hood of the car, and a FOLLIES GIRL jumps out. He dances with her. Starting at about bar 78, the rest of the FOLLIES GIRLS emerge from the car, dancing and singing.)

66 S.Sx., Cl. *soll* 67 68 69 S.Sx., Cl.

+Vibes, Tbn. flutter

pizz. Str., Pno.

70 71 72 73 S.Sx., Cl.

+Vibes, Tbn. flutter