

9 *molto rall.*
 — Watch and you'll see, — some-day I'll be

Maestoso
 13
 part of your world! —

SCENE NINE: King Triton's Court

(#19 **SHE'S IN LOVE.** *The SEA CHORUS "descends" and forms the court. The MERSISTERS enter, gossiping.*)

ALLANA

I'm talking about Ariel, that's who!

ADELLA

What about her?

ALLANA

She sure is acting fishy lately!

AQUATA

I'll say! Swimmin' in circles! Chasing her tail!

ALLANA

That girl is up to her gills in something!

She's in Love

'60's Girl-group Pop beat

7 **ALLANA:** **AQUATA:**

 She's diz - zy and she's drea - my. Her



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 grief! It's clear... She's in love!_____

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 — She's in love!_____

(Just then, ARIEL swims past, humming dreamily to herself.)
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 — Pound-ing heart!_____ Ring-ing bells!

30 **ALLANA:**
 — Look, I think she's ev - en wear - ing

ANDRINA, ARISTA, ADELLA:
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 brand new shells! She's in love!_____

AQUATA, ATINA, ALLANA:

 In love— and

MERSISTERS:

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— She's in love— Glo-ry

it's div - ine! That girl's—on sand-bar nine!

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be! Lord a - bove!— Got - ta be she's in

(FLOUNDER swims in, looking for ARIEL.)

ARISTA: Hey Flounder! You notice anything weird about you-know-who?

FLOUNDER: You mean Ariel? I'll say!

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love!

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(FLOUNDER:)

She acts like she don't see me. She

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does - n't ev - en speak. She treats me like sa - shi - mi left ov -

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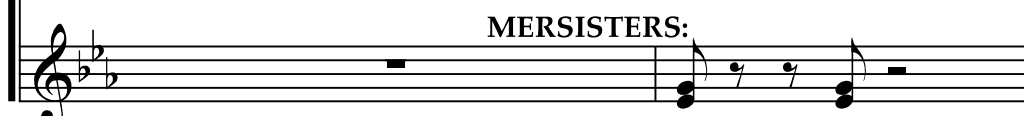
- er from last week. You see her late at night, tos -

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- sin' in her o - cean— bed. —

MERSISTERS:



shoop, shoop

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And she sighs, — and she swoons, and she's



shoop, shoop

MERSISTERS:

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hum-min' lit - tle tunes... Ev - en has a sort of glow.

55 **FLOUNDER:**

— What on earth— could it be?—

MERSISTERS:

A - ny

57 **AQUATA, ADELLA:** **ARISTA, ALLANA:** **ANDRINA, ATINA:**

ham-mer-head can see! That sigh! That glow! That

59 **FLOUNDER:**

Oh, no! She's in love!—

MERSISTERS:

swoon! Oh no! She's flipped,— it

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— She's in love!—

ne - ver fails! All hot— be -

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— See her hips, — How they — swish!

neath her scales!

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well-a well-a well don't you won-der who's the luck-y

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She's in love! —

sea-food dish? She's found — a

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— She's in love! —

deep-sea hunk! And now she's as

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See her blush! See her grin! Got-

good as sunk! See her grin! Got-

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- ta be love... A - ri - el and some - one

- ta be love she's in!

(FLOUNDER:)

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swim-min' in the sea... K - I - S - S - I - N - G!

AQUATA, ATINA,
ALLANA:

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She's in love!

ANDRINA, ARISTA,
ADELLA:

She's in love!

81 **FLOUNDER:**

SHE'S IN LOVE! She's in love!—

MERSISTERS:

SHE'S IN LOVE! She's in love!—

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— She's in love!—

— She's in love!—

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— Plain to see,— No mis-take!—

— Plain to see! No mis-take!

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Look at those moon-beams in her— wake!

Look at those moon-beams!

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Ob-vi-ous what they must be symp-toms of...

Ob-vi-ous what they must be symp-toms of...

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She's in love! She's in love! She's in

She's in love! She's in love! She's in

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love! Yeah, yeah!

love! Yeah, yeah!

(KING TRITON and SEBASTIAN enter, just in time to hear FLOUNDER bring the song home. **#20 FLOUNDER FLOUNDERS.**)

KING TRITON

In love – my little Ariel? So that explains it!

(FLOUNDER tries to swim away inconspicuously.)

Just a minute there, Flounder.

FLOUNDER

Who, me?