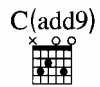


# ALFIE

Theme from the Paramount Picture ALFIE

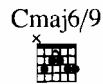
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Very slowly, rubato



What's it all a - bout, Al - fie? \_\_\_\_\_ Is it

The first system of the musical score is in 4/4 time. It features a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The piano part starts with a *mf* dynamic. The vocal line begins with a whole rest, followed by the lyrics 'What's it all a - bout, Al - fie? \_\_\_\_\_ Is it'. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords G7sus, C(add9), and Dm7/G.



just for the mo - ment we live? What's it

The second system continues the musical score. The vocal line has the lyrics 'just for the mo - ment we live? What's it'. The piano accompaniment features chords Cmaj7, Cmaj6/9, Em7, and A7.



all a - bout \_\_\_\_\_ when you sort it out, \_\_\_\_\_ Al - fie? \_\_\_\_\_

The third system concludes the musical score. The vocal line has the lyrics 'all a - bout \_\_\_\_\_ when you sort it out, \_\_\_\_\_ Al - fie? \_\_\_\_\_'. The piano accompaniment features chords Dm7, Em7, and Am7.

Dm7                      Dm7/G                      Cdim7                      Dm7/G

Are we meant to take more than we give, or are we meant to be kind?—

G13                      G9#5                      C(add9)                      Dm7/G

— And if on-ly fools are kind, Al - fie, — then I

Cmaj7                      Cmaj6/9                      Em7                      A7                      Dm7

guess it is wise to be cruel. And if life be - longs — on - ly to the strong, —

Em7                      Am7                      Dm7                      Dm7/G                      Cdim7

— Al - fie, — what will you lend on an old gold - en rule? As

Bm7 Eb6/D Am7/D

sure as I be - lieve there's a heav - en a -

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Bm7 Am7/D Bm7

bove, Al - fie, I know there's some - thing much

3

3

Eb6/D Am7/D Dm7/G G9 G13 G9

more, some - thing e - ven non - be - liev - ers can be - lieve in.

x 4fr

x 9fr

x 3fr

x 9fr

C(add9) Dm7/G F#m7b5 F9

I be - lieve in love, Al - fie. With - out true love we just ex -

4fr

Em7

Am7

F#m7b5

F9



ist, Al - fie. Un - til you find the love you've

Em7

Am7

D9#11

Dm7/G



missed you're noth - ing, Al - fie. When you walk let your heart

rall.

L.H.

a tempo

F#dim7

Dm7/G



lead the way, and you'll find love an - y day, Al - fie,

rall.

dim. poco a poco

Dm9

C7b9

Cmaj9

Cmaj7



Al - fie.

pp