

THE *Lotte Senya* COMPETITION SONGBOOK

“The Kettle Song” from *Darling Grenadine*

Music & lyrics by Daniel Zaitchik

GOD, YOU HAVEN'T REALLY CHANGED
YOU LOOK SO MUCH THE SAME
MORE REFINED—ARE THOSE SMILE LINES?
THAT'S A VERY GOOD SIGN—MEANS YOU'VE HAD A GOOD TIME
THE YEARS HAVE BEEN KIND

GOD, IT FEELS SO FAR AWAY
A DIFFERENT LIFETIME
WON'T YOU STAY A WHILE?
WAIT HERE, I'LL PUT THE KETTLE ON
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STAY FOR JUST ONE CUP, ONE MORE SONG

(INTERNAL) I HAVE A SECRET:
I PUT THE STOVE ON LOW
SO THE WATER WILL BOIL REAL SLOW
I HAVE A SECRET:
I DON'T WANT YOU TO GO
WHISTLE DON'T BLOW...

BUT THE WHISTLE BLOWS

(EXTERNAL) WAS IT ONE LUMP OR TWO? I DON'T REMEMBER
(INTERNAL) OF COURSE I DO, BUT WON'T SHOW YOU WHAT I'VE HELD ON
TO
WON'T BE THE ONE WHO LOVED MORE
THE ONE WHO'S STUCK IN BEFORE—
(EXTERNAL) WATCH YOUR HANDS WHILE I POUR

WAIT, IT'S FAR TOO HOT TO SIP
LET IT COOL A LITTLE BIT
LET'S JUST SIT
ARE THOSE SMILE LINES?
THAT'S A VERY GOOD SIGN
HAVE THE YEARS BEEN KIND?