

No. 8

"The Kite"

(Charlie Brown)

Cue: SALLY: Thank you, Miss Othmar. The squeaky wheel gets the grease! (She exits.)

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Allegro comodo (♩ = 152)

Fl., Pno. *mf*

Cow Bell

Pno., H-H

8th Fl., Va. (tr) (tr) (tr) (tr)

mp cresc.

acoustic Bs., Drs. (H-H swing eighth)

(C. BROWN enters guiding the string of a kite flying offstage.) *safety repeat [three times]*

mf

Pno., Va., H-H

sfz

(Bs. tacet to bar 14.)

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CHARLIE BROWN

Lit - tle more speed, lit - tle more rope, Lit - tle more wind, lit - tle more hope,

mp

Got - ta get this stu - pid kite to fly. Got - ta make sure it does - n't snag,

Fl. *tr*

Pno., Va., H-H

[C. BROWN]

Does - n't droop, does - n't drag, Got - ta watch out for ev' - ry lit - tle, Whoops!

Fl., C.B. ^{8va} Pno., Va., H-H
+W.B. +Bs.

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Lit - tle less speed, lit - tle more tack, Lit - tle less rise, lit - tle more slack,

Pno., Va., (H-H sixteenths)
mp
Pno., Bs., B.D.

Got - ta keep my wits a - bout me now. Got - ta make sure it does - n't get the

Fl. ^{tr} (Va. sust.) ^{8va} Pno. *gliss.* *sfz* *mp* Pno., Va., Bs. H-H *tutti rhythm*
B.D. (choke Splash Cym.)

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best of me Till I get it in the air some - how.

Fl. *poco cresc.* Va.
+B.D. (+Cym. roll)
CBR - Piano Conductor

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Mil - lions of lit - tle kids do it ev' - ry day. They

Pno., Va.

Va.

Bs., Drs. time

make a kite and, "poof" it's in the sky. Leave it to me to have the

tr

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one fool kite Who likes to see a lit - tle kid cry.

Fl.

ffz (Pno. gliss.)

Va.

(Cym.) (S.D.) (B.D.)

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Intense

Lit - tle less talk, lit - tle more skill, Lit - tle less luck, lit - tle more will,

Pno., Va. H-H

mp

Bs., Pno.