

Always a Bridegsmid

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W: Joe DiPietro and Dolly Parton (Arr. Kathy Potter, 2015)

largo

Fl.1

Bells.

11

allegretto

Fl.1

Bells.

A

16 **B** All Women

S.

A.

Well, I've walked down the aisle as much as Liz Tay-lor but I've al-ways stood off to the side Each

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25

S.

A.

Bells.

bride has me dressed in a gown I de-test Al-ways a brides-maid ne-ver a bride For

bride has me dressed in a gown I de-test Al-ways a brides - maid ne-ver a bride

34 **C** Kristy

S.

Cat-lin I wore sat-in which I looked real-ly fat in. Then a-gain you should have seen her man Ken; all those

42

S.

cal-or-ies—he logged up, 'til his ar-ter-ies clogged up; he died on the couch watch-ing the news on Ten

All Women

51

S. Too man - y wed-dings too man - y dress-es_ that all make my hips look so wide_____ Not a

A. Too man - y wed-dings too man - y dress-es_ that all make my hips look so wide_____ Not a

Bells.

Noni

59

S. gown I'd re-use dit-to the match-ing shoes Al-ways a brides-maid nev - er a bride_____ For

A. gown I'd re-use dit-to the match-ing shoes Al-ways a brides-maid nev - er a bride_____

Bells.

D

68

S. Ta-bith-a I wore taf-fe-ta you should nev-er peo-pldaugh at ya' But I had a hunch her mar-riage was doomed The

Soprano solo

76

S. groom tried_ to stroke me_ while we danced the Ho-key Po-key_ They divorced be-fore the hon-ey moon and

Bells.

E andante

allegretto

Gial

84

S. I _____ will al-ways love you _____ I will al-ways love you I will al - ways love you Once my

F

95

S. gown was_ ve-lour-ish made me look kind_ of whor-ish But my best friend De - lor - es was nev - er quite sane She

Bells.

103

S. shot her new mis-ter_ 'cause he bed-ded_ her sis - ter_ He's not dead but now he walks like John Wayne

Bells.

All Women

111

S. Too man- y wed-dings too man - y dress-es_ that all make me look so thick thighed My

A. Too man - y wed-dings too man - y dress-es_ that all make me look so thick - thighed_____ My

Bells.

Kathy

119

S. friends can't as-sess a man or a dress Al-ways a brides-maid nev - er a bride_____ When I

A. friends can't_ as-sess a man or a dress al - ways a brides-maid ne - ver a bride_____

Bells.

128 **G**

S. look in my clos-et there's a rain-bow de - pos - it of gowns so grotesque that I groan All those

Bells.

136

S. hus-bands are gone_____ but those dres-ses_ live on Ev-en moths seem to leave them a - lone_____

All Women

145

S. Too man - y wed - dings too man - y mess-es_ but at least I've hung on to my pride_____

A. Too man - y wed - dings too man - y mess-es_ but at least I've hung on to my pride_____

Bells.

152

S. I've lived life_____ a - lone but the terms are my own_____

A. I've lived life_____ a - lone but the terms are my own_____

Bells.

159

S. Al - ways_ a brides-maid nev - er a H

A. Al - ways_ a brides-maid Thank-you Lord! ne - ver a bride

Fl.1

Bells.

165

Fl.1 *trww*