

# Don't put your daughter on the stage, Mrs Worthington

Noel Coward (Arr. Wayne Richmond, 2014)

♩.=110

Fl. 1.

Vln.

Db.

9 **A** ♩.=90 *DW* free *SC*

S.

Db.

Don't put your daughter on the stage, Mrs Worthington; don't put your daughter on the stage. The pro

17 *DW*

S.

fession is overcrowded and the struggle's pretty tough, and admitting the fact, she's burning to act, that is - n't quite enough. She has

25

S.

nice hands, to give the wretched girl her due, but don't you think her bust is too developed for her age? I re-

33 *Both* ♩.=110 *SC* A tempo

S.

peat Mrs Worthington, sweet Missus Worthington, don't put your daughter on the stage.

41 **B** *SC* *DW* *SC*

S.

Vln.

Db.

Regarding yours, dear Missus Worthington, of Wednesday the twenty-third; although your

S. *ba - by may - be keen on a stage ca - reer, how can I make it clear\_ that this is not a good i - dea?*

Vln. *arco pizz arco pizz arco pizz*

Db.

S. *For her to hope, dear Mis-sis Worth-ing-ton, is on the face of it ab - surd.*

Vln.

Db.

*DW SC*

S. *Her per-son - al - i - ty is not in re - al-i - ty in - vit-ing e-nough,ex - cit-ing e-nough for this par-tic-u-lar sphere.*

Vln. *arco*

Db.

*rit DW*

73

*Both*

*SC*

S. Don't put your daughter on the stage, Missis Worthington; don't put your daughter on the stage. She's a  
 Don't put your daughter on the stage, Missis Worthington; don't put your daughter on the stage. Though they

Vln. *pizz*

Db.

81

*DW*

S. bit of an ugly duckling you must honestly confess, and the widow's other seat would surely defeat her chances of success. It's a  
 said at the School of Acting she was lovely as Peggys, I'm afraid on the whole an ingenuerole would emphasize her squint. She's a

Vln.

Db.

89

S. loud voice, and though it's not exactly flat, she'll need a little more than that to earn a living wage. On my  
 big girl, and though her teeth are fairly good, she's not the type I ever would be eager to engage. No more

Vln.

Db.

97

*SC*

*Both*

S. knees, Missis Worthington; please, Missis Worthington; don't put your  
 butts, Missis Worthington; NUTS, Missis Worthington; don't put your

Vln.

Db.

102

S. 1. daughter on the stage. 2. stage.  
 daughter on the

Vln.

Db.

