

From the Twentieth Century Fox Motion Picture "ANASTASIA" A RUMOR IN ST. PETERSBURG

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Moderately fast

The musical score is written in 4/4 time and consists of four systems. The piano accompaniment is marked *mf* and *non legato*. The vocal line is marked *mf* and includes lyrics. The score includes various musical notations such as slurs, ties, and fingerings.

System 1: The piano accompaniment begins with a 2-measure rest, followed by a melodic line. The vocal line has a 2-measure rest. The lyrics "St." are written below the vocal line.

System 2: The vocal line continues with the lyrics "Pe - ters - burg is gloom - y. St. Pe - ters - burg is bleak! My".

System 3: The vocal line continues with the lyrics "un - der - wear got fro - zen stand - ing here all week! Oh, since the rev - o - lu - tion, our".

System 4: The vocal line concludes with the lyrics "lives have been so gray! Thank good - ness for the gos - sip that".

gets us through the day! *Hey!* *f* Have you heard? *mp* There's a ru - mor in St. Pe - ters - burg!

f Have you heard what they're *mp* say - ing on the street? *mp* Al - though the Tsar did not sur - vive, one

daugh - ter may be still a - live! *mf* The Prin - cess An - a - sta - sia! _

But please do not re - peat! It's a ru - mor, a leg - end, a

mys - ter - y! Some - thing's whis - pered in an al - ley - way or through a crack! It's a

ru - mor that's part of our his - to - ry!

mp (They We'll say her roy - al Grand - ma - ma will

2

1.

2 3

pay a roy - al sum to some - one who can bring the Prin - cess back!

cresc.

1

2 1 3 1 4 3

find a girl to play the part and teach her what to say,

2 3

2.

dress her up and take her to "Pa - reel!" Im -

3

1

ag - ine the re - ward her dear old Grand - ma - ma will pay! Who

4

2

else could pull it off but you and me? We'll be rich! We'll be rich! We'll be *cresc.*

out! We'll be out! And St. Pe-ters-burg will have some more to talk a - bout Sssh!

Final Chorus:

Have you heard? There's a ru - mor in St. Pe-ters-burg! Have you heard what they're

say - ing on the street? Hey! Have you heard? There's a ru - mor in St. Pe-ters-burg!

Have you heard? Com-rades, what do you sup-pose? A fas - ci - nat - ing mys - ter - y! The

big-gest con in his-to - ry! The Prin-cess An - a - sta - sia!

A - live or dead? Who knows? Ssshhh!

Verse 2:

A ruble for this painting! It's Romanov, I swear!
 Count Yusopov's pajamas! Comrades, buy the pair!
 I got them from the palace. It's lined with real fur.
 It could be worth a fortune if it belonged to her!

Have you heard? There's a rumor in St. Petersburg!
 Have you heard what they're saying in the street?
 Although the Tsar did not survive, one daughter may be still alive!
 The Princess Anastasia! But please do not repeat!

It's the rumor, the legend, the mystery!
 It's the Princess Anastasia who will help us fly!
 You and I, friend, will go down in history!
 We'll find a girl to play the part and teach her what to say,
 Dress her up and take her to "Paree!"
 Imagine the reward her dear old Grandmama will pay!
 Who else could pull it off but you and me?
 We'll be rich! We'll be rich!
 We'll be out! We'll be out!
 And St. Petersburg will have some more to talk about!
 (To Final Chorus:)