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There's a Picture in My Old Kit Bag

Words and Music by
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Moderato

Piano introduction in G major, 2/4 time. The piece begins with a series of chords in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand. The tempo is marked 'Moderato'. The introduction concludes with a 'Vamp' section, indicated by a double bar line and the word 'Vamp' above the staff.

Voice

Vocal line and piano accompaniment for the first two lines of lyrics. The piano part features a steady accompaniment with chords in the right hand and a moving bass line in the left hand. The tempo remains 'Moderato'.

A sol-dier boy was writ-ing home to his Moth-er o'er the sea,..... Tell-ing of the strange and
A sol-dier wounded near to death in the heart of No-Man's land,..... There a white robed nurseknelt

Vocal line and piano accompaniment for the next two lines of lyrics. The piano part continues with the same accompaniment style.

aw-ful sights, in this war for hu-man-i - ty,..... He told his love for ones so dear, How he
by his side, on his head gently laid her hand,..... She raised him up in - to her arms As he

Vocal line and piano accompaniment for the final two lines of lyrics. The piano part concludes with a final chord in the right hand and a sustained bass note in the left hand.

missed them all at home,..... And thru her tears a Moth-er read These words for her a - lone.....
brushed a tear a - way, His lips moved slow-ly as he smiled, These words she heard him say.....

Chorus (Slowly)

There's a pic-ture in my old kit bag, in a worn old leath-er frame,..... It's as

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dear to me as our grand old flag, and I'll cherish it just the same;..... On the long, long trail to

No-Man's land, When my wear-y foot-steps lag,..... There's a cheer all the while in my

rit Moth-er's smile, In that pic-ture in my old kit bag,..... There's a bag..... *rit*

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