

# I Won't Give Up Till You Give In to Me

[aka The Happy News; George & Ira Gershwin Special Song #25]

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The first system of musical notation consists of three staves. The top staff is a vocal line in G major, 4/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The middle and bottom staves are piano accompaniment in G major, 4/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The piano part features a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.

The second system of musical notation consists of three staves. The top staff is a vocal line in G major, 4/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The middle and bottom staves are piano accompaniment in G major, 4/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The piano part continues with the rhythmic pattern from the first system.

The third system of musical notation consists of three staves. The top staff is a vocal line in G major, 4/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The middle and bottom staves are piano accompaniment in G major, 4/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The piano part continues with the rhythmic pattern from the first system.

The fourth system of musical notation consists of three staves. The top staff is a vocal line in G major, 4/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The middle and bottom staves are piano accompaniment in G major, 4/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The piano part continues with the rhythmic pattern from the first system.

Handwritten musical notation for the first system. The top staff is in treble clef, and the bottom two staves are in grand staff. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The first measure of the piano accompaniment is marked with a '4' below the staff. The system concludes with a double bar line.

Handwritten musical notation for the second system. The top staff continues the melody, and the piano accompaniment in the grand staff includes several measures with the notation 'bd' written above the notes. The system concludes with a double bar line.

Handwritten musical notation for the third system. The piano accompaniment in the grand staff features more complex chordal textures and rhythmic patterns. The system concludes with a double bar line.

Handwritten musical notation for the fourth system. The piece concludes with a final cadence in the piano accompaniment. The system concludes with a double bar line.



I Won't Give Up - or The Happy News

Oh just imagine the thrill  
A little house on a hill  
Where Jack is happy with Jill \* happy news  
I won't give up till you give in and we give out th  
If I could kidnap you there  
We'd make a peach of a pair  
And what a heaven we'd share

*change*

*line you up there*

I won't give up till you give in and we give

I've met ladies who  
mother thought would do

Pretty ones and clever

But I never fell somehow

Won't you understand -?

I just waited - and - here you are now.

# 25

There's no use answering no

I'm under 30 and so

With 50 more years to go - I won't

Remember if you say no

I'm under 30 and so

With 50 more years to go

I won't give up till you give in

You're sweeter than caramel

I'm falling under your spell

You're more than simply swell

But please come out of your shell

You've got that je ne sais quoi

That makes the others look blan

And make ~~mm~~ my heart ra ta ta

The starry heavens may fall

My caddy may find the ball

That's not important at all

Tho you may summon a cop

You'll never get me to stop

I'm after you till I drop

When 2 and 7 make ten

When And steel's 200 agin

I may slow up but till then

*When steel is way up again*

The market may go to smash  
And take the last of my cash

This persistent case  
Hates to make a fuss

Take a look at me  
Jan 23

Thrilling to the core  
Then + there I swore.

Your resistance  
To my persistence.

Is a new world's record.

chequered.

So: I won't give in so please give up + go right out  
the nearest door.