

My Sunday Fella

[aka George & Ira Gershwin Miscellaneous Song #21f]
(from Show Girl)

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Handwritten musical score for the song "My Sunday Fella". The score is written on four systems of staves, each with lyrics above the top staff. The first system contains the lyrics: "EV- 'RY SUN- DAY WHEN I GO TO MEET- ING HOW MY HEART KEEPS". The second system contains: "BEAT- ING I'M ALL A- GLOW .". The third system contains: "THERE'S A SER- MON BUT MY HEART'S NOT IN IT THINK- ING OF THE". The fourth system contains: "MIN- UTE I'LL SEE MY BEAU". The music is written in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The notation includes various note values, rests, and dynamic markings. There are some handwritten annotations, such as a circled '2' below the third system and a circled '1' below the fourth system. The score is presented in a handwritten style, likely a working draft or a personal manuscript.

WHILE THE PAR-SON RAM-BLES ON AND ON, I NEV-ER HEAR HIM TALK

I CAN ON-LY KEEP MY MIND UP-ON THAT HOME- WARD WALK

Chorus

STROLL-ING UN-DER- NEATH MY NEW UM- BREL- LA MY SUN-DAY

FEL- LA AND ME HE'S MY PRINCE AND I'M HIS CIN-DER-

EL- LA MY SUN-DAY FEL- LA AND

ME I KNOW THE GOOD IN ME SAYS ON- LY MEET HIM



SUN- DAY BUT OH! THE BAD IN ME JUST MAKES US MEET ON

MON- DAY AND TUES- DAY WEDNES- DAY THURS- DAY FRI- DAY

SATUR- DAY MY SUN- DAY FEL- LA AND

ME ME



MY SUNDAY FELLA

Ev'ry Sunday

When I go to meeting,

How my heart keeps beating -

I'm all a-glow!

There's a sermon,

But my heart's not in it

Thinking of the minute

I'll see my beau.

While the parson rambles on and on,

I never hear him talk;

I can only keep my mind upon

That homeward walk.

REFRAIN

Strolling underneath my new umbrella -

My Sunday fella and me;

He's my Prince and I'm his Cinderella -

My Sunday fella and me!

I know the good in me says "only meet him Sunday;" -
But oh! the bad in me just makes us meet on Monday

And

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday -

My Sunday Fella and me !