

I Don't Want To Set The World On Fire

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The musical score is written on a single staff in G major, 4/4 time. It begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody is composed of eighth and quarter notes, with some measures containing beamed sixteenth notes. Chord symbols are placed above the staff at various intervals: F, Fdim, Gm, Bbm, C7, Gm, C7, A+ D7, G7+ C7, F, Fdim, Bbm, C7, Gm, C7, F, Eb6, E6, F6, Cm7, F7, Cm7, F7, Bb, A, Bb, Dm, G7, Dm, G7, Dm, G7, Fdim, G7, F, Gm, C7, Opt, F, G7, C7, F. The lyrics are written below the staff, with some words underlined. The song concludes with a double bar line.

I DON'T WANT TO SET THE WORLD ON FIRE I just want to start
a flame in your heart In my heart I have but one de-sire And that one is you
No oth-er will do I've lost all am-bi-tion for world ly ac-claim
I just want to be the one you love And with your ad-mis-sion that you feel the same
I'll have reached the goal I'm dream-ing of be-lieve me! I DON'T WANT TO SET THE WORLD ON
FIRE I just want to start a flame in your heart.

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