

Fast Car

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Intro

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Steelpan

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(D) (A)

(F#) (E)

(D) (A)

(F#) (E)

(D) (A)

(F#) (E)

(D) (A)

Verse

(F#) (E)

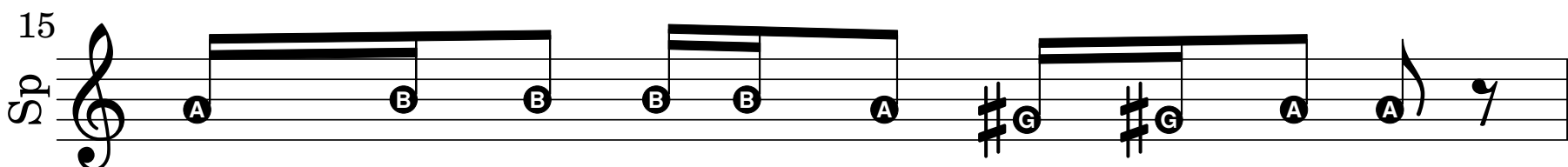
(D) You got a fast (A) car

(F#) I want a tick-et (E) to an- -y- -where

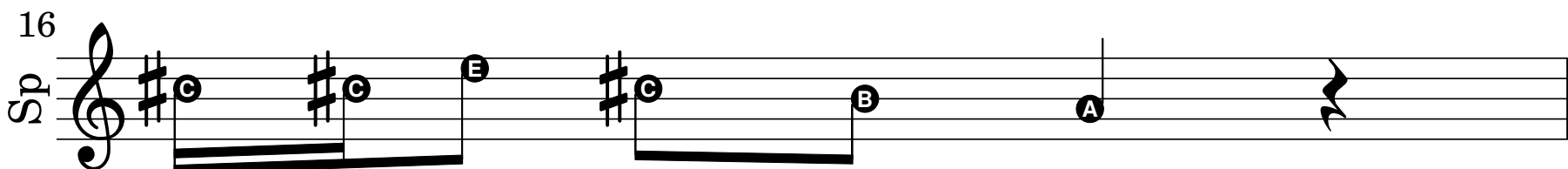
(D) May- -be we make a (A) deal

(F#) may- be to- -ge- -ther (E) we can get some- -where

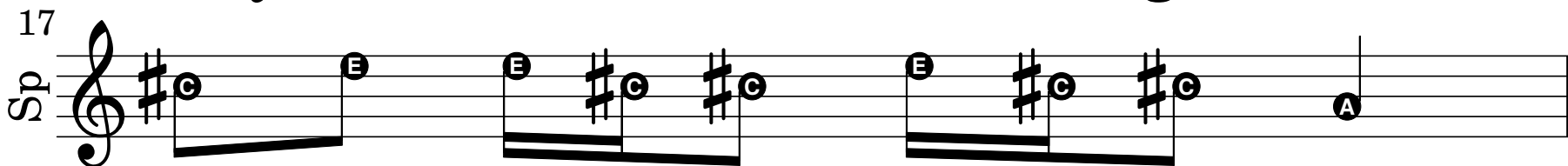
(D) a- -ny place is (A) bet- -ter



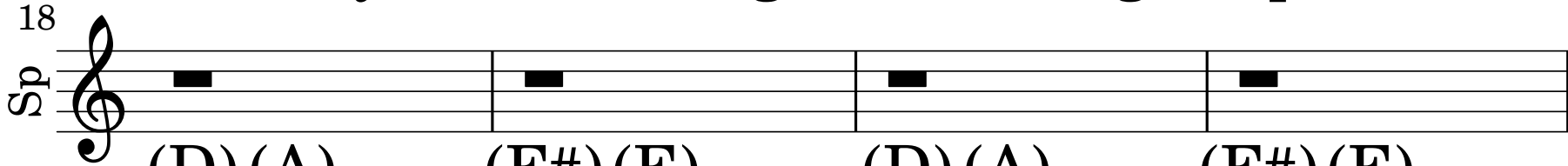
(F#)start- -ing from ze- -ro (E)got no- -thing to lose



(D)may- -be we'll make (A)some- -thing



(F#)me my- -self I (E)got no- -thing to prove

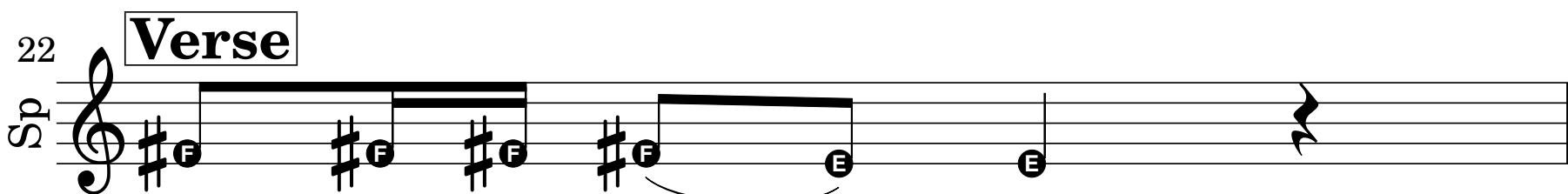


(D) (A)

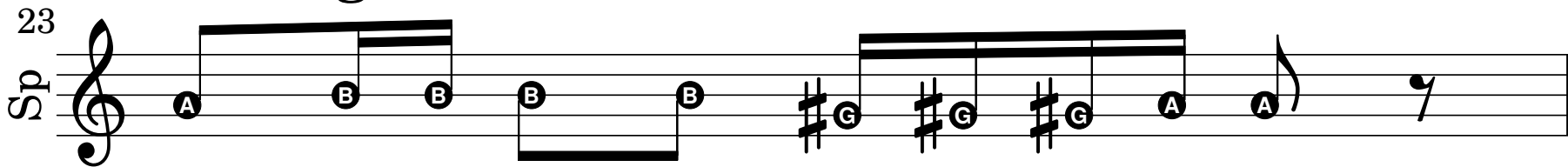
(F#) (E)

(D) (A)

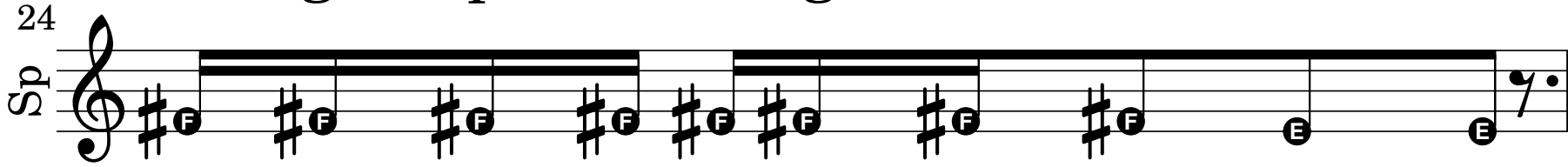
(F#) (E)



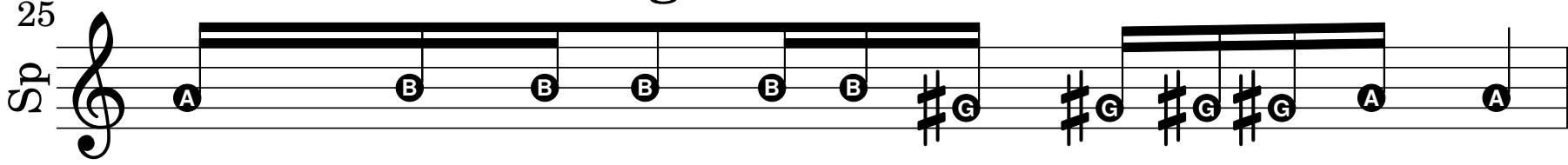
(D)You got a fast (A) car



(F#)I got a plan (E)to get us out of here



(D)I been work- -ing at the (A)con- -ve- -nience store



(F#)ma- -naged to save just a (E)lit- -tle bit of mo- -ney

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26
Sp

(D)won't have to drive (A)too far

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Sp

(F#)just 'cross the bor- -der (E)and in- -to the ci- -ty

28
Sp

(D)you and I (A)can both get jobs

29
Sp

(F#)and fi- -nal- -ly see (E)what it means to be li- -ving

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Sp

(D) (A) (F#) (E) (D) (A) (F#) (E) you see

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Sp
Verse

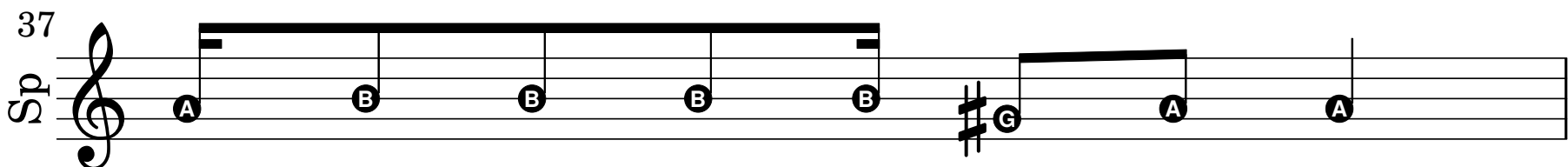
(D)my old man's got a (A)pro- -blem

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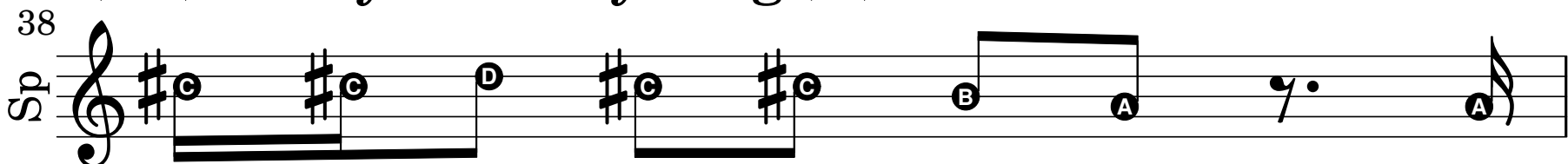
(F#)he live with the (E)bot- -tle that's the way it is

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Sp

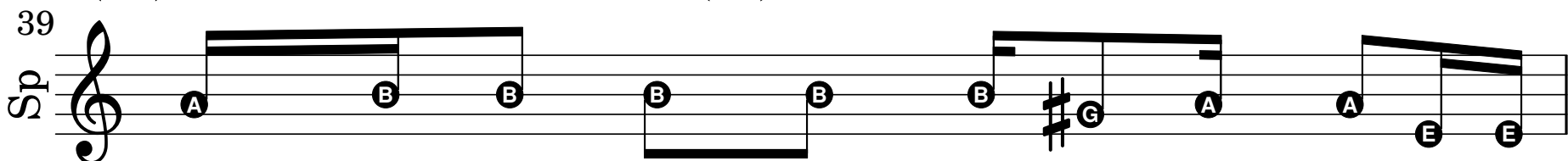
(D)bo- -dy's too old (A)for work- -ing



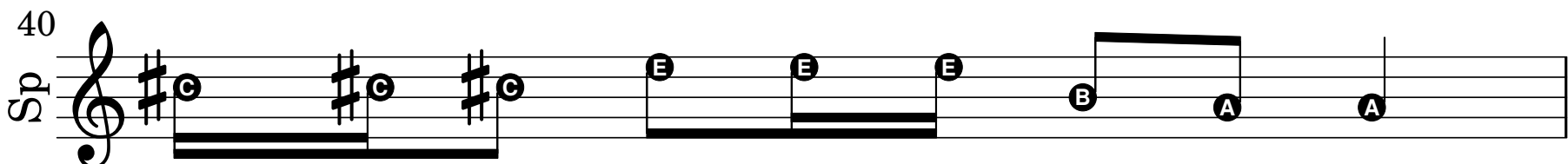
(F#)bo--dy's too young(E)to look like this



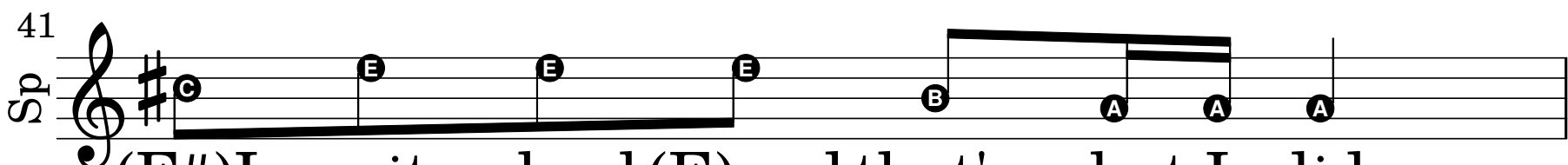
(D)ma--ma went off (A)and left him she



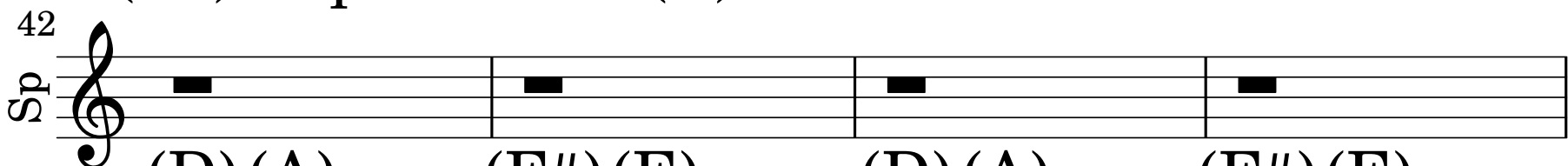
(F#)want--ed more from (E)life than he could give I said



(D)some--bo--dy's got (A)to take care of him



(F#)I quit school(E)and that's what I did



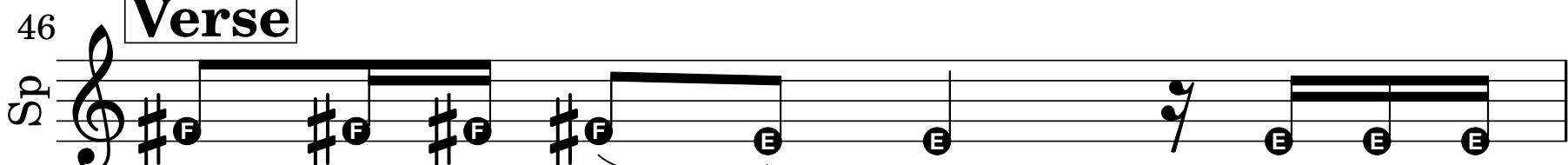
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(F#) (E)

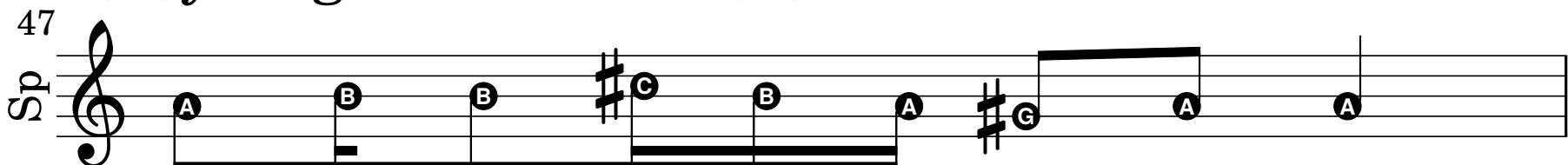
(D) (A)

(F#) (E)

Verse



(D)you got a fast (A) car but is it



(F#)fast e--nough so(E)we can fly a--way

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48
Sp
(D)we got to make (A)a de- -ci- -sion

49
Sp
(F#)leave to- -night or (E)live and die this way

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Sp
(D) (A) (F#) (E) (D) (F#)


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Sp
(F#) 'cause I re- -mem- -ber when we were

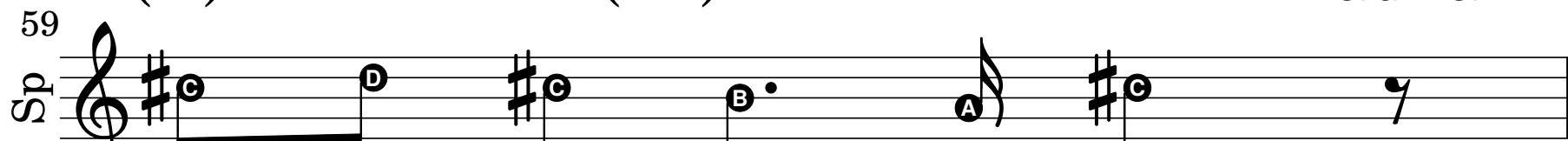
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Sp
Chorus
(D)dri- -ving dri- -ving in your car the

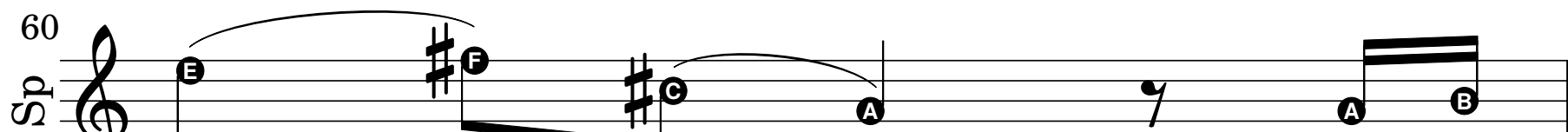
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Sp
(A)speed so fast I felt like I was drunk

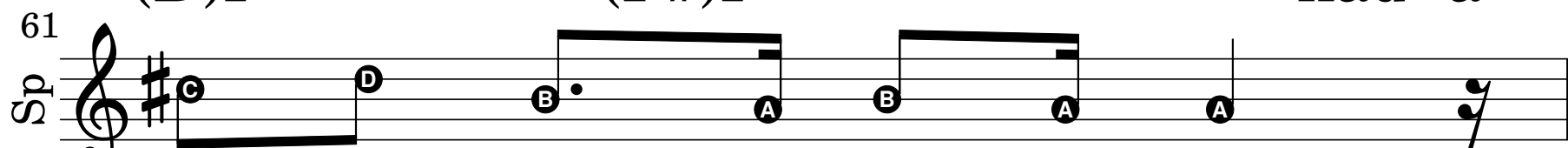
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Sp
(F#) ci- -ty lights lay out be- -fore us and your

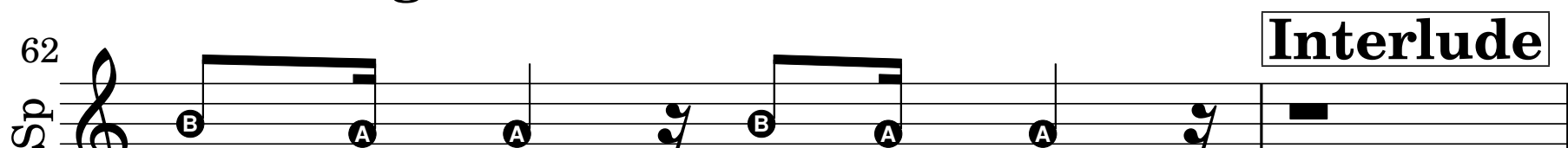
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Sp
(E)arm felt nice wrapped 'round my shoul- -der and

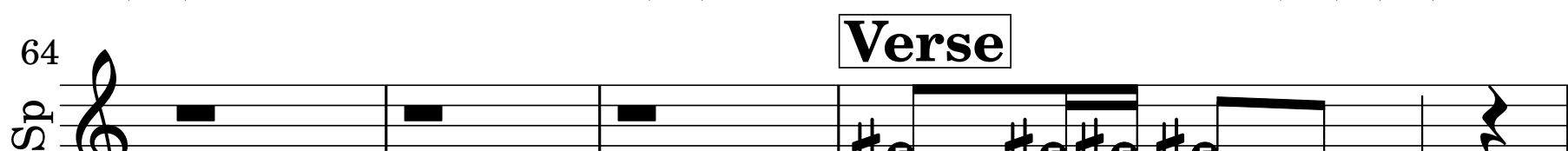
58 Sp 
 (D)I (F#)I had a

59 Sp 
 (E)feel- -ing that I be- -longed

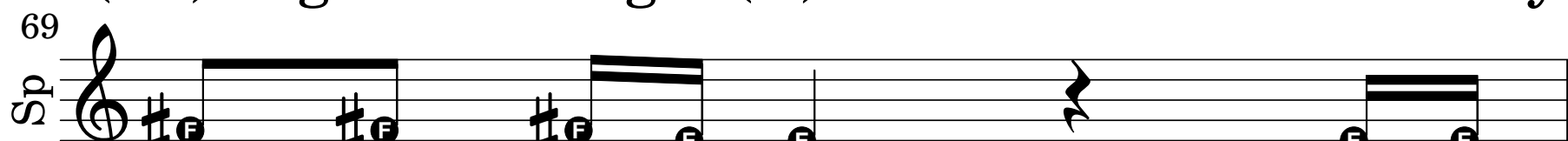
60 Sp 
 (D)I (F#)I had a

61 Sp 
 (E)feel- -ing I could be some- -one

62 Sp 
 (D)be some- -one (E)be some- -one (D) (A) **Interlude**

64 Sp 
 (F#) (E) (D) (A) (F#) (E) (D) You got a fast (A) car **Verse**

68 Sp 
 (F#)we go cruis- -ing to (E)en- -ter- -tain our- -selves you

69 Sp 
 (D)still ain't got a (A)job and I

6
70
Sp

(F#)work in a mar- -ket (E)as a check- -out girl

71
Sp

(D)I know things will (A)get bet- -ter

72
Sp

(F#)you'll find work and (E)I'll get pro- -mot- -ed

73
Sp

(D)we'll move out (A)of the shel- -ter

74
Sp

(F#)buy a big house (E)and live in the sub- -urbs

75
Sp

(D) (A) (F#) (E) (D) (A)

78
Sp

(F#) 'cause I re- -mem- -ber when we were

79
Sp

Chorus

(D)dri- -ving dri- -ving in your car the

80
Sp
(A) speed so fast I felt like I was drunk

81
Sp
(F#) ci- -ty lights lay out be- -fore us and your

82
Sp
(E) arm felt nice wrapped 'round my shoul- -der and

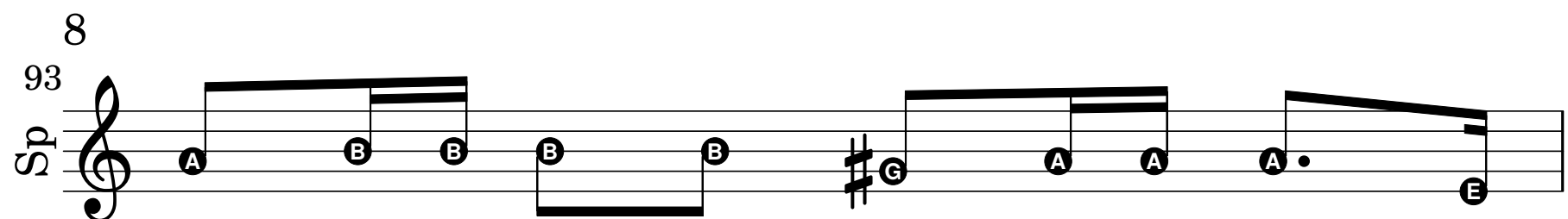
83
Sp
(D) I (F#) I had a (E) feel- -ing that I be- -longed

85
Sp
(D) I (F#) I had a (E) feel- -ing I could be some- -one

87
Sp
Interlude
(E) be some- -one (F#) be some- -one (D) (F#)

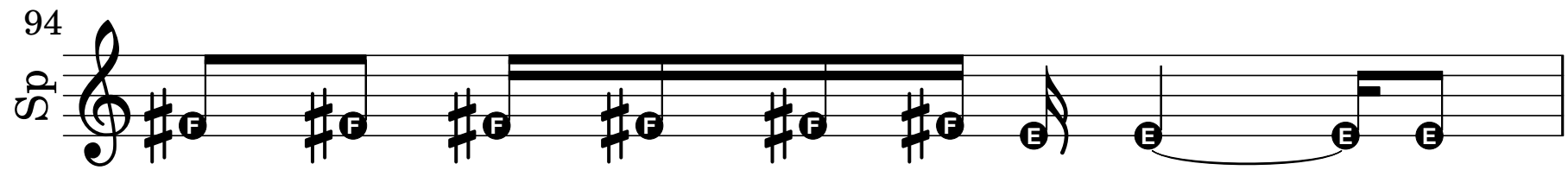
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Sp
Verse
(F#) (E) (D) (A) (F#) (E) (D) You got a fast (A) car

8
93
Sp



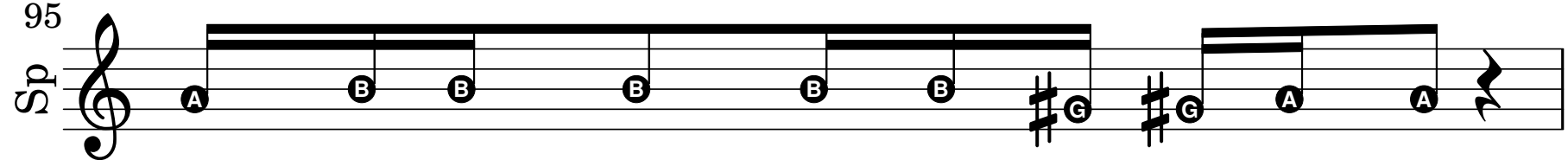
(F#)I got a job (E)that pays all our bills you

94
Sp



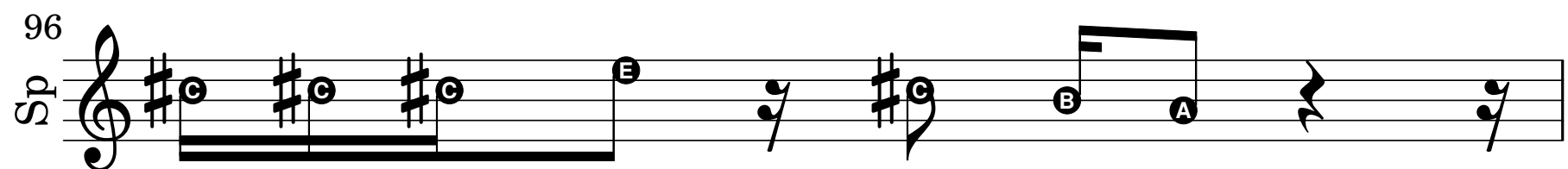
(D)stay out drink- -ing (A)late at the bar see

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Sp



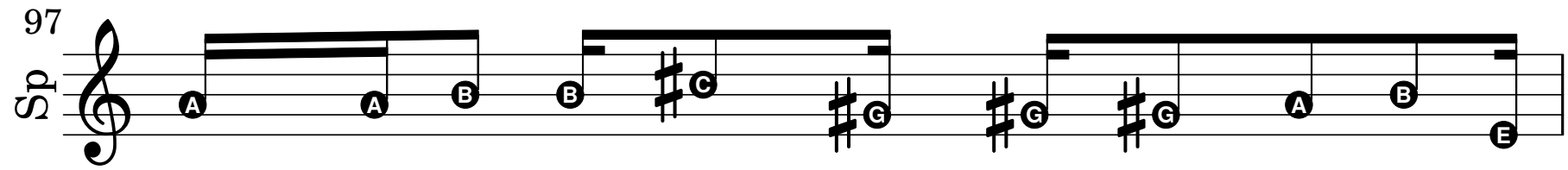
(F#)more of your friends than you (E)do of your kids

96
Sp



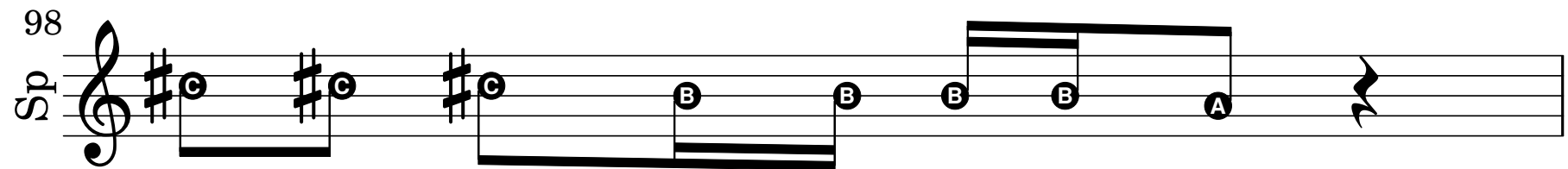
(D)I'd al- -ways hoped will (A)for bet- -ter

97
Sp



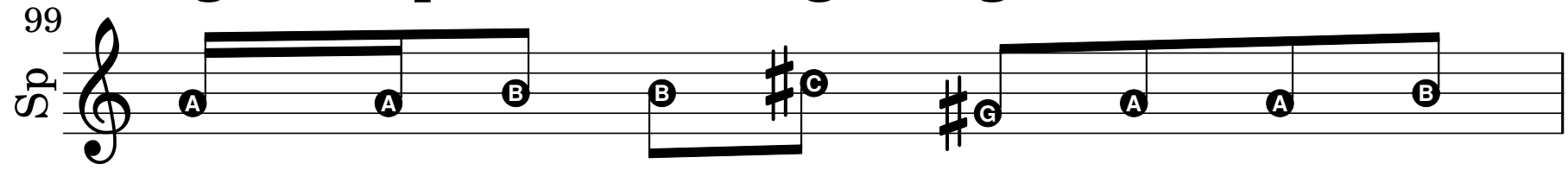
(F#)may- -be to- -ge- -ther (E)you and me'd find it I

98
Sp



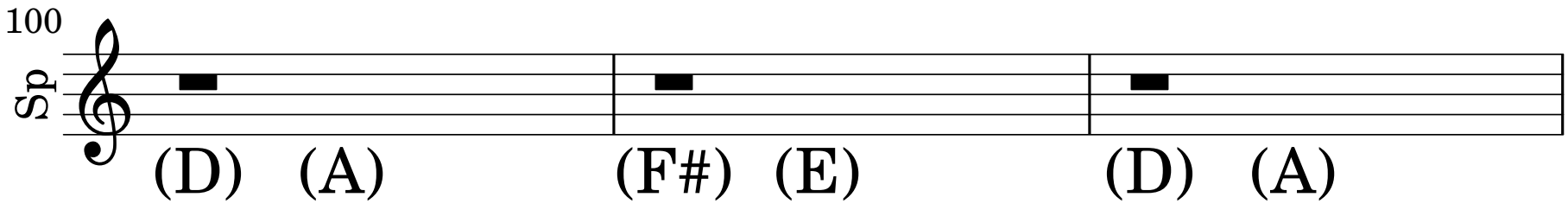
(D)got no plans (A)ain't go- -ing no- -where

99
Sp



(F#)take your fast car (E)and keep on driv- -ing

100
Sp



(D) (A) (F#) (E) (D) (A)

103 Sp (F#) 'cause I re-mem-ber when we were

104 **Chorus** Sp (D)dri-ving dri-ving in your car the

105 Sp (A)speed so fast I felt like I was drunk

106 Sp (F#) ci-ty lights lay out be-fore us and your

107 Sp (E)arm felt nice wrapped 'round my shoul-der and

108 Sp (D)I (F#)I had a (E)feel-ing that I be-longed

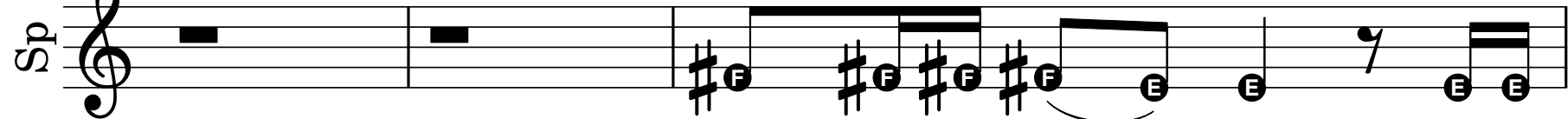
110 Sp (D)I (F#)I had a (E)feel-ing I could be some-one

112 **Interlude** Sp (D)be some-one (E)be some-one (D)(A)(F#)(E)

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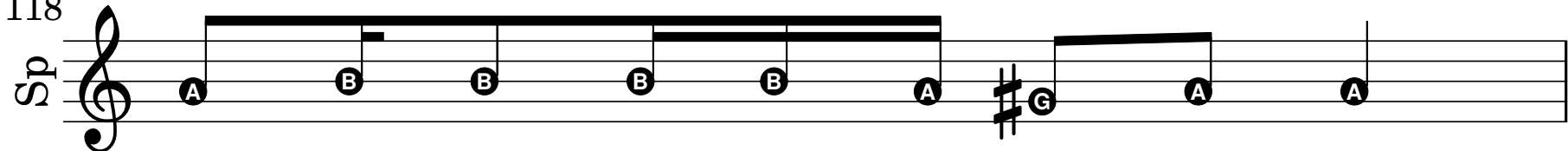
Verse

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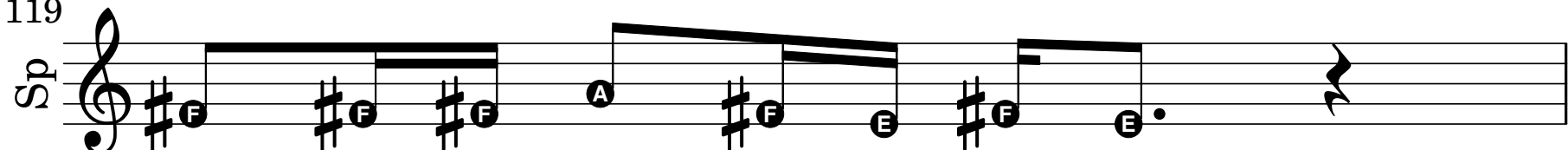
(D)(A) (F#)(E) (D)you got a fast (A) car is it

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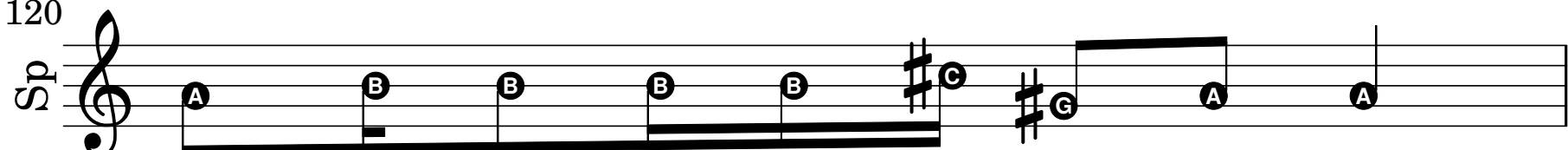
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(D)you got to make (A)a de--ci--sion

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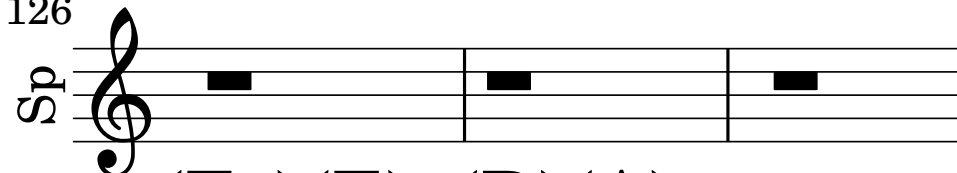
(F#)leave to--night or (E)live and die this way

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(D)(A) (F#)(E) (D)(A) (F#)(E) (D)(A)

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(F#)(E) (D)(A)