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# THE LION KING

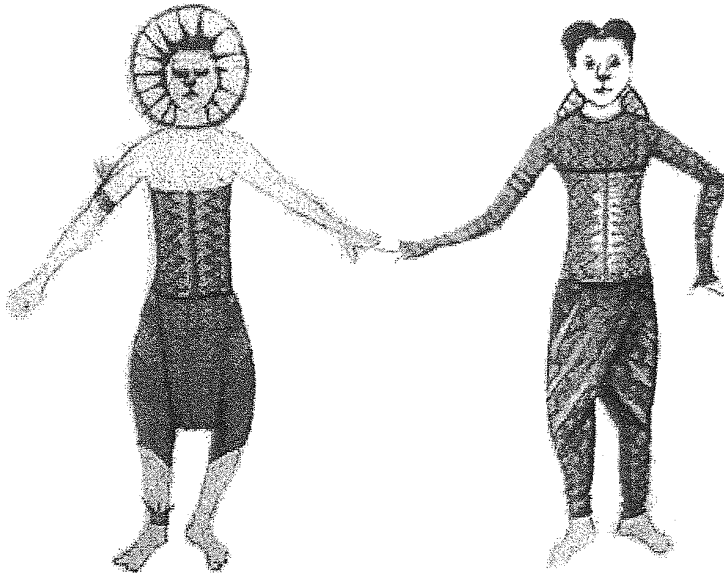


YOUNG SIMBA  
Audition Material

Simba Invites Nala

Scar Tricks Simba Scene

I Just Can't Wait To Be King Music



# YOUNG SIMBA

## SCENE 1

### SIMBA INVITES NALA

*YOUNG SIMBA enters. He weaves in and out of the lionesses, in search of his friend, YOUNG NALA, a cute little cub*

**YOUNG SIMBA**

Hey, Nala!

**YOUNG NALA**

Hi, Simba.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

Come on! I just heard about this great place!

**YOUNG NALA**

Simba -- I'm going hunting with my mother.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

This is a place your mother would never go.

**YOUNG NALA**

So where is it? Better not be anyplace boring.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

No. It's really cool.

**SARABI, LIONESSES**

So, where is this "really cool" place?

**SARABI**

Simba?

**YOUNG SIMBA**

Oh... Hi, mom.

*(lying)*

It's... around the waterhole.

**YOUNG NALA**

The waterhole? What's so great about the waterhole...?

**YOUNG SIMBA**

*(through teeth)*

I'll show you when we get there.

**NALA**  
*(getting it)*  
Ohhhh.

*(to SARAFINA)*  
Uh, Mom, can I go with Simba?

**SARAFINA**  
Sarabi?

**YOUNG SIMBA, YOUNG NALA**  
Pleeeez?

**SARABI**  
It's all right with me...

**YOUNG SIMBA, YOUNG NALA**  
Yay!!!

**SARABI**  
... as long as Zazu goes with you.

**YOUNG SIMBA, YOUNG NALA**  
No! Not Zazu.

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## SCENE 2

### SCAR TRICKS SIMBA

**YOUNG SIMBA**

Hey, Uncle Scar! Guess what?

**SCAR**

I despise guessing games.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

*(undaunted) I'm gonna be king of Pride Rock!*

**SCAR**

Oh Goody.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

My Dad just showed me the whole kingdom! And I'm gonna rule it all!

**SCAR**

Yes. Well, forgive me for not leaping for joy. Bad back, you know.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

Hey, Uncle Scar, when I'm king, what'll that make you?

**SCAR**

A monkey's uncle.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

*(laughing) You're so weird.*

**SCAR**

You have no idea. (a beat)

So your father showed you the whole kingdom, did he?

**YOUNG SIMBA**

Everything!

**SCAR**

He didn't show you what's beyond that rise at the northern border?

**YOUNG SIMBA**

Well, no. (miffed)

**SCAR**

Ah!

**YOUNG SIMBA**

He said I can't go there.

**SCAR**

And he's absolutely right! It's far too dangerous. Only the bravest of lions go there.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

Well, I'm brave. What's out there?

**SCAR**

I'm sorry, Simba, I just can't tell you.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

Why not?

**SCAR**

Simba, Simba, Simba. I'm only looking out for the well-being of my favorite nephew.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

Yeah, right. I'm your only nephew.

**SCAR**

All the more reason for me to be protective. An elephant graveyard is no place for a young prince.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

An elephant what?

**SCAR**

Oops.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

Whoa!

**SCAR**

Oh dear, I've said too much. Well, I suppose you'd have found out sooner or later. You being so clever and all. Just do me one favor? Promise me you'll never visit that dreadful place.

**YOUNG SIMBA**

No problem.

**SCAR**

There's a good lad. You run along now, and have fun and remember...it's our little secret.

*YOUNG SIMBA scampers off. SCAR laughs and exits.*

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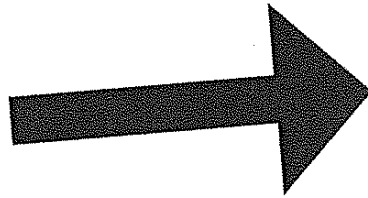
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# I JUST CAN'T WAIT TO BE KING

[Young Simba Audition Music]



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I Just Can't Wait To Be King [Young Simba Audition Music]

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CUE: SIMBA: "Not the way I see it."

(♩ = 104) Kbd 2 [Kalimba]

Bass

Drums

*sfz*

Vc, Kbd 3

Hem

Hem

Kbd 1 [Accordion], Flute

F B♭ F B♭ C

13 14 15 16

YOUNG SIMBA:

I'm

Hem

F B♭ F Csus4

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17

gon-na be— a might - y king— so e - ne - mies— be - ware!—

18 19 20

ZAZU:

I've

MEN (as before):

Hem

YOUNG SIMBA:

21 22 23 24

I'm

nev-er seen— a king of beasts— with quite so lit-tle hair.—

Hem

Hem



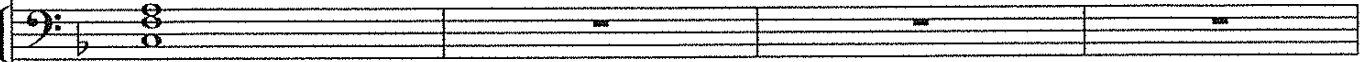
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gon-na be— the mane— ev - ent— like no king was— be - fore.— I'm



Hem



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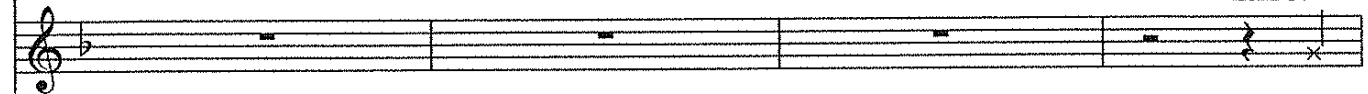
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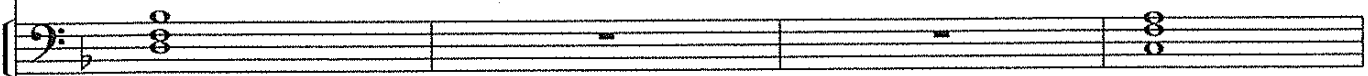


brush-ing up— on look-ing down,— I'm work-ing on— my roar!

ZAZU:



Thus



Hem

Hem



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33 34 35 36

Oh I

far a ra - ther un - in - spir - ing thing.

*mp* Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! *f* Ha!

Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha!

Gm C

37 38 39 40 41 42

just can't— wait to be king! No one say-ing

MEN (as before):

Hem Hem

Bb C F

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43

44 45 46

do this, No one say-ing be there, no one say-ing

*mp* u - hu - wah! u - hu - wah!

u - hu - wah! u - hu - wah!

Bb Gm7

47 48 49 50

stop that, no one say-ing see here.....

u - hu - wah!

u - hu - wah!

C/E F

Violins

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Musical score for measures 51-56. The vocal line (top staff) contains the lyrics: "Free to run a - round all— day. Free to do it all my—". The piano accompaniment (middle and bottom staves) includes chords: Bb, F/A, Gm, Bb, C, Bb, C. The piano part features triplets and arpeggiated chords.

Musical score for measures 57-58B and (To 113). The vocal line (top staff) contains the lyrics: "way. \_\_\_\_\_". The piano accompaniment (middle and bottom staves) includes the instruction "MEN:" and "Hem \_\_\_\_\_". The piano part features chords and arpeggiated figures.

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YOUNG SIMBA:

113 114 115 116

Ev - 'ry - bo - dy

Ay - ay ee - oh Ay - ay

Hem G C/G G Hem G wah

117 118 119 120

look left. Ev - 'ry - bo - dy look right Ev - 'ry - where you

Orch. C Am

121 122 123 124

look I'm stand - ing in the spot - light! Let

D/F# D G ww

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125 126 127 128

ev - 'ry crea - ture go — for broke and sing, let's

C G/B Am C D

129 130 131 132

hear it in — the herd — and on — the wing, it's

C G/B Am C D

133 134 135 136

gon - na be king Sim - ba's fin - est fling! Oh I

C G/B Am C D

137 138 139 140

just can't — wait to be king. Oh I

C D G C/G G

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141 142 143 144

just can't wait to be king! Oh I

145 146 147 148 149

just can't wait... \_\_\_\_\_ to be

150 151 152 153

king! \_\_\_\_\_