

# RED SOX FOREVER AND EVER

## IV. Ah! An Error!

*Ah! An Error!*  
*A slip in the great dance!(26)*  
*Yet are we not human, after all?*  
*In life, as in our game, around our sacred hot-stove fires,*  
*we agonize our bloop, and chokes, and tragic misplayed drops,*  
*our called third strikes, in the bottom of all ninths,*  
*with runners on,*  
*until we've come to terms at last with*  
*every errant bloop and choke and drop,*  
*and embracing them with loving-kindness,*  
*We forgive them, every one.*

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$\text{♩} = 60$

*mp* *Rubato; legato. Senza vibrato.* *mf*

Soprano

Ah! An er-ror!\_\_\_ Ah!\_\_\_ an er-ror, a

Viola

Violoncello

*sfz > p* *Rubato; legato. Senza vibrato. Change bow as needed.*

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S.

slip in the great dance,\_\_\_ Yet are we not but hu-man aft - er


Vla.


Vc.


*Rubato; legato. Senza vibrato. Change bow as needed.*

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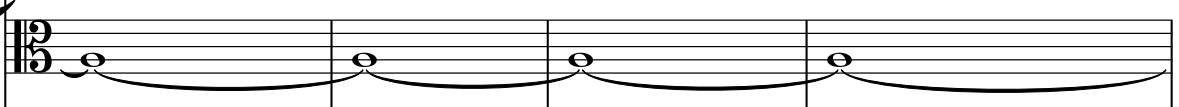
S.   
all. In life as in our game a-round our sac - red


Vla. 

Vc. 

13

S.   
hot stove fi - res, we a - gon-ize the bloops and chokes,

Vla. 

Vc. 

17

S.   
the trag-ic mis-played

Vla. 

Vc. 

21

S.  and our called third strikes, in the

Vla.  drops

Vc. 

3

25

S.  bot-tom of all ninth's, with run - ners on,

Vla.  V

Vc. 

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S.  un - til we've come to terms, at last with ev-'ry er-rant

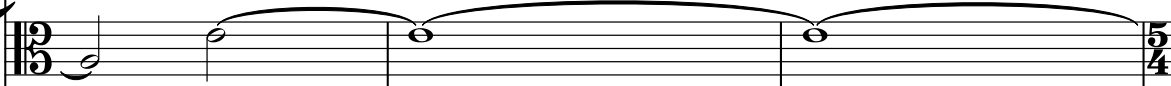
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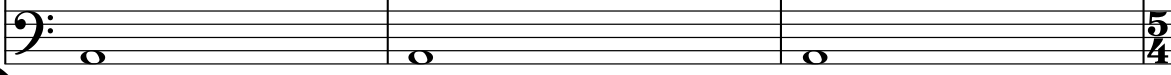
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S.   
bloop, and choke and drop and em-

Vla. 

Vc. 


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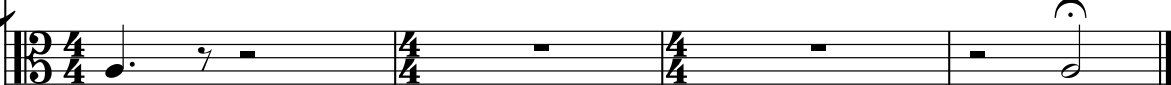
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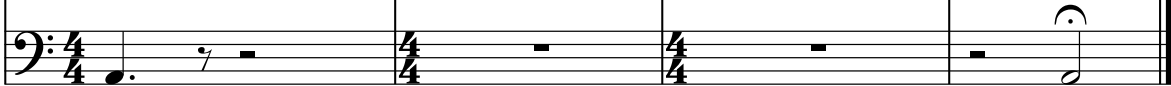
Vla. 

Vc. 

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S.   
we for- give them, e - - v'ry one.

Vla. 

Vc. 



Viola

♩ = 60

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*Rubato; legato. Senza vibrato. Change bow as needed.*

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*Rubato; legato. Senza vibrato. Change bow as needed.*

23

*Rubato; legato. Senza vibrato. Change bow as needed.*

29

*Rubato; legato. Senza vibrato. Change bow as needed.*

36

*Rubato; legato. Senza vibrato. Change bow as needed.*

