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CARESSES

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REFRAIN (*Smoothly*)

Ca - ress - es, dear, from you, Can
cheer me when I'm blue, Your fin - ger
tips, Your gen - tle lips Have al - ways thrilled me
through; Just like the rose that needs the dew

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Waltz moderato

mf *rall.* *fz* *rall.*

The piano introduction is in 3/4 time, marked 'Waltz moderato'. It begins with a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The piece features dynamic markings of mezzo-forte (mf), piano (p), and fortissimo (fz), along with tempo changes to 'rallentando' (rall.).

p

If you're wea - ry of wand - ring and scrambling for gold, And long for the
Are you think - ing of days that are dimmed in the past, Does mem - 'ry re -

The first system of the song includes a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The piano part is marked piano (p). The lyrics are: "If you're wea - ry of wand - ring and scrambling for gold, And long for the Are you think - ing of days that are dimmed in the past, Does mem - 'ry re -".

ones you love best, _____ If you're tired of it all, Let your
flect gold - en schemes? _____ If the friends who were new Prove to

The second system continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "ones you love best, _____ If you're tired of it all, Let your flect gold - en schemes? _____ If the friends who were new Prove to".

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heart heed the call, For there's one lit - tle place you can rest: _____
 be friends un - true, Let two lov - ing hearts mend bro - ken dreams: _____

rall.

REFRAIN

There's a va - cant chair at Home Sweet Home, When the

mp *p-f*

world goes back on you, _____ There's a pair wait - ing

there, The best friends you've had, Each care they will share, Your

moth - er and dad, Their sil - ver hair shows they've grown old,

But the love in each heart is pure gold, There's a

va - cant chair at Home Sweet Home, When the world goes

rall. *fz*

back on you. There's a you.

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rall.

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