BENNY'S DISPATCH

[Rev. 7/4/11]

Music and Lyrics by
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CUE:
CAMILA: "How much English did you speak when you started here? Benny is honorary Latino."
(KEVIN hands BENNY the radio.)
(GO)

BENNY: "Ahem, there's a new voice riding the heat wave today."
KEVIN: "Just get them from point A to point B."

Moderato ♩= 92

mf *no pedal*

E5 /D /C♯ /C

BENNY: "I got your back."
[CAMILA and KEVIN exit]
(GO ON)

Safety

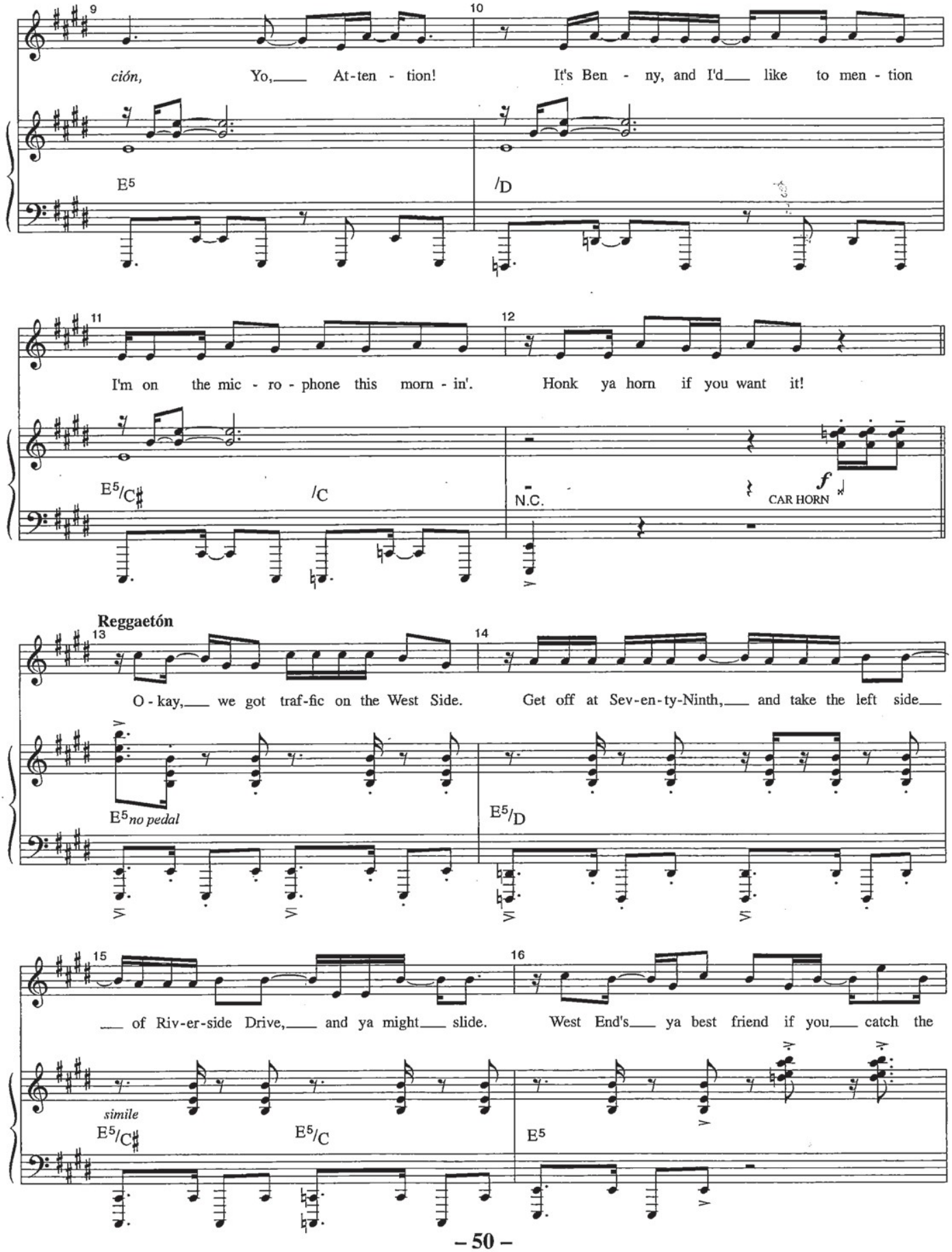
BENNY:

Check 1 - 2 - 3... Check 1 - 2 -

E5 /D

- 3... This is Ben - ny on the dis - patch. Yo! *A - ten* -

/C♯ /C E5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ción, Yo, At-ten - tion! It's Ben - ny, and I'd like to men - tion
E5
/D
11
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I'm on the mic - ro - phone this morn - in'. Honk ya horn if you want it!
E5/C♯
/C
N.C.
f
CAR HORN
Reggaetón
13
14
O - kay, we got traf-fic on the West Side. Get off at Sev-en-ty-Ninth, and take the left side
E5 no pedal
E5/D
15
16
of Riv-er-side Drive, and ya might slide. West End's ya best friend if you catch the
simile
E5/C♯
E5/C
E5

17 18

lights! And don't take the Dee - gan; Man-ny Ra-mir-ez is in town this week - end.

E5 E5/D

19 20 (seeing NINA)

Sor-ry Do-min-i-cans, take Route Eigh-ty-Sev-en, you ain't gett-ing back in a-gain. Hold up a min-ute.

E5/C♯ E5/C E5 mf D6/9 w/ pedal

Pop Ballad;
L'istesso Tempo

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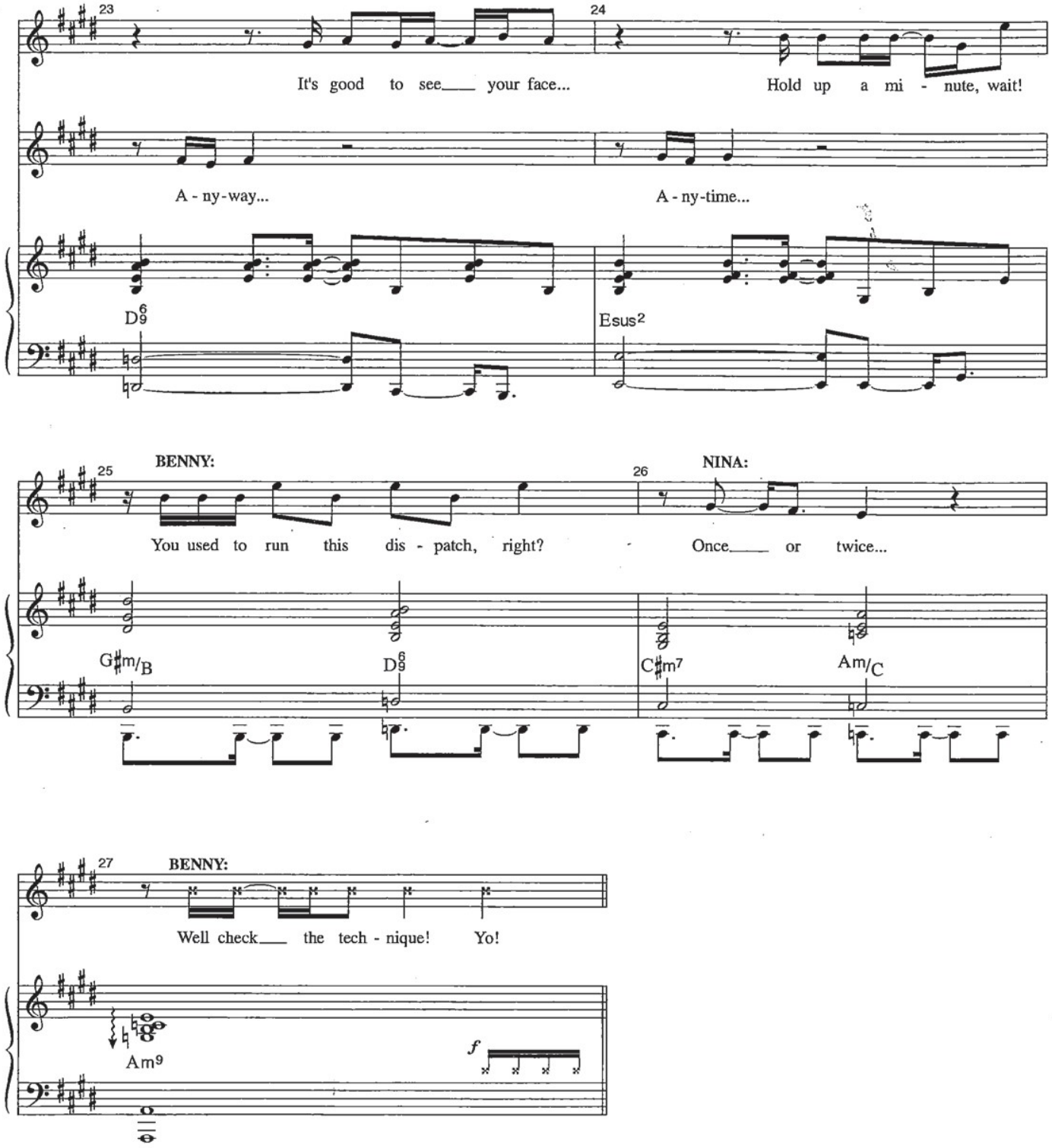
BENNY:

Ni - na, you're home to-day! ...of your folks? They're on their way!

NINA:

Ben-ny, hey... A - ny sign...

Esus2 /F♯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It's good to see your face...
A - ny-way...
D6/9
24
Hold up a mi - nute, wait!
A - ny-time...
Esus2
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BENNY:
You used to run this dis - patch, right?
G♯m/B
D6/9
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NINA:
Once or twice...
C♯m7
Am/C
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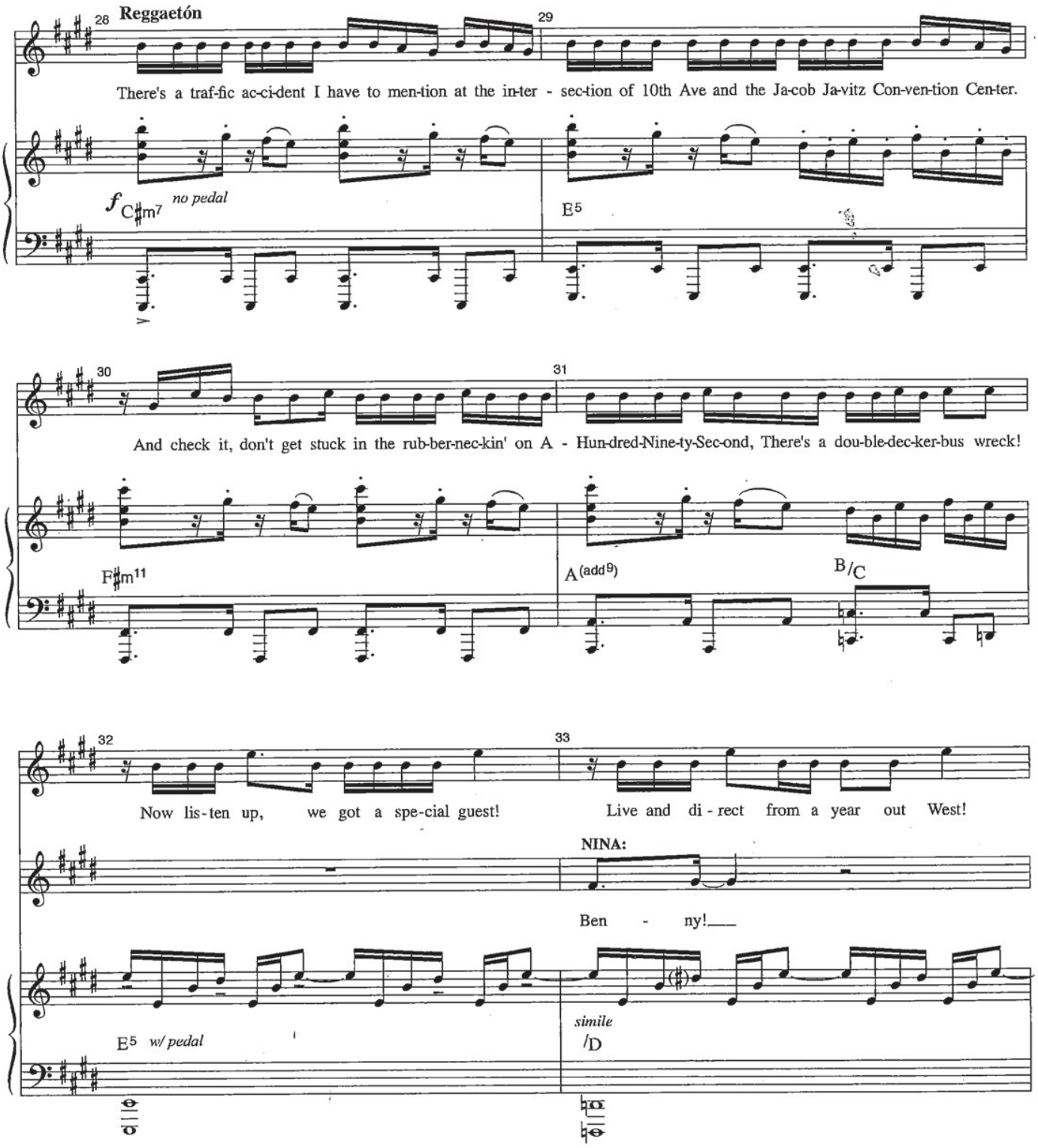
BENNY:
Well check the tech - nique! Yo!
Am9
f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Reggaetón
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There's a traf-fic ac-ci-dent I have to men-tion at the in-ter - sec-tion of 10th Ave and the Ja-cob Ja-vitz Con-ven-tion Cen-ter.
f
C♯m7
no pedal
E5
30
31
And check it, don't get stuck in the rub-ber-nec-kin' on A - Hun-dred-Nine-ty-Sec-ond, There's a dou-ble-dec-ker-bus wreck!
F♯m11
A(add9)
B/C
32
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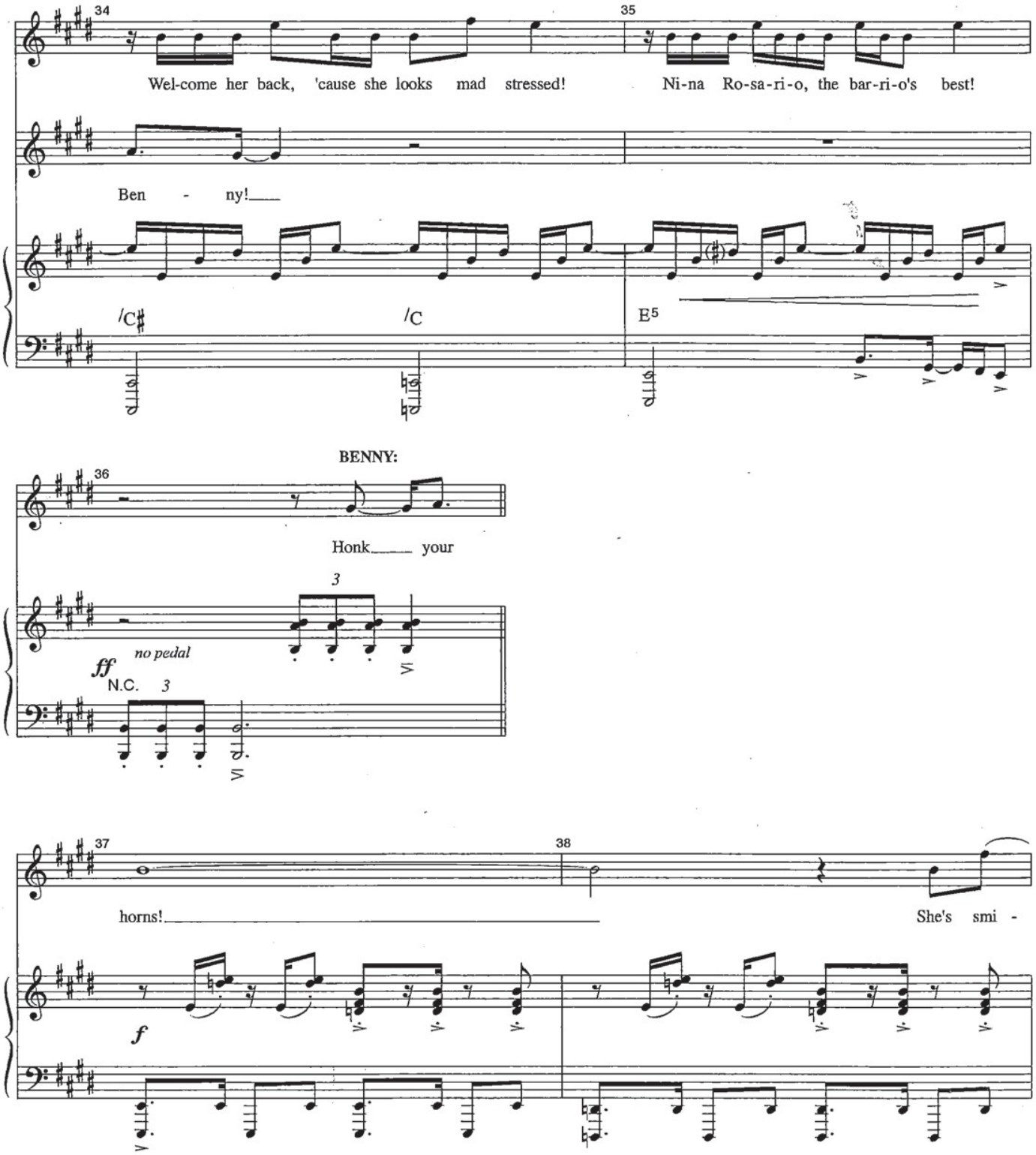
Now lis-ten up, we got a spe-cial guest!
Live and di - rect from a year out West!
NINA:
Ben - ny!
E5 w/ pedal
simile
/D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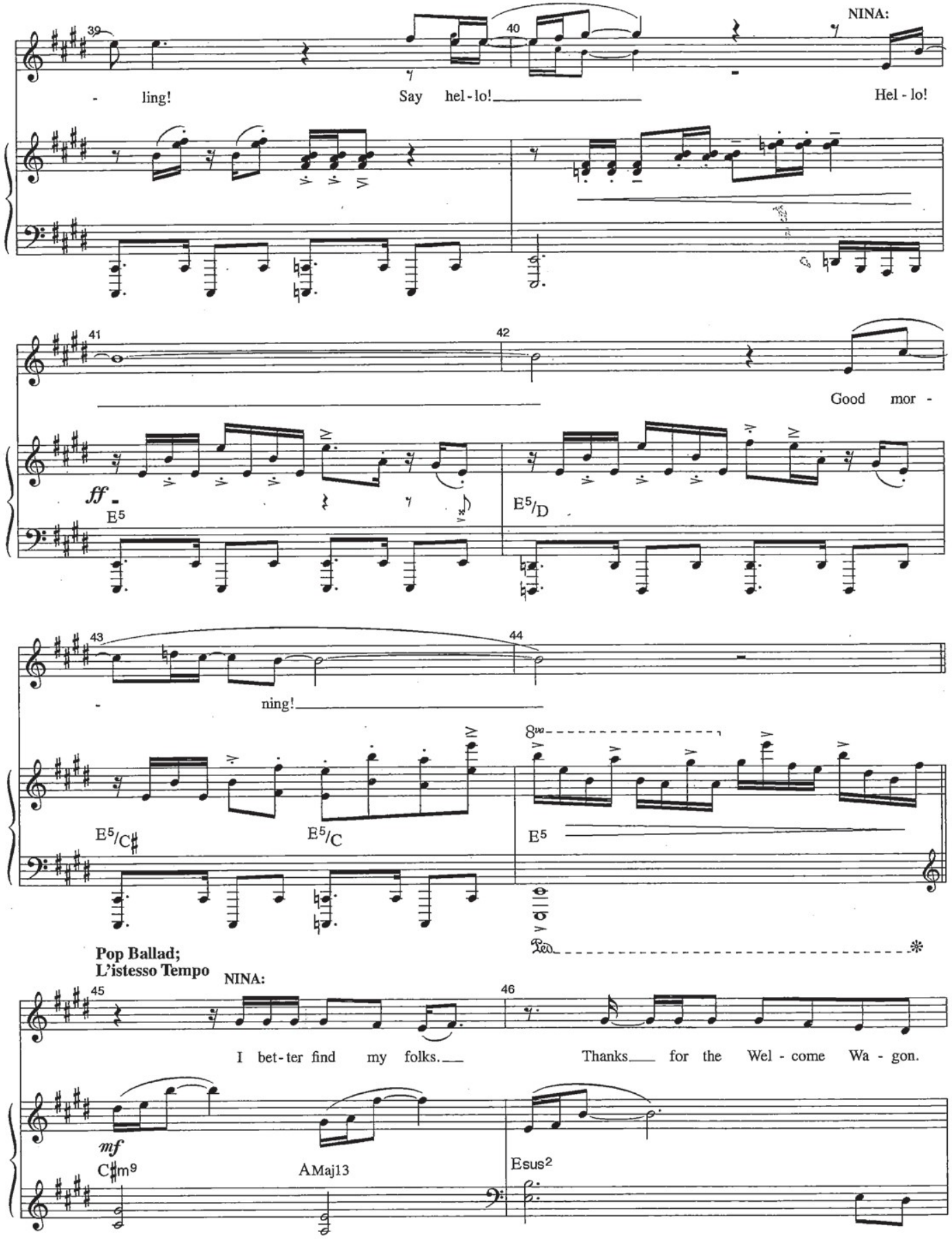
Wel-come her back, 'cause she looks mad stressed!
Ni-na Ro-sa-ri-o, the bar-ri-o's best!
Ben - ny!
/C♯
/C
E5
BENNY:
36
Honk your
3
no pedal
ff
N.C.
3
37
38
horns!
She's smi -
f


NINA:
- ling! Say hel - lo! Hel - lo!
Good mor -
ff
E5
E5/D
- ning!
E5/C♯
E5/C
E5
Pop Ballad;
L'istesso Tempo
NINA:
I bet - ter find my folks. Thanks for the Wel - come Wa - gon.
mf
C♯m9
AMaj13
Esus2