

TO THE MEMORIES

(DRINKING SONG)

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Lento

Piano introduction in G major, 4/4 time, marked Lento. The music features a simple, rhythmic melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand.

VERSE

Be-fore the night is end-ed Let us raise our glass-es high, In a

toast to the mem-o-ries we cher-ish Of the days gone swift-ly by.

CHORUS

To the girls! We'll not for-get them Through the years that lie a-head, To North-

west-ern where we met them, And the won-der-ful life we led, The

foot-ball games, the danc-es, the ser-i-ous ro-manc-es, The parties when we did-n't get home till

dawn; Those hap-py times out West on the nights be-fore a test, Oh, we'll miss them when we're

gone. So a toast to the past, a toast to the fu-ture, And let there be no sor-row; For re-

mem-ber when the sun goes down, it re-turs with a bright to-mor-row. To the mor-row.

“To the Memories”

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**Before the night is ended
Let us raise our glasses high,
In a toast to the memories we cherish
Of the days gone swiftly by.
To the girls! We'll not forget them
Through the years that lie ahead,
To Northwestern where we met them,
And the wonderful life we led,
The football games, the dances, the serious romances,
The parties when we didn't get home till dawn;
Those happy times out West on the nights before a test.
Oh, we'll miss them when we're gone.
So a toast to the past, a toast to the future,
And let there be no sorrow;
For remember when the sun goes down
It returns with a bright tomorrow.
To the morrow.**

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