

CIRCLE OF LIFE

(as performed by ELTON JOHN)

Misc by ELTON JOHN
Lyrics by TIM RICE

Relaxed Pop heat ♩ = 65

The musical score is presented in a grand staff format, consisting of a treble clef and a bass clef joined by a brace. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats) and the time signature is 4/4. The tempo is marked as ♩ = 65. The score is divided into four systems, each beginning with a measure number (1, 3, 5, 7) and a guitar chord diagram. The guitar chord diagrams are: Bb (measure 1), Gm (measure 3), Cm (measure 5), and Cm7 (measure 7). The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line in the left hand and a melody in the right hand. The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes, often with slurs. The bass line is a simple, rhythmic pattern of quarter notes. The score includes dynamic markings such as *mf* and *f*. The guitar chord diagrams are placed above the treble clef staff and include fret numbers and fingerings. The first system starts with a Bb chord (x21332) and a Gm chord (320332). The second system starts with a Cm chord (x32033) and includes Fsus and F chords. The third system starts with a Bb chord (x21332) and a Gm chord (320332). The fourth system starts with a Cm7 chord (x32033) and includes Fsus and F chords.

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B^b

Cm/B^b

11

F⁷/A 3fr

B^b

F⁷/A

13

Gm 3fr

Gm 3fr

15

A^b 4fr

F

F⁷/A 3fr

17

B^b

Cm/B^b

19

F⁷ 3fr

B^b

F/A

21

Gm⁷ 3fr

Cm 3fr

23

A^b 4fr

F

f

25

B^b

E^b/B^b 6fr

B^b 3fr

27

A^b/B^b

29

E^b 3fr

A^b/E^b x x

E^b 3fr

31

F^b/E^b x x

33

B^b/D
x x O

G7
O O O

Cm
x O O O 3fr

36

G^b(add²)

B^b/F
x O

To Coda ☩

1.

38

F

E^b/B^b
x O O O 6fr

B^b

2.

41

F

B^b

D.S. al Coda

♩ Coda
43

F

E^b/B^b 6fr

B^b

Cm/B^b

46

B^bm

G^b/B

Cm 3fr

mp

49

G^b(add2)

B^b/D

Fsus

F

52

E^b/B^b 6fr

G^b/B^b 6fr

B^b