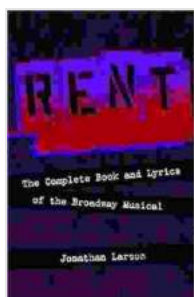


# The Complete and Enthralling Lyrics of Broadway Musicals

Broadway musicals have captivated audiences for generations, transporting us to worlds of wonder, romance, drama, and laughter. The lyrics of these musicals are not merely words on a page; they are the threads that weave the tapestry of storytelling, creating indelible memories and stirring our hearts.



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In this comprehensive collection, we present the complete lyrics of some of the most iconic and beloved Broadway musicals. From the timeless classics to the modern masterpieces, each musical offers a unique journey, with songs that resonate with our emotions and stay with us long after the curtain falls.

## The Golden Age of Broadway

The mid-20th century witnessed the golden age of Broadway musicals. These shows, marked by lush orchestrations and unforgettable melodies,

captivated audiences with their grandeur and sophistication.

## **Oklahoma! (1943)**



Rodgers and Hammerstein's groundbreaking musical, Oklahoma!, revolutionized the Broadway landscape when it premiered in 1943. Its lyrics, bursting with wit and charm, paint a vivid picture of rural life in the American West.

*The sun shines bright on my old Kentucky home 'Tis summer, the people are gay  
The corn top's ripe and the meadow's in the bloom While the birds make music all the day*

## **My Fair Lady (1956)**



Adapted from George Bernard Shaw's play, *My Fair Lady* is a witty and endearing tale of a Cockney flower girl transformed into a society lady. Its timeless lyrics are a testament to Alan Jay Lerner and Frederick Loewe's brilliance.

*I could have danced all night  
I could have talked all night  
I could have walked all night  
If you had been with me*

## West Side Story (1957)



Leonard Bernstein and Stephen Sondheim's West Side Story is a poignant and powerful exploration of love, prejudice, and the complexities of urban life. Its lyrics are both heartbreaking and hopeful.

*Tonight, tonight The world is full of light Complete and still My heart is suddenly filled With a love so rare and true*

### **The Modern Era of Broadway**

In the years following the golden age, Broadway musicals have continued to evolve, pushing creative boundaries and exploring new narratives.

### **The Phantom of the Opera (1988)**



Andrew Lloyd Webber's *The Phantom of the Opera* has become one of the longest-running musicals in Broadway history. Its haunting lyrics, combined with the thrilling plot, have captivated audiences for decades.

*In sleep he sang to me  
In dreams he came  
That voice which calls to me  
And speaks my name*

### **The Lion King (1997)**



Inspired by the Disney animated film, *The Lion King* is a majestic musical that transports audiences to the African savanna. Its lyrics, penned by Elton John and Tim Rice, evoke the beauty and awe of the natural world.

*He lives in you He lives in me He watches over Everything we see*

**Hamilton (2015)**



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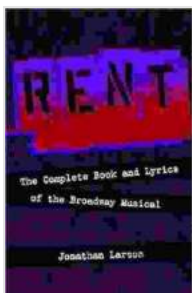
*History has its eyes on you So let him know That you're here, you're fighting for it Let him know your story*

## **The Power of Broadway Lyrics**

The lyrics of Broadway musicals are not just words; they are expressions of human emotions, experiences, and desires. They have the power to inspire, uplift, and challenge us, leaving an enduring mark on our hearts and minds.

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