

PARTS: **Soprano** **Alto** **Tenor** **Bass** All

KEY: **bold** = first beat of bar ^ = rest Underline = triplet backing vocal = [text]

172 - Younger Than Springtime

Intro

^ I touch you **hand** and my arms grow
strong-----
^ Like a pair of **birds** that burst with **song**-----
^ My eyes look **down** at your lovely **face**-----
^ And I hold the **world**-----
^ In my em-**brace**-----

Chorus

Young-er than Springtime ^ are you
Soft-er than starlight ^ are you
Warm-er than winds of **June** are the gentle
Lips—you—**gave**—me—
Gay-er than laughter ^ are you
Sweet-er than music ^ are you
An-gel and lover, **hea**-ven and earth are
(gently, but with conviction) **You**—to—**me**, And when
your...

Bridge

...**Youth**--- and **joy**--- in-**vade**---- my **arms** and
fill my
Heart--- as **now**--- they **do**---- **Then**-----

Chorus

Young-er than springtime ^ am I,
Gay-er than laughter ^ am I
An-gel and lover, **hea**-ven and earth am
I----- **with**----- **you**-----!

INSTRUMENTAL over half-chorus

Gay-er than laughter ^ are you
Sweet-er than music ^ are you
An-gel and lover, **hea**-ven and earth are
You—to—**me**, And when your...

Bridge

...**Youth**--- and **joy**--- in-**vade**---- my **arms** and
fill my

Heart--- as **now**--- they **do**---- **Then**-----

Chorus

Young-er than springtime ^ am I,
Gay-er than laughter ^ am I
An-gel and lover, **hea**-ven and earth am
(joyfully and strong) I----- **with**----- **you**-----!

*A show tune from the 1949 Rodgers and Hammerstein
musical South Pacific. SOURCE:*

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Younger_Than_Springtime