

# I Remember Clifford

Benny Golson

*This instrumental jazz threnody was written by jazz tenor saxophonist Benny Golson in memory of Clifford Brown, the influential and highly regarded jazz trumpeter who died in an auto accident in 1956 at the age of 25. It was first recorded by Donald Byrd 1957.*

**Performance notes:** Play smoothly and pay careful attention to the dynamic markings. Follow the suggested tempo! You should play this piece in full two times, and take the coda the third time.

Slowly ♩=64

B♭M7 C7sus4 C7♭9 A7♭9 A7/C# Dm7 Cm7 B♭m7 A♭m7 Gm7 C7sus4 C7♭9

*pp* *mf*

M B.S. 7 2 3 4 5

*Last time to Coda* ⊕

F#M7 A7 B♭M7 Adim7 C7 C#dim7 Dm Dm7/C Bm7♭5 E7♭ A7 Am7/G

*mf* *sim.* *mp*

13 F#m7♭5 B7♭9 Gm7 C7♭9 F#M7 7 B♭M7 Adim7 C7 C#dim7 Dm Dm7/C

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19 Bm7b5 E7b9 Am7b5 D7b9 Gm7 C+7 FM7 BbM7 Bm7b5 E7b9 Am7 D7b9

25 Gm7 C7b5b9 FM7 Dm7b5 A7b9 Dm Dm7/C Bm7b5 E7b9 Am7 D7 Gm7 C7

31 CODA Bm7b5 E7b9 Am7b5 D7b9 Gm7 C7b5b9 F