

# the luckiest

words and music by ben folds

Con sentimento ♩=60

poco rit.

Chords: D G D A Bm<sup>7</sup> F<sup>#</sup>m G A<sup>7</sup>

Voice

Piano

Verse 1

**A** A tempo

5 D A D G D Bm

V. *f* i don't get ma-ny things\_\_ right\_ the first time\_\_ in fact, i am told that a lot

Pno

8 C A A<sup>7</sup>/C<sup>#</sup> D G

V. now i know\_\_ all\_\_ the wrong times, the stum - bles\_ and falls\_\_ brought me here

Pno

**B**

11 D Bm F<sup>#</sup>m A Bm G

V. and where was i\_\_ be-fore\_ the day

Pno

14 Bm E7 A F#m G

V. *8*  
— that i first saw— your love - ly face?— now i see it ev-'ry day— and i—

Pno

**C** Chorus

17 D/A A7 D A Bm F#m G D/A A7

V. *8*  
— know... that i am, i am i am the

Pno

*poco rit.* **A tempo** **D** Verse 2

21 D A7 D G D A7 D A

V. *8*  
luck-i-est. what if i'd been born

Pno

Vln. I *p dolce*

Vln. II *p dolce*

Vla. *p dolce*

Vc. *p dolce*

25 D G D Bm C

V. *fif-ty years be-fore you in a house on the street where you live? may-be i'd*

Pno

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

28 A A7/C# D G D Bm

V. *be out-side as you passed on your bike would i know?*

Pno

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.