Commissioned for the 2012 Inter-Elementary Choir  
For Haig Shahverdian  
In honor of his retirement as Supervisor of Fine and Performing Arts  
West Hatford, CT Public Schools

**It's a Jazz Thing**

for Two-Part Voices and Descant with Piano Accompaniment

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dah ba dot Doo ba dot dot dee dot dae dot doo dot
doob a dot dot dah dot Da dot deet dot, doo dot
F6 Bb6 C13(b9)
1.
dot dot da ba dot do dot doo ba dee dot
dot da dot dot doo ba dee dot
Am7 Dm7 Gm7(add9) C9 F6 D7(#9;5) Gm7(b5) C7
1.
dot dot doo ba dee dot Ba doot dot dee dot, Ba doot dot
dot dot doo ba dee dot Ba doot dot dee dot, Ba doot dot
Gm7 C7(add9) F9/C Bs/C Bb/C Emaj7/C F9/C
2.
Descant

Dot da doo dot, Da ba doot

Do ba dot dot dah ba dot, doo ba dot dot dee dot ba dee dot,

(f)
doo ba dot dot dah dot Da dot deet

C9 F6 B°

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*First time - Bottom two parts.
Second time - All parts (with claps).

Optional performance suggestion: First time - no voices, soloist improvises.
Second time - All parts (with claps).
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