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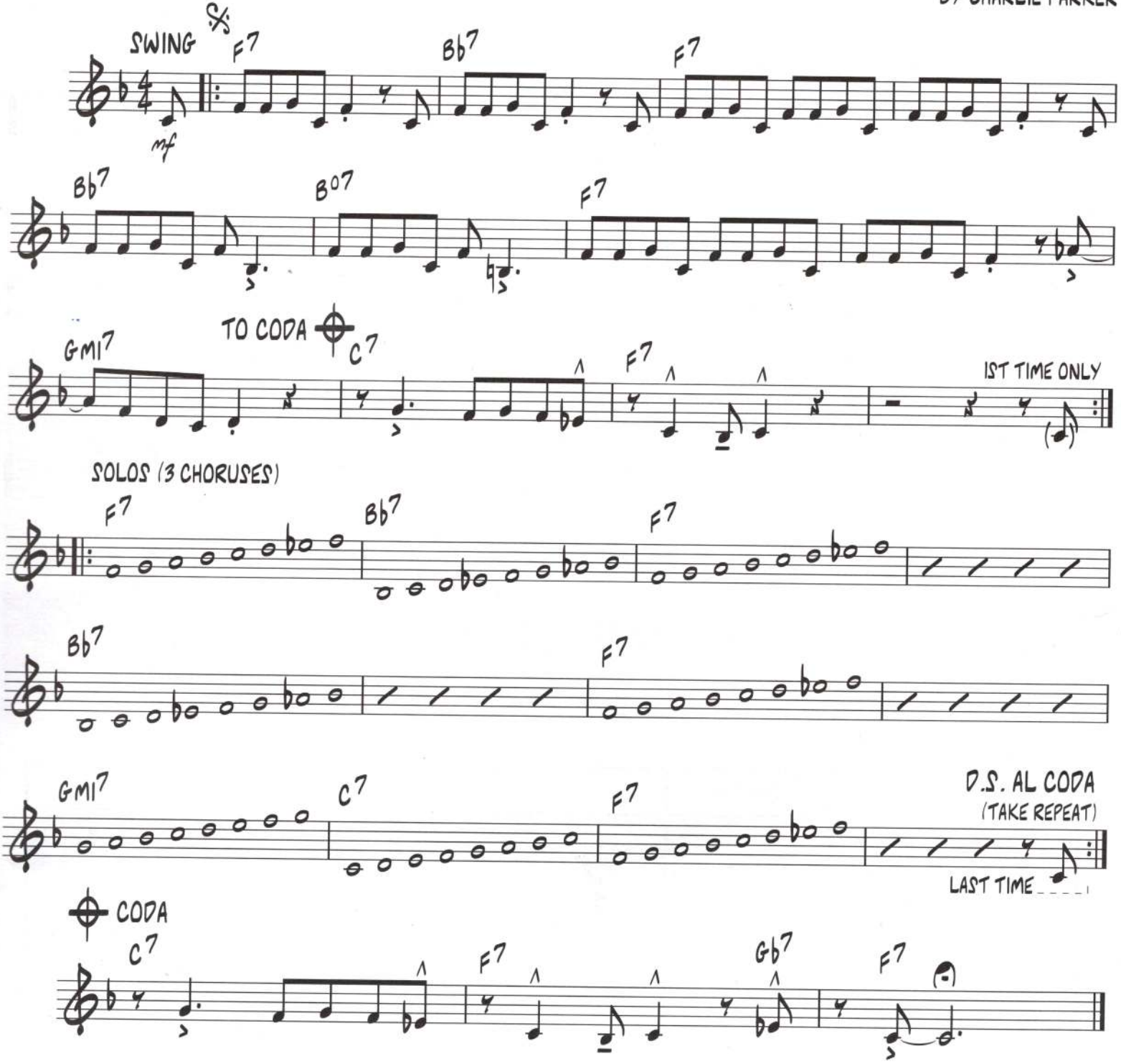

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CHARLIE PARKER (1920–1955)

One of the true pioneers of jazz, alto saxophonist Charlie Parker (also known as "Bird") was a brilliant improviser as well as a composer of many jazz standards. His influence on jazz phrasing and style was wide spread and had a tremendous impact on the evolution of modern jazz.

HINTS FOR IMPROVISATION

As you start to develop ideas for your own improvised solos, start with only a few notes at a time. Strive to create interesting rhythmic