

PART II.

I. THE DREAM OF THE WORLD WITHOUT DEATH.

*"Songs of Corruption, woven thus,
With tender thoughts and tremulous,
Sitting with a solemn face
In an island burying-place,
While weary waves broke sad and slow
O'er weedy wastes of sand below,
And stretch'd on every side of me
The rainy grief of the gray Sea."*

Lento misterioso. $\text{♩} = 54$.

THE WATCHER AT THE DEATHBED.

Baritone Solo.

p molto tranquillo quasi Recit.

rall.

lunga

21 Poco più adagio. $\text{♩} = 44$ or $\text{♩} = 88$.

pp

In the dark - ness I am list' - ning For the

sempr pp

3

rustle of thy robe; _____ Would I might feel thee breathing,

pp

Would I might hear thee speaking, Would I might on - ly

pp

touch _____ thee By the hand! The

$\text{d} = \text{d} = 44.$

3

p

quasi Recit. tranquillo

22

sound of my weep-ing Dis - turb - eth her not; *a tempo**p**p*

Thy shadow, O Phan-ta-sy, Li-eth like moon-light Upon her

*p**Poco più mosso.* $\text{♩} = 62$.*molto espress.**molto accel.*

features, What art thou - Art thou God's An - gel? Or art thou on-ly The

*molto accel.**cresc.**Ped.*

chill - y night-wind, Steal - ing downward From the regions where the sun Dwelleth a-

*dim.**p sempre accel.*

*poco rit.*23 Adagio, Come I. $\text{♩} = 44$.

-lone with his shadow On a waste of snow?

p quasi Recit.

Art thou the wa-ter or earth?

a tempo
pp quasi Recit.

Or art thou the fa-tal air? — Or art thou on-ly An

Più vivo.
Più lento.
molto espress.

ap-pa-ri-tion Made by the mist Of mine own eyes weep-ing?

24 Adagio, Come I. ♩=44.



Tenor Solo.

Molto lento.

p quasi Recit.

Now, sitting by her

p Recit.

side, worn out with weeping,

a tempo

Be - hold, he fell to

sleep, and had a vision.

a tempo

Molto maestoso e sostenuto, quasi adagio.
Soprano.

25 f

Alto. The Mas - ter

Tenor. The Mas - ter

Bass. The Mas - ter

The Mas - ter

Molto maestoso e sostenuto, quasi adagio. $\text{♩} = 56$.

25

on His throne _____ Openeth now the seventh seal of won-der, And beckoneth

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sempref

ff

back the an - - gel men name Death.

ff

back the an - - gel men name Death.

ff

back the an - - gel men name Death.

ff

back the an - - gel men name Death.

ff

back the an - - gel men name Death.

ff

molto rit. *ff a tempo*

ff

molto rit. *a tempo* ♩ = 56.

Ped.

26

Soprano. *mf*

And at His feet the mighty An - - gel

Tenor. *mf*

And at His feet the mighty An - - gel

kneeleth,

mf

And at His feet the mighty An - - - gel

kneeleth,

mf

And at His feet the mighty An - - - gel

sf *p*

f

dim.

Breathing not; and the Lord doth look up-on him, Saying,

p

kneeleth, and the Lord doth look up-on him, Saying,

p

Breathing not; and the Lord doth look up-on him, Saying,

p

kneeleth, Breathing not; Saying,

p

27

p

accel.

f

A

"Thy wan-der-ings on earth are ended."

27

pp

cresc.

accel.

Vivace.

voice a - rose from out the beau-teous earth, Cry-ing, "I am"

"I am"

Cry-ing, "I am"

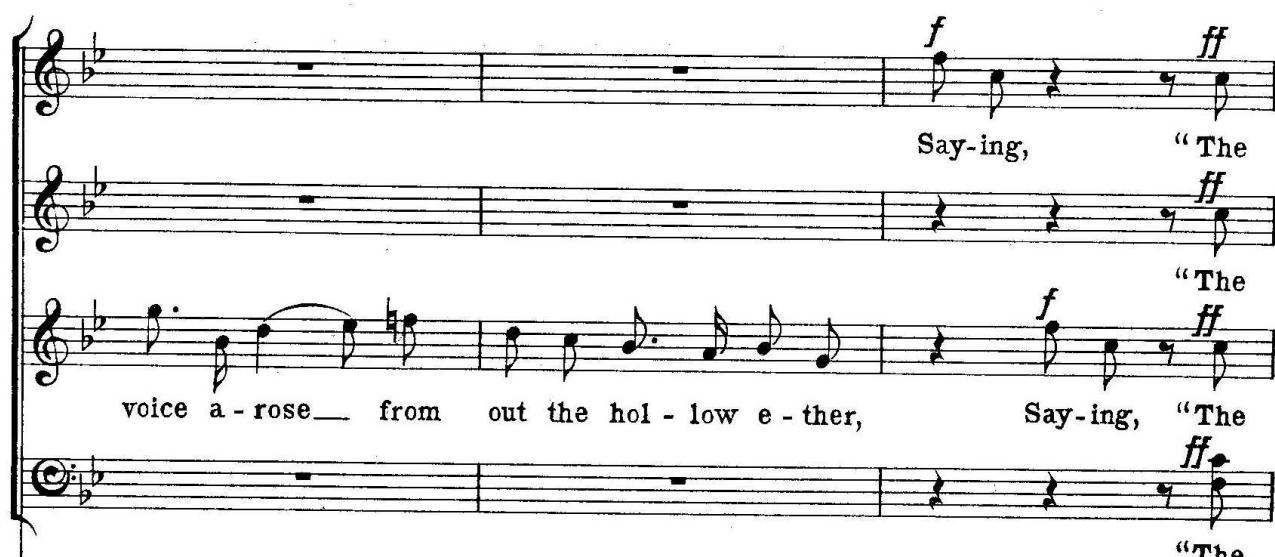
"I am"

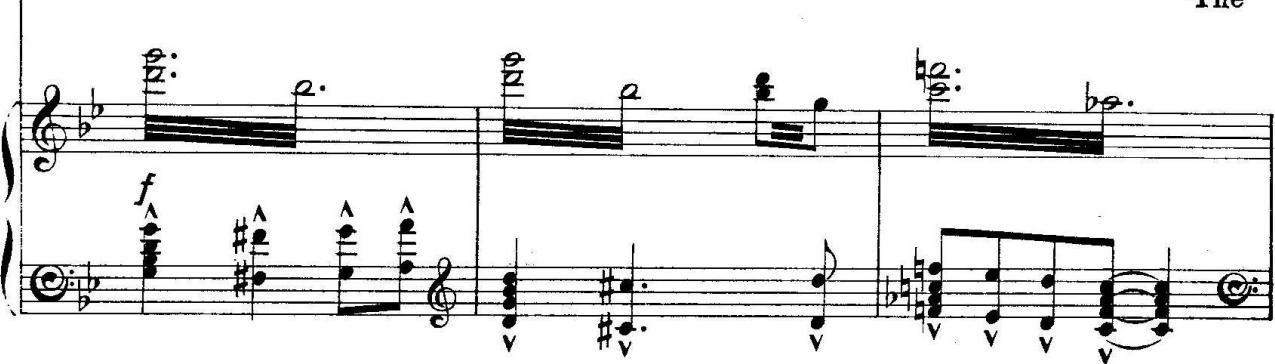
Vivace. $\text{♩} = 76$.

$\frac{2}{4}$: $\frac{2}{4}$: $\frac{2}{4}$:

f

griev - ous for my chil - dren!"
 griev - ous for my chil - dren!"
 griev - ous for my chil - dren!" A
 griev - ous for my chil - dren!"

 voice a - rose from out the hol - low e - ther,
 Say-ing, "The
 "The


 f.
 ff.

thing ye cursed hath been a - bolished— Corrup-tion, and decay, and dis - so-

thing ye cursed hath been a - bolished— Corrup-tion, and decay, and dis - so-

thing ye cursed hath been a - bolished— Corrup-tion, and decay, and dis - so-

thing ye cursed hath been a - bolished— Corrup-tion, and decay, and dis - so-

28

-lu - tion!" And the world shrieked, and the summer-time was bitter

-lu - tion!" And the world shrieked, the summer-time was bitter

-lu - tion!" And the world shrieked, the summer bitter

-lu - tion!" And the world shrieked, the summer bitter

28

And men and women feared the air behind them; And for lack of its green
 And men and women feared the air behind them; And for lack of its green
 And men and women feared the air; And for lack of its green
 And men and women feared the air; And for lack of its green

8

29

Tranquillo.

graves the world was hateful.

graves the world was hateful. There was no little

graves the world was hateful.

graves the world was hateful.

Tranquillo.

29

cresc.

There was no vi - si - ble presence of be -
 to - ken of dis - traction, There was no vi - si - ble presence of be -

 - reavement, No com - fort in the slow fare - well, — Nor
 - reavement, No com - fort in the slow fare - well, — Nor

The musical score consists of three systems of music. The top system shows two staves: a soprano staff with a treble clef and a bass staff with an bass clef. The middle system shows a soprano staff with a treble clef and a bass staff with an bass clef. The bottom system shows a soprano staff with a treble clef and a bass staff with an bass clef. The piano accompaniment is indicated by a bass staff with a bass clef at the beginning of each system. The vocal parts are written in a simple, melodic style. The piano accompaniment features sustained notes and chords. Measure numbers 13142 are present at the bottom right of the page.

30 Ancora più sostenuto.

gentle shutting of belov-ed eyes; There were no sweet green
gentle shutting of belov-ed eyes; There were no sweet green
There were no sweet green

No

30 Ancora più sostenuto. ♩=56.

Ped.

graves to sit and muse on, Till grief should grow a sum-mer me-di -
graves to sit and muse on, Till grief should grow a sum-mer me-di -
graves to sit and muse on, Till grief should grow a sum-mer me-di -
graves to muse on, Till grief should grow a sum-mer me-di -

*

* Ped. * Ped. *

Allegro vivo.

-ta-tion,
-ta-tion, The shadow of the passing of an angel—
-ta-tion,
-ta-tion, The shadow of the passing of an angel—

Allegro vivo. ♩=132.

THE MOTHER. Contralto Solo.

31 L'istesso tempo. *con passione*

Nothing but sudden parting— and a blankness.
Nothing but sudden parting— and a blankness.
Nothing but sudden parting— and a blankness.
Nothing but sudden parting— and a blankness.

31 L'istesso tempo. ♩=132.

Lord, hast thou conveyed them, My little ones, my little son and

Andante semplice. $\text{♩} = 92.$

daugh - ter? For

lo! we wandered forth at ear - ly morn-ing, And winds were blow-ing round us,

32

poco cresc.

and their mouths Blew rose - buds to the rose - buds, and their

eyes Looked vi - o - lets at the vi - o - lets, and their

cresc.

hair Made sunshine in the sunshine, and their passing Left a pleasure in the

cresc.

poco rit. — *a tempo*

dewy leaves behind them; And suddenly my

poco rit. e dim. *a tempo*

rall.

pp Lento

little son looked upward, And his eyes were dried like dew-drops;

Lento

rall.

pp

33 Molto Allegro. $\text{d}=72$ or $\text{d}=144$.

mp

and his go - ing Was like a blow of fire up -

Poco adagio. $\text{d}=46.$ *molto lento* pp

- on my face. And my

Poco più agitato. $\text{d}=54.$ *molto espressivo* *f*

little son was gone- I knew it By the sign He gives the stricken,

f

that the lost one Lin-gers no - where on the earth,
(no-where on the earth,)

44

34

f accel.

on hill or val - ley,

f espressivo

Neith - er un - der-neath the

*f sempre accel.**semperf**frall.**Molto Allegro. $\text{d}=72.$*

grasses

nor the tree-roots.

sempre agitato

Then I fled and sought him wild - ly - I

*accel.**rall.**sfp**p**cresc.**f*

sought him in the sun - light and the star - - - - - light,

*cresc.**f*

35

*mf**cresc.**f*:

I sought him in great for - ests, and in wa - - - - - ters

*p**cresc.**f*

Where I saw mine own pale im - age look - ing at me.

And I forgot my lit - tle bright-haired

daugh - ter, Though her voice was like a wild bird's far be - hind me,

36 Più tranquillo.

poco rall.

Till the voice ceased, and the un-iverse was silent.

poco rall.

Andante semplice. ♩ = 92. *pp*

And stilly, in the starlight, came I backward To the
forest where I missed him; and no voices Brake the stillness as I stooped down in the

poco rall. *p* Più tranquillo. ♩ = 72.

colla voce

Poco adagio. ♩ = 46. *pp Recit. molto lento*

starlight, And saw two lit-tle shoes filled

pp *molto lento*

a tempo

up with dew, And no mark_ of lit-tle foot-steps any

37

poco accel.

f farther, And knew my little daughter had gone al-so.

v *sf* *mf poco accel.* *rall.* *p lunga f*

Allegro vivo. $\text{♩} = 132$.

f Whith - er, O Spir - it of the Lord, hast thou con - veyed them, My

lit - tle ones, my son, my lit - tle son and

ff

38

daugh - ter? *a tempo* *3* *3* *accel.* *ff*

Ped.

48 Poco adagio. $\text{♩} = 44.$

THE WATCHER. Baritone Solo.

Allegro moderato.

But I a - woke, and lo! —

A musical score for a Baritone Solo. The vocal line starts with a rest followed by a melodic line. The piano accompaniment features eighth-note chords. The tempo is indicated as $\text{♩} = 44$. The vocal part includes lyrics: "But I a - woke, and lo! —". The piano part includes dynamics like p and mf .

39 Più tranquillo. $\text{♩} = 72.$

A musical score for a Baritone Solo. The vocal line continues with a melodic line. The piano accompaniment features eighth-note chords. The tempo is indicated as $\text{♩} = 72$. The vocal part includes lyrics: "the burthen was up - lift - ed, And I prayed with - in the". The piano part includes dynamics like p , pp , and mf .

A continuation of the musical score for bar 39. The vocal line continues with a melodic line. The piano accompaniment features eighth-note chords. The vocal part includes lyrics: "cham - ber where she slum-bered, And I cried - "O". The piano part includes dynamics like f and ff .

Molto sostenuto. $\text{♩} = 50.$

A continuation of the musical score for bar 39. The vocal line continues with a melodic line. The piano accompaniment features eighth-note chords. The vocal part includes lyrics: "un - seen Send-er of Cor -rup -tion, I bless Thee for the won-der". The piano part includes dynamics like mf .

allargando

Soprano.

Alto.

Tenor.

Bass.

allargando

ff

"o"

"o"

"o"

"o"

ff

ff

ff

"o"

ff

"o"

mf

a tempo

- ing"

largamente

un-seen Sender of Cor-rup-tion, We bless Thee for Thy mer-cy, for the
largamente

un-seen Sender of Cor-rup-tion, We bless Thee for Thy mer-cy, for the
largamente

un-seen Sender of Cor-rup-tion, We bless Thee for Thy mer-cy, for the
largamente

un-seen Sender of Cor-rup-tion, We bless Thee for Thy mer-cy, for the
largamente $\text{d}=50$.

a tempo

ff

50 40

won - der of Thy mer - cy, Which soft-en-eth the mys-ter-y
 won - der of Thy mer - cy, Which soft-en-eth the mys-ter-y
 won - der of Thy mer - cy, Which soft-en-eth the mys-ter-y
 won - der of Thy mer - cy, Which soft-en-eth the mys-ter-y

40

allargando *f* *ff* *a tempo*
 and the part - - - ing."
allargando *f* *ff* *a tempo*
 and the part - - - ing."
allargando *f* *ff* *a tempo*
 and the part - - - ing."
allargando *f* *ff* *a tempo*
 and the part - - - ing."
allargando *f* *ff* *ff*

molto allargando *ff* *Ped.*

13142 *

II. THE SOUL AND THE DWELLING.

*"A House miraculous of breath
The royal Soul inhabiteth.
Alone therein for evermore,
It seeks in vain to pass the door;
But through the windowes of the eyne
Signalleth to its kin divine."*

Andante con moto quasi Andantino. ♩ = 116.

Soprano Solo.

41 *mp espressivo*

Come to me! clasp me!
mp espressivo

Tenor Solo.

Come to me! clasp me!

41

poco rall.

Spi - rit to spi - rit!

cling-ing-ly,

ten - der-ly,

poco rall.

Spi - rit to spi - rit!

Ten - der-ly,

cling-ing-ly,

Min -

mf a tempo

Mingle to one! Ours are two dwell-ings, Won-drous-ly beau - ti-ful,

- gle to one!

p colla voce *mf a tempo*

Ped. *

mf

Made in the dark-ness Of soft-tint-ed

mf *mf*

Ours are two dwellings, Wondrously beau - ti-ful, Made in the

Ped. *

dim. *poco rall.* *a tempo*

flesh, Made in the dark-ness Of soft-tint-ed flesh:

dim. *poco rall.* *a tempo*

dark-ness Of soft-tint-ed flesh, of soft-tint-ed flesh:

dim. *poco rall.* *a tempo*

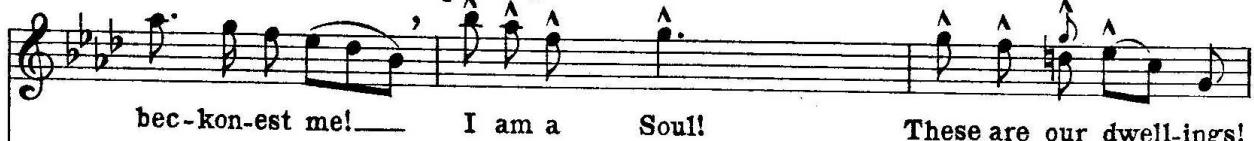
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mf sempre accel. e cresc. più e più

In the one dwell-ing, Pri-son'd I dwell, And lo! from the o-ther Thou
mf sempre accel. e cresc. più e più

In the one dwelling, in the one dwelling, Pri-son'd I

42

mp sempre accel. e cresc. più e più*f allargando*

bec-kon-est me! I am a Soul! These are our dwell-ings!

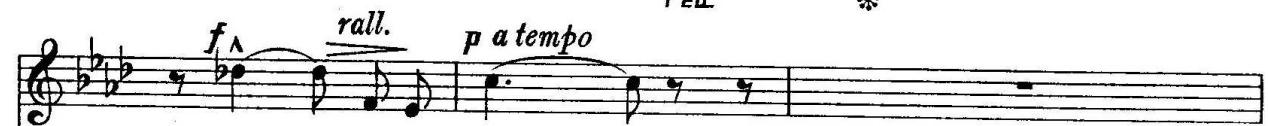
dwell,

Thou art a

Soul! These our dwell-ings!

*Ped.*

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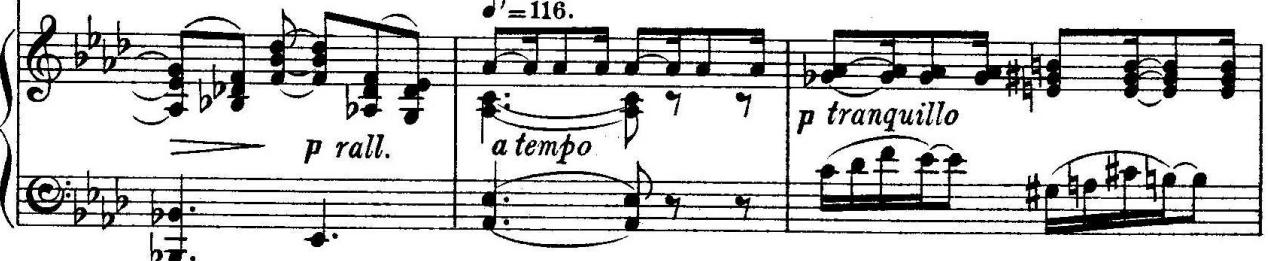
*rall.**p a tempo*

O to be free!

mp tranquillo

O to be free!

Beauteous, be - lov - ed,

*a tempo**p tranquillo*

Is thy dear dwelling; All o'er it blowing The ro-ses of dawn—

43

cresc. ed agitato

Bright is the por-tal, The dwell-ing is scent - - - ed, is scent-ed With-

43

p cresc. ed agitato

f

dim.

Poco meno mosso.

p con tenerezza

Now I ap-proach thee, Sweetness and o-dour,

poco rall.

p con tenerezza

ten.

- in and with-out;

Now I ap-proach thee, Sweetness and o-dour,

Poco meno mosso. $\text{♩} = 100$

ten.

p poco rall.

p

sempre p

44 *mf*

sweetness and o - dour Trem - ble up - on me - Wild is the rap-ture!

sempre p

mf

sweetness and o - dour Trem - ble up - on me - Wild is the rap-ture!

44

p

accel. e cresc.

Thick is the perfume! Wild is the rap-ture! Sweet bursts of mu - sic,

accel. e cresc.

Thick is the perfume! Thick is the per - fume!

accel. e cresc.

mf

poco rall.

Sweet bursts of mu - sic Thrill from with-in! _____ Clasp me!

mf

poco rall.

Sweet bursts of mu - sic Thrill from with-in! Come to me! clasp me!

mf

dim. e rall.

p

pp rit. *p r all.* *b- b- poco r all.*

Come to me! close to me! Cling-ing-ly, ten-der-ly, Min-gle to

pp rit. *p r all.* *p poco r all.*

close to me! Ten-der-ly, Min - gle to

pp colla voce *p* *r all.*

45 *f a tempo, agitato*

one! Wild - ly, wild-ly with - in me Some in - mate

45

*mf a tempo**=116.**Ped.*

*

mf accel.

rush-es, Some ea-ger in - mate Rush-es and trem-bles,

f agitato

Wild - ly with - in me Some ea-ger in - mate

*mp accel.**Ped.*

*

cresc.

f ^ .

And calls in the ears, — Yearns to thee, cries to thee!

mf accel.

f ^ .

Peers from the eyes — And yearns to thee, cries to thee!

cresc.

f

Claim-ing old kin - - - ship In lives, in lives far re -

f

Claim-ing old kin-ship In lives, in lives far re -

=116.

f a tempo

dim.

p

poco rall.

Ped. *

46 p tranquillo

- moved! Pent in its pri - son Must each mi-ra - culous

p tranquillo

- moved! Pent in its pri - son Must each mi-ra - culous Spi - rit re - main,

a tempo, tranquillo 46

p

mp agitato e cresc.

Spi-rit re-main,
Stri-ving to lan - guage
Yet in - ar - ti - cu-late,

agitato

f poco rall. *largamente*
Mu - sic and mem - o-ry, Rap-ture and dream!
Yea, from my fore - head
largamente
Mu - sic and mem - o-ry, Rap-ture and dream!
Yea, from my fore - head

cresc. *mf poco rall.* *f largamente*
Kiss the dark fan - ta-sy! Ten-der-ly,
Min-gle to one!

ten. *mf* *dim.*
Kiss the dark fan - ta-sy!
cling - ing-ly, Min-gle to one!

p tranquillo

poco rall.

Is not this lan-guage? Music and memory, Rap-ture, rapture and dream?

p tranquillo

p poco rall.

Is not this lan-guage? Music and memory, Rap-ture and dream?

poco rall.

47 *mf a tempo*

f molto largamente.

O in the dew-y-bright Day-dawn of love,

O in the dewy-bright
molto largamente

47 *d=116.*

a tempo

f molto largamente

O in the dewy-bright

Ped. *

a tempo
mf accel. sempre e cresc.

Day-dawn of love, Is it not won-drous, Blush-red with ro-ses, The
mf accel. sempre e cresc.

Day-dawn of love, Is it not won-drous, is it not

mp accel. sempre e cresc.

f allargando

beau-ti-ful, mys - ti-cal House of the Soul! O won-drous, is
O won - drous

won-drous, Blush-red with ro-ses,
is it not,

f allargando

Ped.

46

47

48

accel. *poco rall. - f - - - -* *Più lento.*

accel. *poco rall. - f - - - -* *Più lento.*

accel. *f* *poco rall.* *p*

pp *molto rall.*

Is it not wondrous, won - drous, The House of the Soul!

pp *molto rall.*

The House _____ of the Soul!

48

rall. *pp* *pp tranquillo* *poco rall.*

Lento solenne.
Contralto I.

61

L'istesso tempo.

SOLI.

Contralto II.

Soprano.

Alto.

CHORUS.

Tenor.

Bass.

Lento solenne. ♩=58. My Soul, thou art wed To a perish-a-ble thing,

My Soul, thou art wed To a perish-a-ble thing,

My Soul, thou art wed To a perish-a-ble thing,

Lento solenne. ♩=58. My Soul, thou art wed To a perish-a-ble thing,

L'istesso tempo.

death from thy strange mate Shall sever thee full soon,

death from thy strange mate Shall sever thee full soon,

Baritone Solo.

But death shall sever thee full soon,

If
If
If

49

Contralto I.



The sor-row, the



The sor-row, the



The hope,—



49

CHORUS.



thou wilt reap wings Take all the Flesh can give:—



thou wilt reap wings Take all the Flesh can give:—



thou wilt reap wings Take all the Flesh can give:—

49



hope, the fear, That floweth a-long the veins:

hope, the fear, That floweth a-long the veins:

the fear, That floweth a-long the veins:

That flow - eth a-long the veins:

Take all, nor be a-

p

Soprano Solo.

poco più lento

Is it not wondrous, The beau-ti-ful

Tenor I Solo.

poco più lento

Is it not wondrous, The beau-ti-ful

*dim.**poco più lento**pp*

- fraid; Cling close to thy mor-tal Mate!

*dim.**pp*

- fraid; Cling close to thy mor-tal Mate!

*dim.**pp*

- fraid; Cling close to thy mor-tal Mate!

*dim.**pp*

- fraid; Cling close to thy mor-tal Mate!

poco più lento

rall.

50

House of the Soul! —

rall.

House of the Soul! —

Contralto I. *mp*

So shalt thou du - ly wring Out of thy long embrace The

Contralto II. *mp*

So shalt thou du - ly wring Out of thy long embrace The

Tenor II. *p*

Out of thy long embrace The

Baritone. *mp*

Thou shalt du - ly wring Out of thy long embrace The

CHORUS. 50

p

d=58.

Contralto I.

SOLI.

Contralto II.

Tenor II.

Baritone.

Master mak - eth thee wings;—

CHORUS.

Be not a-fraid, my Soul, To

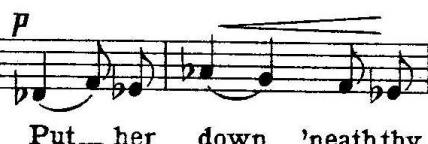
Be not a-fraid, my Soul, To

Be not a-fraid, my Soul, To

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p

But put her gently down In the earth beneath thy

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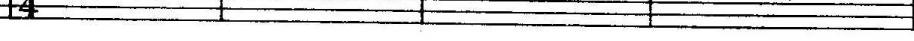
Put her down 'neath thy

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Put her down 'neath thy

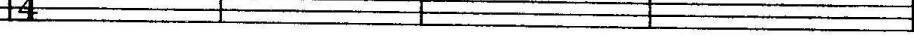
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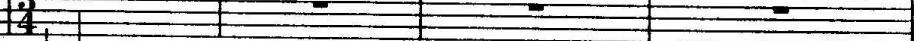
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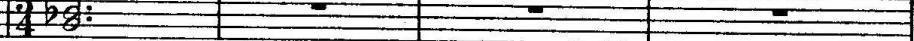
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leave thy Mate at last,

F#:

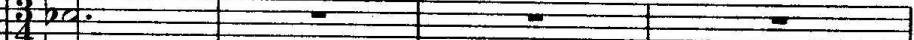
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leave thy Mate at last,

C:

3



leave thy Mate at last,

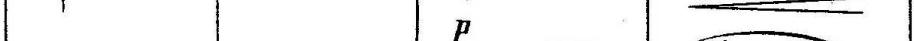
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3



Bb:

3



C:

3



Bb:

3



SOLI.

feet. And dry thine eyes and has - ten To the im - per - ish-a - ble
 feet. And dry thine eyes and has - ten To the
 feet. And dry thine eyes and has - ten To the
 And dry thine eyes and has - ten To the

espress. springs; And it shall be well for thee In the
p espress. springs; It shall be well for thee
 springs; It shall be well for
p espress. springs; It shall be well for
pp

beau - ti-ful Master's sight, If it be
 In the beau - ti-ful Master's sight, If it be
 thee If it be
 thee In the beau - ti-ful Master's sight, If 'tis

found in the end Thou hast used her, used her
 found in the end Thou hast used her
 found in the end Thou hast used her
 found in the end Thou hast used her

pp dim., pp rall.
 pp dim., pp rall.
 pp dim., pp rall.
 pp dim., pp rall.

pp

ten - der - ly.

ten - der - ly.

ten - der - ly.

52 ten - der - ly. *rall.*

My Soul, thou art wed To a per - ish - a - ble
rall.

My Soul, thou art wed To a per - ish - a - ble
rall.

My Soul, thou art wed To a per - ish - a - ble
rall.

52 My Soul, thou art wed To a per - ish - a - ble
rall.

poco più lento

Soprano Solo.

Is it not wondrous, The beautiful mys - ti - cal House of the Soul!

Tenor I Solo.

Is it not wondrous, The beautiful mys - ti - cal House of the Soul!

thing.
thing.
thing.

thing.
thing.
thing.

poco più lento *pp* *rall.*