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TWO SONGS

For High Voice
With Piano Accompaniment

By
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The Lark Now Leaves His Watery Nest



The Devout Lover



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"The lark now leaves his watery nest"

Sir Richard Davenant

Edward Horsman

Allegretto con anima

f brillante

Red. *Red.* *Red.* *Red.* *Red.* *Red.*

** Red.* *Red.*

f *a tempo*

poco allarg. The lark now

cresc. *a tempo*

Red. *Red.* *Red.* *Red.*

leaves his wa - ter - y nest, his wa - t'ry

Red.

nest, And climb - - ing, — shakes his dew - y

wings, — his dew - y wings; —

He takes — this win - - dow

for — the East, — And to im - plore —

your light he sings: *ff* A -

wake! a - wake! the morn will

allarg. nev - er a - rise Till

allarg. *p subito*

she can dress her beau - ty at your eyes. *a tempo*

cresc. *colla voce* *a tempo*

The first system of the musical score. It consists of a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment (grand staff). The key signature has four flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat, D-flat). The vocal line begins with a whole rest, followed by a series of eighth and sixteenth notes. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a more complex bass line in the left hand.

The second system of the musical score. The vocal line (treble clef) includes the lyrics "The mer - chant bows — un - to the" under a melodic line. The piano accompaniment (grand staff) continues with its characteristic eighth-note patterns. A dynamic marking of *mf* (mezzo-forte) is placed above the vocal line.

The third system of the musical score. The vocal line (treble clef) includes the lyrics "sea - man's star, — The plough-man from the sun —" under a melodic line. The piano accompaniment (grand staff) continues with its characteristic eighth-note patterns. A dynamic marking of *mf* is present.

The fourth system of the musical score. The vocal line (treble clef) includes the lyrics "— his sea - son takes; —" under a melodic line. The piano accompaniment (grand staff) continues with its characteristic eighth-note patterns. A dynamic marking of *mf* is present. The system concludes with a right-hand (r. h.) section featuring a descending scale with fingerings 4, 3, 2, 1 in the right hand and 3, 5, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5 in the left hand.

p But yet the lov - er — won - ders what they

p *cresc.*

are, — Who looks — for — day be - fore his

cresc.

mis - - tress wakes. — A -

ff *poco allarg.* *cresc.*

wake! — a - wake! — Break thro' your

ff *dim.*

veils of lawn!

allarg. *f a tempo*

Then draw your

cresc. *allarg.* *f a tempo*

ff *allarg.*

cur - tains, and he giv - eth dawn, the

allarg. molto *ff* *allarg.*

dawn.

a tempo brillante *8* *accet. poco* *(l. h.)*

Recent songs by the composer of THE BIRD OF THE WILDERNESS

The Dream

* Poem from
"The Mastersingers of Japan"

Edward Horsman

Adagio

Voice

Piano

p

mp

Be-fore I slept, I

thought of thee, thought, Then fell a-

rit.

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The Golden Stag

From "The Gardener"
by Sir Rabindranath Tagore

Edward Horsman

Allegretto ritmico *mf*

1 hunt for the gold - en

stag. You may smile, my

cresc.

friends, but I pur - sue the vi - sion that e - ludes me, that o -

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The Joyous Wanderer

English version by
Alice Meynell

(From the French of Catulle Mendès)

Edward Horsman

Andante giocoso

Piano

f

I go by road, I go by street, Li-ral - La-lal

white high - roads, ye know my feet!

mp

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You Are the Evening Cloud

** Words by
Sir Rabindranath Tagore

Edward Horsman

Lento, ma non troppo *mp* *arpeggiando* *m.s.*

You are the eve - ning cloud, float - ing,

smile *smile*

float - ing in the sky of my dreams,

* The melody to be played with the left hand, except where otherwise indicated.
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