

FAIRYLAND

An Opera in Three Acts

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ARGUMENT

Rosamund, a novice, from the abbey balcony beholds the young king Auburn riding across the valley, and falls a-longing for life and for him. But he, scorning the kingdom that has been too easily his own, would fain go a pilgrimage. He leaves his crown, not to Corvain his brother, but to the Abbess Myriel. Corvain therefore steals upon Auburn while he prays before the shrine, strikes him down, and leaves him for dead. But Auburn, reviving, finds himself among Fairies, and within the shrine not Our Lady but his own lady Rosamund; and they two are crowned King and Queen in a vision of Fairyland.

Auburn being gone, Corvain by force seizes upon the kingdom, which Myriel claims also; so each takes tribute from the People, who are grievously oppressed thereby. Rosamund, fleeing from the abbey in search of Auburn, falls into the power of Corvain. Auburn returns to claim his crown again; but none will recognize him for the King; Rosamund knows him only for her Prince of Fairyland; and he, being come back again to earth, knows her not. Myriel, pursuing Rosamund, comes upon the two together. While she and Corvain quarrel for possession of the fugitive, Auburn before all the people interferes, proclaiming himself king, and invoking the magic power of the Rose which he has brought from Fairyland. But the Rose withers before the scornful laughter of Corvain, wherein the People join; Rosamund, renouncing Corvain's protection, is led away prisoner by Myriel; and Auburn is left desolate.

Rosamund, believing steadily in her Fairy lover, is to be burned for witchcraft. Myriel strives to make her repent, persuading her how that her vision had been of Holiness, not of Love; but Rosamund will not doubt. Rosamund and Auburn, being without hope, now wholly remember each other and despise their dream; seeing yet Robin and his People as nothing more than mere peasant clods, who therefore cannot aid them. Auburn single-handed desperately attacks Corvain,

who has him seized and bound also to the stake. In that last moment, while the fagots kindle, they hear the drinking-song of the common folk in the tavern, and by that mirth know them for the People of the Hills. The Rose burns in Auburn's bosom like a star, while Rosamund sings the magic song thereof. The scene transforms again into the likeness of their vision, wherein Myriel and Corvain are overpowered by the throng of Fairies rushing in, and Auburn and Rosamund are again set free and crowned in a world that is one with Fairyland.

THE PERSONS

AUBURN—the King; afterward Prince of Fairyland	<i>Heroic Tenor</i>
CORVAIN—brother to Auburn	<i>Bass</i>
MYRIEL—the Abbess	<i>Mezzo-Soprano</i>
ROSAMUND	<i>High Soprano</i>
ROBIN—surnamed GOODFELLOW	<i>Lyric Tenor</i>
CHORUS OF NUNS, MEN-AT-ARMS, and COMMON FOLK (the People of the Hills, who are also FAIRIES)	

ACT I. Before the Abbey. All-Hallows' Eve (*One hour*)

ACT II. The Castle of the King. Noon. (*Thirty-five minutes*)

ACT III. The Village. Dawn. (*Thirty minutes*)

THE ACTION takes place Once Upon a Time, and within the interval
of a Year and a Day.

THE TIME is roughly the Thirteenth Century; THE PLACE, a hill country in Central Europe. These, however, are not intended to locate the story with historical precision, more than in the case of any other fairy tale; but as an affair of scenery and costume and setting, the form in which it meets the eye. For the action takes place in the Valley of Shadows, also called the World: which seen in a certain light is also Fairyland. It is concretely represented as a triangular valley, some two miles on a side, having at one corner the abbey; at another, the castle of the King; and at a third, the village. And the scene is laid at each of these points in turn, the rest of the valley being in each case visible and recognized in the distance.

The visual effect of the production, therefore, is of that mediæval realm of fancy with which Maxfield Parrish, Arthur Rackham, and others have made us familiar. And the transformation by which, at the end of the First and Third Acts, the scene becomes a vision of Fairyland is presented by the sudden change from ordinary stage light to a fantastic and decorative scheme of vivid colors; and by the effect of this colored light upon the scenery and costumes.

Fairyland

ACT I

The Abbey

Brian Hooker

Overture

Horatio Parker. Op. 77

Piano

Allegro moderato ($\text{♩} = 116$)

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Musical score page 5, featuring six staves of piano music. The score includes dynamics such as *mf*, *cresc.*, *f*, *ff*, *dim. subito*, *rit.*, *p*, *espress.*, and *Meno mosso*. Measure 3 is indicated above the first staff. The music spans across various keys and time signatures, including 3/4, 2/4, and 4/4.

1

mf

cresc.

f

ff

dim. subito

rit.

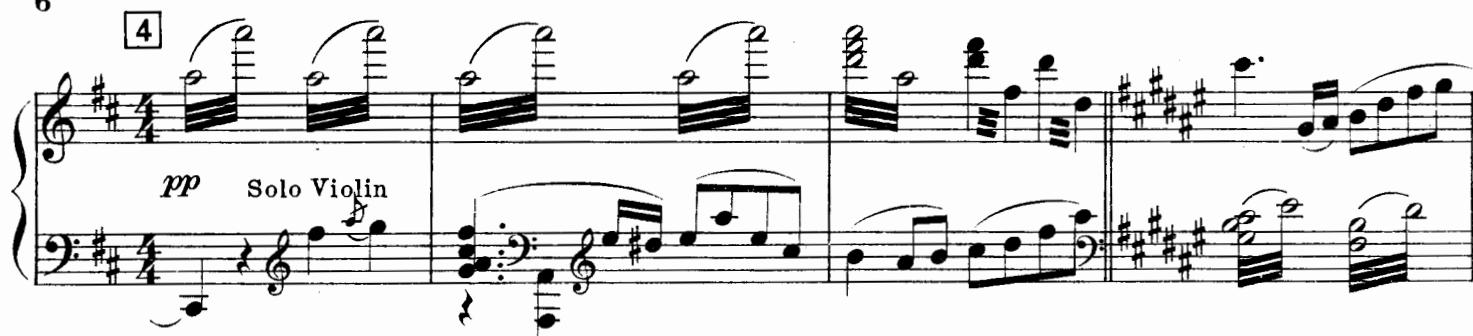
Meno mosso

p *espress.*

p

6

4

Andantino ($\text{♩} = 63$)

tr.

tr.

rit.

pp a tempo

Musical score for piano, page 7, featuring six staves of music. The score consists of two systems of three staves each. The top system starts with a treble clef, a key signature of seven sharps, and common time. It includes dynamic markings such as $\times\ddot{\text{z}}$, z , and z . The bottom system starts with a bass clef, a key signature of four sharps, and common time. It includes dynamic markings like z , z , and z . The score concludes with a final dynamic marking of ff poco mosso .

6 ($\text{d} = 80$)

cantando

cresc. molto

ff poco mosso

Musical score page 8, measures 1-2. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef, G major, and the bottom staff is in bass clef, C major. Measure 1 starts with a forte dynamic (ff) and ends with a piano dynamic (mf). Measure 2 begins with a piano dynamic (mf).

Musical score page 8, measures 3-4. The top staff is in treble clef, G major, and the bottom staff is in bass clef, C major. The instruction "agitato" is written above the treble staff. Measure 3 ends with a piano dynamic (mf). Measure 4 begins with a piano dynamic (mf).

Musical score page 8, measures 5-6. The top staff is in treble clef, G major, and the bottom staff is in bass clef, C major. The instruction "ff" is written above the treble staff. Measure 5 ends with a piano dynamic (mf). Measure 6 begins with a piano dynamic (mf).

Musical score page 8, measures 7-8. The top staff is in treble clef, G major, and the bottom staff is in bass clef, C major. Measure 7 ends with a piano dynamic (mf). Measure 8 begins with a piano dynamic (mf).

Musical score page 8, measures 9-10. The top staff is in treble clef, G major, and the bottom staff is in bass clef, C major. Measure 9 ends with a piano dynamic (mf). Measure 10 begins with a piano dynamic (mf).

Curtain

Empty stage. A triangular
cl.

valley with an Abbey on the extreme left; a wayside shrine separated from the distance by a chasm

Chorus of Peasants (off stage)

SOPRANO

8

Lo stesso tempo

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

In low - ly and rude land Our

Lo stesso tempo ($\text{d} = \text{d} = 100$)

8

ppp

(Enter The Old Man and The Forester)

The Old Man

The Old Man

O.M. The Forester I am not so swift as once I was.

F. Stir thyself, Gaffer. The rest are home by

fair land, a good land, Whose people love her

fair land, a good land, Whose people love her

fair land, a good land, Whose people love her

p

O.M. - - -

F. - - -

now. Hark to them! Art thou grown too old to

well.

well.

well.

well.

{

Bassoon entries:

- Measure 1: Double Bass (D), Double Bass (A)
- Measure 2: Double Bass (D), Double Bass (A)
- Measure 3: Double Bass (D), Double Bass (A)

(Rosamund appears on the balcony. She looks out over the valley and listens. Passing peasants greet her)

O.M. 

O.M. 

O.M.
F.

her. She will nev-er dance, nor sing,
nor love. Thy mer-cy on thy saints, O

più f

più f By sun - - beam and
più f By sun - - beam and
più f By sun - - beam and
By sun - - beam and

Piano accompaniment with bass line and chords.

(Third Peasant enters and listens)

O.M. No need to spoil a man's prayers.

F. Ay, old ho-li-ness, We must be

mead - - ow And ru - by of the vine. So we that do pos -

mead - - ow And ru - by of the vine. So we that do pos -

mead - - ow And ru - - by vine. So we that do pos -

mead - - ow And ru - - by vine. So we that do pos -

(A section of the score showing complex harmonic progression with many sharps and flats, likely representing a peasant's simple harmonic knowledge.)

F. ver - y care-ful of thy soul; Come home before we meet with them that have no
 sess her Will pray Our La - dy bless her: Sing A - - ve

sess her Will pray Our La - dy bless her: Sing A - - ve

sess her Will pray Our La - dy bless her: Sing A - - ve

sess her Will pray Our La - dy bless her: Sing A - - ve

poco f

Third Peasant *g*

15

3. P. Look at the sun! Is this any sea - son for prayers? We shall be
 F. souls.

dimin.

— and Cre - - do And kneel a - round her
 — and Cre - - do And kneel a - round her
 — and Cre - - do And kneel a - round her
 — and Cre - - do And kneel a - round her
 — and Cre - - do And kneel a - round her

10

3. P. tak-en by the elves if we de - lay much longer.

F. Let us go!

p shrine.
p shrine.
p shrine.
p shrine.

10

marcato

cresc.

(Rosamund leans over the balcony, stretching out her arms toward the riding knight whom she sees, but

ff

ffff

who is not visible to the audience)

poco più mosso

ffff ($d=112$)

dimin.

p

dim.

pp

11 Chorus of Men

TENORS *p*

Un - fail - ing for ev - er Her mys-ter-ies re - main: The blood of the

BASSES *p*

Un - fail - ing for ev - er Her mys-ter-ies re - main: The blood of the

(♩ = 96)

p Bell of the Abbey*p*

riv - er, The bod - y of the grain, The Au - tumn of her dy - ing, Her

riv - er, The bod - y of the grain, The Au - tumn of her dy - ing, Her

Win - ter bur - ied ly - ing, Whom Spring — shall de - liv - er And Summer crown a -

Win - ter bur - ied ly - ing, Whom Spring — shall de - liv - er And Summer crown a -

gain!

gain!

(Rosamund disappears within the Abbey)

Ob.

Bells
(Tubes)

12

(Robin enters after two or three peasants. They kneel, then rise and proceed)

Tubes

Organ

Ped.

Abbey Bell

poco rit.

poco rit.

Robin (going)

Allegretto ($\text{♩} = 100$)

(Corvain enters, across the bridge)

13

Rn. So we who bear her bur - den -

C. Corvain

Hold you there!

p

f

poco agitato

(bowing to Corvain)

Rn. Gramer-cy for thy

C. Fellow!

accel. 11

sffz ff

Rn. fel-lowship, Good master! See how fast my honors fall: Poor

accel. (♩ = 120)

a tempo mf

Rn. Ro-bin is become the mate of lords, And fel-low to the brother of the

p

Rn. King!

C. Corvain

Be done, dog!

Tell me, which way went the

f agitato

sfp *sfp*

Rn. Shall a dog look what way a king should go?—

c. King?

14

Rn.

c. Ay! lest the King run forth to bay the

poco animato ($\text{♩} = 132$)

f

Rn. Sir,

c. moon, And be lost.

legg.

Rn. which king?

c. My broth - er, oaf! Are there so

(seated on the edge of the gulf)

Rn.

c. The good

man - y?

dim.

and counting on his fingers)

Rn. sis - - ters here, They say we have a King in heav'n.

Rn. The folk In the vil-lage yonder, they tell wonders too;

Rn. They say there is a king in Fair - y - land.

Rn. Now of these three to lose one -

c. Corvain. An-swer me! Saw ye the King in the

(angry) c. for - est?

Rn. Robin Sir, I have seen No man to-day more like a king than thee.

Rn.

(Corvain moves angrily)

More like!

leggiero scherzando

p

f strepitoso (♩ = 132)

(Robin dodges)

What now?

Come hither.

(Robin nods)

poco rit.

Ob.

(nod)

Robin

Nay, my lord, Not too much fellowship. See, there is yet A

gulf between us.

pp

f

24

(Robin picks up a pebble
and tosses it into the gulf.
The pebble drops) *

Corvain

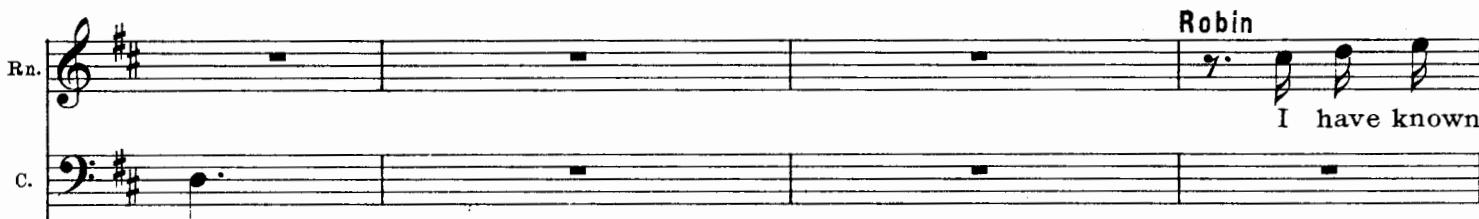
17 *more quietly*
più mosso

C. 

Harken! Went he not Clad as a

c. 

pil - grim, in gray weeds, with staff And san - dal? Would ye know him

Rn. 

Robin

I have known

C. 

so?

Più mosso

f dim.

Rn. 

man-y seek the Ho - ly Land - Poor folk, like

p p

Rn. us; dry women, lone-ly men, And such-like. But a

Bssn.

(18) (♩ = 120)

Rn. king! — Why, look ye now,

dim.

f p

sffz

(♩ = 132)

Rn. 'Tis a-against na-ture! If we tell that tale, Men will but say that we have

p

(♩ = 96)

Rn. murdered him For the sake of his crown.

Corvain f

C. Dost thou say so, Vil-lain?

Agitato

pp

Robin

Rn. The saints for - - bid! I on-ly say We dare not lose him.

p tranquillo

p

Corvain

c. [19] *agitato* Fel-low, must I be My brother's keep-er?

f agitato

solenné *p*

Robin *commodo*

Rn. Brother to a crown, And fel-low to a

Allegretto (♩ = 120)

p

(Robin makes two gestures
of decapitation)

Rn. clown- Ay, noble Sir, Or-

f

f

Bsn.

cl.

ff

20

Moso (d=63)

(Robin has an inspiration)

Rn.

A - ha! See now:-

sfz pp subito

pp

Rn.

This is Hal-lows' Eve, _____ No night for prince or

Rn.

pil - - grim wan - - d'ring, For

rit. *a tempo p*

Rn.

who - so seeks _____ the Ho - ly Land to - night _____

a tempo

21

Rn. May chance on Fair-y-land a - thwart his way.

poco ten. pp ten. pp

(♩ = 138)

Rn. Good! Say the

Ob. accel. rit. pp a tempo

Rn. gob - lins have him, or the gnomes Took him

Rn. to be their king,

poco f

Rn. 22
 or he hath seen A Sing - ing Wo - man in the
 wood, and gone To slumber at her side for seven
 years, And wake a mad - - man.

23

Rn. There now — is a tale Folk will be - lieve! _____

poco rit. a tempo

poco f

Rn. — Say I well? _____

Rn. Say I well? Corvain *f* Thy long tongue One day will

c. crop thy long ears. E-nough! Go, Rouse the village!

24

poco animato

Robin

Rn.

On this night?

Rn.

Ho - ly Saints! Hal - lows' Eve?

Rn.

Never a soul stirs from his door-

poco animato

Rn.

There be too many a-broad who have no souls:

(Bell)

Rn. *ff* (Robin hears the nuns)
Not for twenty kings!—

C. Chorus of Nuns (off stage)
f
In sem - pi - ter - na

The Abbey Bell

(Robingoes)
Marry, here be more Seekers af-ter lost crowns!

Corvain
f
Wait, thou!
sae - cu - la.

dimin.

p

One Voice (Soprano, in the Abbey)

v. A - - men.

Rn. Not I! It is not good to walk too near the throne. Give ye good

sfzpp *pp legg.*

v. In sem - pi - ter - na

Rn. e'en, Brother, and keep ye safe From them who walk in

p

26 (Robin goes out) *ad lib.*

v. sae-cula. A - ve Vir-go glo - ri - o - sa!

Rn. dark - ness! Corvain (growling)

c. Chorus of Nuns (within) In-solent!

A - - men.

A - - men.

(d = 92)

Chorus of Nuns

Moderato

*a tempo**p* SOPRANO I

A - ve Vir - go glo - ri - o -

p SOPRANO II

A - ve Vir - go glo - ri - o -

p ALTO I

A - ve Vir - go glo - ri - o -

p ALTO II

A - ve Vir - go glo - ri - o -

Moderato ($\text{d} = 80$)

Organ

p a tempo

Harp (off stage) /

Corvain (turning away down stage)

O brother Au-burn, ho-ly brother Au-burn, Whose babe's eyes look be-

sa, Stel - la ma - ris, mun - di ro - sa, Pec - ca - to - rum

sa, Stel - la ma - ris, mun - di ro - sa, Pec - ca - to - rum

sa, Stel - la ma - ris, mun - di ro - sa, Pec - ca - to - rum

sa, Stel - la ma - ris, mun - di ro - sa, Pec - ca - to - rum

mf Organ

c.

tween me and my will, Whose dreams rise like smoke a-cross my way,
Con - so - la - trix ho - mi - num:
gra - ti - o - sa Con - so - la - trix Con - so - la - trix
gra - ti - o - sa Con - so - la - trix, con - so - la - trix
gra - ti - o - sa Con - so - la - trix

One Voice

v.

In sem-pi-ter-na sae-cu-la,

c.

How long? I shall remember!

trix.

A - men. A -

ho - mi - num. A - men.

ho - mi - num. A - men.

ho - mi - num. A - men.

mf pp

mf pp

27

Ave Ma - ter, quae pri - mae - vae
Ma - tris ma - la pel - lis E - vae

A - ve Ma - ter, quae pri - mae - vae Ma - tris ma - la pel - lis E - vae

A - ve Ma - ter, quae pri - mae - vae Ma - tris ma - la pel - lis E - vae

A - ve Ma - ter, quae pri - mae - vae Ma - tris ma - la pel - lis E - vae

27

pp

Filium prolatata sae-vae Genti nos-trae Do - - mi -

Filium prolatata sae-vae Genti nos-trae Do - - mi -

Filium prolatata sae-vae Genti nos-trae Do - - mi -

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Filium prolatata sae-vae Genti nos-trae Do - - mi -

(The nuns appear at the Abbey door and are issuing forth....)

num!

num!

num!

num!

pp Orchestra *dolce*

.... Myriel is at the head and Rosamund in white at the end of the procession)

mf **28**

O di - lec - ta, quam pri - o - ri Super - na - lis dig-nam tho - ri

O di - lec - ta, quam pri - o - ri Super - na - lis dig-nam tho - ri

O di-lec - ta, quam pri - o - ri Super-na-lis dig - nam tho - ri

O di-lec - ta, quam pri - o - ri Super-na-lis dig - nam tho - ri

mf **28**

cresc.

Du-cent an-ge - lo-rum cho-ri Pa-ra-nym-phi pre-mi-o! O be - a - ta, quae sur -

Du-cent an-ge - lo-rum cho-ri Pa-ra-nym-phi pre-mi-o! O be - a - ta, quae sur -

Du-cent an-ge - lo-rum cho-ri Pa-ra-nym-phi pre-mi-o! O be - a - ta, quae sur -

cresc.

Du-cent an-ge - lo-rum cho-ri Pa-ra-nym-phi pre-mi-o! O be - a - ta, quae sur -

cresc.

Du-cent an-ge - lo-rum cho-ri Pa-ra-nym-phi pre-mi-o! O be - a - ta, quae sur -

Du-cent an-ge - lo-rum cho-ri Pa-ra-nym-phi pre-mi-o! O be - a - ta, quae sur -

cresc.

Du-cent an-ge - lo-rum cho-ri Pa-ra-nym-phi pre-mi-o! O be - a - ta, quae sur -

pp

ri - det U - bi cre - a - tu - ram vi - det Su - ae car - nis, qui re - si - det

ri - det U - bi cre - a - tu - ram vi - det Su - ae car - nis, qui re - si - det

ri - det U - bi cre - a - tu - ram vi - det Su - ae car - nis, qui re - si - det

ri - det U - bi cre - a - tu - ram vi - det Su - ae car - nis, qui re - si - det

pp

pp

pp

(The entire Chorus of nuns has now come forth)

29

29

Con - di - tor in gre - mi - o! Re - gis
Con - di - tor in gre - mi - o! Re - gis
Con - di - tor in gre - mi - o! Nu -
Con - di - tor in gre - mi - o! Nu -

f *poco più animato*

Re. *

nu - trix an - ge - lo - rum,
nu - trix an - ge - lo - rum,
- trix Re - gis an - - ge - lo - rum,
- trix Re - gis an - - ge - lo - rum,

f

Re. *

(The nuns hang garlands upon the shrine)

Da con-tem-ptum ter - re-no - rum O - di - um in vi - ti - o - rum Tris-te mi-nis -

Da con-tem-ptum ter - re-no - rum O - di - um in vi - ti - o - rum Tris-te mi-nis -

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Da con-tem-ptum ter - re-no - rum O - di - um in vi - ti - o - rum Tris-te mi-nis -

f

30

poco rit. pp

te - - ri - um; Va - ni - ta - te Fac de - vo - tam,

poco rit.

te - - ri - um; Fac de - vo - tam,

poco rit. pp

te - - ri - um; Sol - ve men - tem, pae - ni - ten - tem,

poco rit.

te - - ri - um; Sol - ve men - tem, pae - ni - ten - tem,

30

poco rit. pp

Et va - len - tis per - fer - ven - tem - Quan -

Et va - len - tis per - fer - ven - tem - Quan -

Et va - len - tis per - fer - ven - tem Fo - ve de - si - de - ri - um.

Et va - len - tis per - fer - ven - tem Fo - ve de - si - de - ri - um.

Rit. *

più animato

- do tan - dem, quan - do fo - re, Ut lae-tan - ti cum tre -

più animato

- do tan - dem, quan - do fo - re, Ut lae-tan - ti cum tre -

Quan - do tan - dem, quan - do fo - re,

Quan - do tan - dem, quan - do

(♩ = 60)

più animato

mo - - - re Spon-sus mi - hi in de - co - re Pa - ret in - tra
 mo - - - re Spon-sus mi - hi in de - co - re Pa - ret in - tra
 Ut lae-tan - ti cum tre - mo - re Spon-sus mi - hi Pa - ret in - tra
 fo - - - re, Spon-sus mi - hi in de - co - re Pa - ret in - tra

[31]

pa - tri - am? Quo ju-cun - da spes a - ma - - ri
 pa - tri - am? Quo ju-cun - da spes a - ma - - ri
 pa - tri - am? Quo ju-cun - do spes a -
 pa - tri - am? Quo ju-cun - do spes a -

[31]

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

(The nuns move back into the Abbey)

ff

ff

ff

ff

ff

ff

p

p

[32]

p

a - ma - tor am - plec - ten - de, To - tam me in

0 a - ma - tor am - plec - ten - de, To - tam me in

0 a - ma - tor am - plec - ten - de, To - tam me in

0 a - ma - tor am - plec - ten - de, To - tam me in

[32] (♩ = 84)

p

si - nu pren - de, Flo - ris glo - ri - ae os - ten - de

si - nu pren - de, Flo - ris glo - ri - ae os - ten - de

si - nu pren - de, Flo - ris glo - ri - ae os - ten - de

si - nu pren - de, Flo - ris glo - ri - ae os - ten - de

I - ma pe - ne - tra - li - a.

I - ma pe - ne - tra - li - a.

I - - ma pe - ne - tra - li - a.

I - - ma pe - ne - tra - li - a.

Per me - dul - lam cor - dis me - i, Mo - do tur - pis,

Per me - dul - lam cor - dis me - i, Mo - do tur - pis,-

Per me - dul - lam cor - dis me - i, Mo - do tur - pis,

Per me - dul - lam cor - dis me - i, Mo - do tur - pis,

mo - do re - i, In - fer ca - ri - ta - tem
 mo - do re - i, In - fer ca - ri - ta - tem
 mo - do re - i, In - fer ca - ri - ta - tem
 mo - do re - i, In - fer ca - ri - ta - tem
 mo - do re - i, In - fer ca - ri - ta - tem

33

(Myriel hangs her garland last; then rises and confronts Corvain)

De - i, in - fer ca - ri - ta - tem De - i Quae de - sper - nit
 De - i, in - fer ca - ri - ta - tem De - i Quae de - sper - nit
 De - i, in - fer ca - ri - ta - tem De - i Quae de - sper - nit

33 (d = d)

Myriel

M. Lord Corvain, This place is ho-ly, and this e - ven-tide — Ap-pointed for
 a - li - a! Quae de - sper-nit a - li - a!
 a - li - a! Quae de - sper-nit a - li - a!
 a - li - a! Quae de - sper-nit a - li - a!
 a - li - a! Quae de - sper-nit a - li - a!

Re.

M. such joys as are not thine. What is thy will? **Corvain**
 C. Little e - nough, good
 Quae de - sper-nit a - li - a!
 Quae de - sper-nit a - li - a!
 de - sper-nit a - li - a!
 Quae de - sper-nit a - li - a!

poco più animato

34

c. mother. *f* On-ly to seek your saint-ly king, Auburn.

A - men!

A - men!

A - men!

A - men!

34

(with evil emphasis)

c If he be long away my will May count for something more. Look to it.

sforza

Myriel

Thou? Sure-ly, then we shall have a king in - deed! **Corvain**

What,

c. have ye no more news of him than I, His brother? Ye be

c. women still— some one In this un-mann'd communion, brides of heav'n,

35

c. Might so far sin as to have heard his voice Sing-ing, and

c. caught the gleam ³ of his red hair A-cross the val-ley?

Myriel

(Myriel turns away contemptuously)

M. I have no word of him, Nor need for any e-vil words of thine. Farewell!

This musical score page shows a vocal line for 'Myriel' in G major with a key signature of one sharp. The vocal part consists of eighth and sixteenth note patterns. Below the vocal line is a piano accompaniment with bass and treble staves. Measure numbers 35 and 36 are indicated above the vocal line. The vocal line ends with a forte dynamic (f) followed by a fermata.

Rd. Rosamund (advances timidly to Myriel) 36

M. Mother - Myriel

Rd. Rosamund - thou?

dim. espress. dolce pp

This section of the score continues with the piano accompaniment. The vocal line for 'Rosamund' begins with a melodic line marked 'dim.' and 'espress.'. The vocal line for 'Myriel' follows, marked 'dolce'. The piano accompaniment features sustained notes and harmonic chords. Measure number 36 is marked above the vocal line.

Rd. The king - Is he lost?

C. Corvain (roughly) f

This section shows the piano accompaniment. The vocal line for 'The king' asks 'Is he lost?'. The vocal line for 'Corvain' is marked 'roughly' and 'f' (forte). The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with sustained notes and chords.

C. Ay,

F1. p

This section shows the piano accompaniment. The vocal line for 'Corvain' says 'Ay,'. A flute (F1.) part is introduced with a dynamic 'p' (pianissimo). The piano accompaniment continues with sustained notes and chords.

C. or gone to kneel by tombs And feast his soul on saints' bones.

This section shows the piano accompaniment. The vocal line for 'Corvain' concludes with the dark prophecy 'or gone to kneel by tombs And feast his soul on saints' bones.' The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with sustained notes and chords.

Rosamund (to herself)

Rd. I have dreamed Such an one should be king! Corvain

c. In Fair - y - land, may-be.

ad lib.

p

bassoon

animato

Moderato

c. Ha! ha! ha! He is half minstrel, half Priest,

sffz

sffz

Rosamund (quite unmindful of Corvain's coarseness)

Rd. I never saw a man so

c. al-to-gether fool. The rest is man.

(♩ = 66)

p

Rd. beau - ti-ful - So George against the dragon might have gone, Or

(♩ = 72)

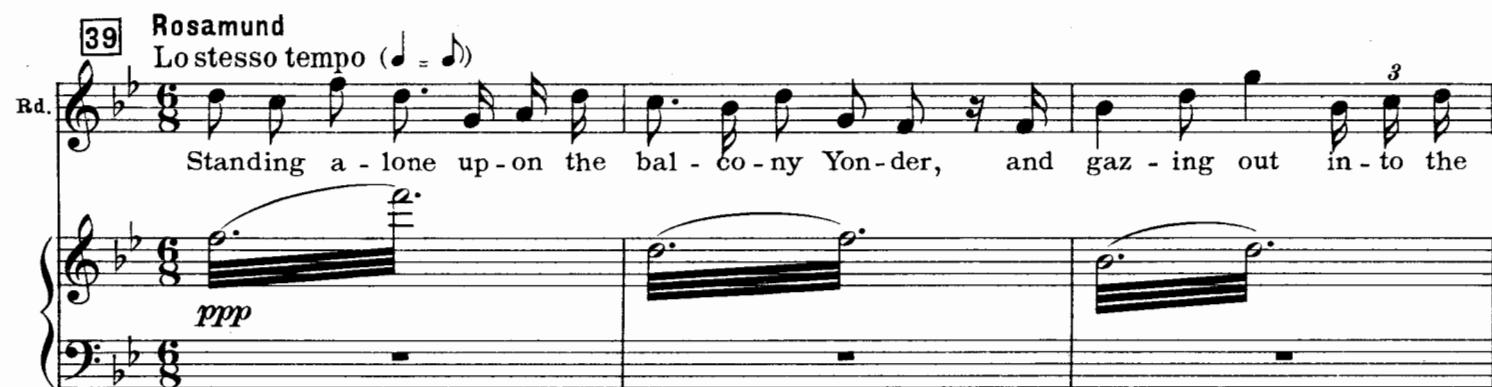
pp

marcato

38 Myriel expresses silent disapproval
poco mosso

Rd. 

39 Rosamund
Lo stesso tempo ($\text{♩} = \text{♪}$)

Rd. 

Rd. 

Rd. shad - ows filmed with sil - ver and the songs Of mer - ry - wear - y folk
(dotted eighth note)

Rd. re - turn - ing home Blew down - the blos - som - y breeze thro' the
pp

Rd. dull hum Of bees and croon of

Rd. doves a - round the tow'r's,
pp

Lo stesso tempo

Rd.

I saw one rid - ing on a great red steed.

Rd.

Glo - rious in gold - en ar - - - -

Rd.

- mor,

Rd.

41 Più lento

brow Flung up - ward in the sun - beams, and his

Rd. hair Burn - ing o - ver him in clouds like a

Rd. nim - bus and blaz - ing on his shield: So, like some bright arch-

42 Rd. an - - - - - gel, ah! he

Rd. plunged down The mountain, o - ver the riv - er, ____ thro' the vale In - to the

Rd.

for-est!

ff con fuoco

c.

Corvain (trying to break into the scene)
coarsely f

So ho! Stole a-way!

meno f

dim.

M.

44

Myriel (quietly, rather meek) *Moderato*

Child, were thine eyes up-on thy beads, to see So

p

Rd.

Rosamund

Therefore the world seems all

M.

fond-ly? There is a gulf between Thee and the world.

Corvain

C.

Bah!

Rd. *animato*
 Won - der - ful as a dream of Fair - y - land.

Corvain (derisively)

c. Fair - y - land!

Myriel

M. Have a care lest thou raise up The dust of carnal dreams a-against the light, And

45

Rosamund (with enthusiasm)

Rd. I do not love to look up - on the

M. gazing on bright clouds despise the sun! 45 (♩ = 96) (23) (44)

Rd. sun - Only by his light to behold all else And find it fair.

Rd.

Mother, I know the world Turns ashes, yet - how shall I dream of heav'n

If not by ev'ry sign God shows us here?

The sweet songs and rich blossoms and kind

eyes, The glo - ry and the

Rd. 47 *pp*

gladness and the pow'r, Are _____ these e - vil?

espr.

Corvin (maliciously delighted)

c. Allegro

Answered! Well answered! See The saint

f *accel.* *ff accel.*

c. 48

speechless! Pretty one, live,

(*d. = 60*) *p*

c. laugh, love _____ To - day. To - mor - row -

Myriel (sternly facing him)
Moderato

(She turns to Rosamund)

M. Ay, to - morrow! Child, Thou hast thine answer!

sf ff

Poco lento Rosamund

49

Rd. I have sinned -

M. This is he who loves earth! Poco lento
espress.

sf p

49

Myriel

M. Go! seek for-give-ness. Pray the white saints wash thee pure of earth, and

p

Rosamund

pp ad lib.

Rd. Where lies the road To

M. show Thy heart the way to heav'n.
pp rit.

[50] Allegro

Rd. *a tempo*
Fair-y-land?

C. *f* Corvain (pointing behind them)
where he

a tempo
pp

50 Allegro Lo,

(Myriel hurries Rosamund, who tries to follow Corvain's gesture)

Rosamund *sempre più agitato*
I pray thee, let me wait to see his face, No - ble and

Myriel O-bey! There is a dev-il in thee! What, shall I Be
sempre più agitato

C. comes! Arch - an - - gel! Prince of dreams!

p *sempre più agitato*

Rd. pure, the knight I saw _____

M. an - swered? Go! What,

C. Arch - an-gel! Prince _____ of dreams! See him!

Rd. but now! (Myriel forces Rosamund out) (Auburn enters)

M. stub-born? What, un-will-ing? Go! (calling to Auburn)

C. Lo, where he comes! Ha! ha! ha! Late!

Con moto moderato

C. too late! Here was a pret-ty la - dy, fain To fol-low thee to Fair - y - land!

A. Auburn 51 ad lib.

I love A la - dy in the Ho - ly Land.

C. pp ten. teneramente

(scornfully)
a tempo mosso

c. *a tempo mosso*
Ho - ly Land, Fair - y - land, it is all one.

mf a tempo mosso
ff

c. [52] Mean-while, who shall be king here?

A. *Auburn* Andante *tranquillo*
Is the name Of king so great a matter?

p colla voce

Corvain (to Auburn) Con moto moderato (♩ = 76)
Allegro (to Myriel) *f a tempo*

c. So they say. How think ye? Did the Lord mis-take, and
p

c. send The Saint in - to the world be - fore _____ the King? Or _____

Myriel (shocked)

M. We have

c. did the wo-men blun - der, and change the babes?

M. heard e-nough blas - phe-my! 53 Auburn

A. Nay,— what harm In a word? We know him well for

agitato f p a tempo

A. one whose love Cov-ers her shame _____ with laughter. (He turns to Corvain)

pp

(with great dignity)

A. *ad lib.*

Take the crown, In God's name, broth-er; and with all my

p Brass pp f

M. 54 Myriel (interrupting violently) *agitato*

Not so! Hold! _____ (to Myriel, quietly)

A. heart Be thou_ Shall I

espress. *fagitato ff p legg.*

A. hold so dear This paint-ed pic-ture-book of shad-ow and sun, This game of

pp

A. bare-the-head and bow -the-knee, These golden toys? Ye call me dream -er. Why,

pp poco ten.

Myriel (angrily)

M. Dost thou crown a dog with dreams? 12/8

A. These are dreams. I out-grow them. 12/8

agitato

f

p.

55 Moderato

A. 12/8

C. Corvain *pesante*

c. Or an ab-bess? Come, give up Thy toys to thy nurse, child—

Moderato

mf

M. Myriel *agitato* *f*

Nev-er to such a

A. Nay, To a broth-er, if he will.

c. thy dry nurse.

pp

f

sfz

p

M. 56 *Più mosso*

broth-er!

C. Go and pray, wo - man! Leave men To deal with

Più mosso

M. *accel. poco a poco*

A pic-ture-book of souls; A game of life and

C. men. Go and pray! Leave men to

accel. poco a poco

M. death; a toy where-by,

C. deal with men! Here is that Where - fore,

M. Since the be-gin-ing of the world, strong hell _____ Hath tri-umphed o-ver
 c. Since the be-gin-ing of the world, Men have slain one an - oth - er.

57 Allegro molto

M. heav'n... (Myriel and Corvain glower at each other savagely)
 c. Shall I yield This to her?

Allegro molto

ff *ff*

M. Myriel (gesturing toward the shrine) *p* Not to me:
 (The tension relaxes)

Molto moderato ($\text{d} = \text{d}$)

(Myriel smiles)

M. to one who was A wo-man, and now reigns throned o-ver all, Moth-er and
 ppp pp

M. Maid and Queen.

A. Auburn 58 Let it be so!

rit. marcato

A. Allegro moderato

And o-ver all our land

f

A. shall blow the flow'r's Of E - den! *cresc.*

A. Con anima (d. = 60) Women shall bear, And men la - bor un - gov-erned.

A. There shall be No law but love, no *cresc.*

A. crown save on whose brow Burns the Star. of the

A. *ad lib.* 59 *espress.* Sea, and in her heart The red Rose of the world!

colla voce *pp*

Allegro molto moderato

71

Corvain (dryly)

c. *poco pesante*

Ay, ay, she died Some years back.

c. Let be, there are crowns in

c. heav'n Al-read-y. Al-so there are

c. maids a - live That may be

c. moth-ers. In the dev - il's name,

25374

c. Let the kings reign — and the saints pray! Come home,

c. Take a wife, rule thy king - dom, be a

M. Myriel ff Allegro molto
In the dev-il's name? (losing patience)

c. man! O, God's Ma - ry's

Allegro molto

c. the saints; The

[61] Presto

c. gob - lins!

sffz *sffz* *sffz*

(d = 100) (dangerously quiet)

Fool, I would give life for this, Ay,— or

poco sfz *f*

62 Myriel

Be thou ware—

Auburn *ff*

Cor - vain! —

c. take life. Be - ware!

fff

M. Of fire from heav'n! A -

M. void! We have en-dured O-ver-long. Be -

63 M. gone from us, ere that Pow'r Whose word I bear re -

M. move thee from His sight For ev-er! Give back! _____ (Corvain retreats)

M. across the bridge) 64

Hith-er! Thy sword, my son, Thy

A. Auburn Let thy foes all per - ish! all per - ish!

(Auburn strikes the bridge with his sword)

M. sword! Break down the bridge! ^(Blow)

A. Cor - vain! Per - ish!

M. Break the bridge down!

A. Per - ish! Per - ish! Cor-

Cymbals molto pesante

(The bridge falls with a crash)

M.

A. vain, Cor-vain is foiled! _____

65

M. Broth-er from broth-er will I set a-part, _____ Blood from blood, saith the

A. Cor - vain is gone! _____ His plan is but

M. Lord! _____

A. vain! _____

66 Presto



67

(Auburn kneels and offers the
crown to Myriel)

78 [68] **Moderato** Single voice (within)
 v. In sem - pi - ter - na sae - cu - la.
 Myriel Not to me; to Her.
 A. Moth-er, now thy bless-ing.
 SOPRANO I
 SOPRANO II
 ALTO I
 ALTO II
Moderato
 v. A - ve Vir - go glo - ri-o-sa!
 A. Corvain (growling. . . disappears in the darkness) Mother, far more than mother,
 c. Holds the world such an-oth-er John - a-dreams?
 A - ve Ma - ter,
 pp

Chorus of Nuns (within)

A.

Thou whose eyes Out of all a-zure skies look down on me, Whose
quae pri - mae - vae
quae pri - mae - vae
quae pri - mae - vae
quae pri - mae - vae

A.

69

hand is in the cool brush of the breeze O-ver my brow, whose voice hums lul-la-by
Ma - tris ma - la pel - lis E - vae, Fi - li - um pro -
Ma - tris ma - la pel - lis E - vae, Fi - li - um pro -
Ma - tris ma - la pel - lis E - vae, Fi - li - um pro -
Ma - tris ma - la pel - lis E - vae, Fi - li - um pro -

69

Organ

A.

Where brooks laugh in the sun, whose robe flows green A-long the
la-ta sae - vae Gen-ti nos - - - trae Do - mi - num.
la-ta sae - vae Gen - ti nos - trae Do - mi - num.
la-ta sae - vae Gen-ti nos-trae Do-mi - num, Do - - - mi-num.
la-ta sae - vae Gen-ti nos - trae Do-mi-num.

A.

70

spring-time_ Lo, now e-ven I, A prince of dreams, lay my poor glo-ry down,
Quan - do tan - dem, quan - do fo - re
Quan - do tan - dem, quan - do fo - re
Quan - do tan - dem, quan - do fo - re
Quan - do tan - dem, quan - do fo - re

70

pp pp Brass

A.

—La-dy, be-fore the darkness of thy shrine While I go forth to find thee, O
 Ut lae - tan - ti cum tre - mo - re.
 Ut lae - tan - ti cum tre - mo - re.
 Ut lae - tan - ti cum tre - mo - re.
 Ut lae - tan - ti cum tre - mo - re.

71

A.

let me learn The beau-ty paint-ed here in shad-ow and sun; The love that is the
legato
 mean - ing of this dream

A.

Where-in we toss, long-ing;

A.

the har-mo-ny Where all _____ earth's dis-so-nan-ces

SOPRANO I *pp*

SOPRANO II *pp*

ALTO I *pp*

ALTO II *pp*

Chorus of Nuns

A.

close and cling Sat-is-fied, full of sleep. Rose of the world!

72

pa - tri - am?

72

pp dolce

Animato

A. Lift up mine eyes from lov-ing dust,

sfp

A. And let Thy glo-ry shine be - fore me as a star

Guid - ing my hap-pi - ness to Beth - - - le - -

cresc.

f

dim.

[73] Tempo come sopra

hem!

p

8

A.

Lift up my heart, Rose of the World, — and show Thy won - der ope-ning as a

Soprano I
O a - ma - tor am - plec - ten - de, To - tam me in

Soprano II
O a - ma - tor am - plec - ten - de, To - tam me in

Chorus of Nuns
Alto I
O a - ma - tor am - plec-ten - de, To - tam me in

Alto II
O a - ma - tor am - plec-ten - de, To - tam me in

pp

A.

rose un-fold-eth Her deep heart under the dawn. O Star of the Sea!

si - nu pren - de, Flo - ris glo - ri-ae os - ten-de

si - nu pren - de, Flo - - ris glo-ri-ae os - ten-de

si - nu pren - de, Flo - - ris, flo - - ris glo-ri-ae os - ten-de

si - nu pren - de, Flo - - ris, flo - - ris glo-ri-ae os - ten-de

74 *rit.* Tempo giusto

Rose of the world!

I - ma pe - ne - tra - li - a, *poco f* I - ma pe - ne - tra - li - a.
rit. I - ma pe - ne - tra - li - a, *poco f* I - ma pe - ne - tra - li - a.
rit. I - ma pe - ne - tra - li - a, *poco f* I - ma pe - ne - tra - li - a.
rit. I - ma pe - ne - tra - li - a, I - ma pe - ne - tra - li - a.

74 *pp rit.* *Tempo giusto* (Lightning showing the figures of Auburn)

pp *ff*

and Corvain) *>* (Corvain strikes) *fff*

p

75

Allegretto (♩ = 66)

8.....

Fairy fires

shining

glowing

sfz

ff dim. p f

Twinkling of lights pp increasing in rapidity

76

(Corvain runs away finally)

8.....

8.....

TENOR (off stage) 77 *p a tempo*

Chorus of Men When the sum - mer day is done, And the saints in

Fairies BASS And the saints in

heav - en sleep - ing Leave the earth in el - fin keep - ing, At the

heav - en sleep - ing Leave the earth in el - fin keep - ing, At the

set - ting of the sun: _____ Wak - en, Lit - tle Folk, a -
 set - ting of the sun: _____ Wak - en, Lit - tle Folk, a -
8.
SOPRANO
ALTO (off stage)
 Here _____ are
 Here _____ are
 wak - en!
 wak - en!

78
 fears to be for - sak - en, Treas - ure giv - en, plea - sure
 fears to be for - sak - en, Treas - ure giv - en, plea - sure

78

leggiero

tak - en; Fol - low, fol - low,
leggiero
tak - en; Fol - low, fol - low,
p leggiero
Fol - low, fol - low,
p leggiero
Fol - low, fol - low,

ev - 'ry one!

ev - 'ry one!

ev - 'ry one!

ev - 'ry one!

poco f

(During the following the Fairies appear, dancing; at

79

'Cello

first two with brooms, sweeping away the mist; others with wands, lighting them

gradually, until the stage is quite filled and lighted)

A musical score page featuring five staves of music. The key signature is A major (three sharps). The first staff begins with a forte dynamic (f) and a bassoon-like sound. The second staff starts with a piano dynamic (p). The third staff features eighth-note patterns. The fourth staff includes measures with a 3/8 time signature. The fifth staff concludes with a final cadence. Measure numbers 80 and 8 are indicated above certain measures.

(All the Fairies have entered. The Chorus is still invisible)

p

When the breez - es breathe in tune, _____ And the light of

p

When the breez - es breathe in tune, _____ And the light of

p

When the breez - es breathe in tune, _____

p

When the breez - es breathe in tune,

a tempo

p

won - der hov - ers Round the hearts of hap - py lov - ers At the

won - der hov - ers Round the hearts of hap - py lov - ers At the

And the light of won - der hov - ers Round the lov - ers At the

At the

ris - - - ing of the moon,

82

Poco più mosso

Fill and thrill them with the pow'r _____ And the

Fill and thrill them with the pow'r _____ And the

82

Poco più mosso

pas - sion of the hour, _____ That em - bo - - som

pas - sion of the hour, _____ That em - bo - - som

cresc.

f

and em - bow'r All the mys-ter - y of June.

That em - bow'r All the mys-ter - y of June.

and em - bow'r All the mys-ter - y of June.

That em - bow'r All the mys-ter - y of June.

83

Fill and thrill them with the pow'r, And the
 Fill and thrill them with the pow'r, And the
 Fill and thrill them with the pow'r, And the
 Fill and thrill them with the pow'r, And the

83

pas - sion, and the mys - ter - y. When the
 pas - sion, and the mys - ter - y. When the
 pas - sion, and the mys - ter - y. When the
 pas - sion, and the mys - ter - y. When the

veils of earth are torn,— And a yearn - ing and a yearn - ing Set the
 veils of earth are torn,— And a yearn - ing and a yearn - ing Set the
 veils of earth are torn,— And a yearn - ing and a yearn - ing Set the
 veils of earth are torn,— And a yearn - ing and a yearn - ing Set the

pp

rose of beau - ty burn-ing In the hush be - fore the morn,
 rose of beau - ty burn-ing In the hush be - fore the morn,
 rose of beau - ty burn-ing In the hush be - fore the morn,
 rose of beau - ty burn-ing In the hush be - fore the morn,

pp

84

(Robin enters with a great cup and followed by the Chorus)

Throng a - round them, where the gold - en Joy hath drowned them,

Throng a - round them, where the gold - en Joy hath drowned them,

Throng a - round them, where the gold - en Joy hath drowned them,

Throng a - round them, where the gold - en Joy hath drowned them,

84

p

tenuto

cresc. molto

and the old-en Won - der crowned them un - be - hol - - - den

cresc. molto

ff

and the old-en Won - der crowned them un - be - hol - - - den

cresc. molto

ff

and the old-en Won - der crowned them un - be - hol - - - den

cresc. molto

ff

and the old-en Won - der crowned them un - be - hol - - - den

cresc. molto

ff

8

A musical score for four voices and basso continuo. The vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) sing the same melody in unison, consisting of eighth-note patterns. The basso continuo part at the bottom provides harmonic support with sustained notes and chords. The key signature changes from B-flat major (two flats) to G major (one sharp). The time signature is common time (indicated by '12'). The vocal parts sing 'In a Fair - y - land _____ re -' four times, with each line starting with a forte dynamic (ff).

85 Robin
Animato

Rn. *François*

f

Ye _____ who are free _____ of worlds be -

f

born!

f

born!

f

born!

f

born!

85 Animato (♩ = 76)

13. *Animato* (pp. 14)

f

p

Rn.

yond the por - - - tal, Hon - - - or with me the dream from

whence we spring, — The mor-tal joy — that makes us im - mor - - tal:

Health to our Queen — and King!

Chorus

Our Queen — and King!

(Robin raises the cup and drinks)

86

(He scatters the remaining drops

over Auburn . . . Auburn rises slowly..looks about, . . . groping and confused . . .

8

. . . puts his hand to his head . . . staggers)

8

8

Wood *p* meno mosso

p

espress.

p.

(The light breaks forth in the shrine)

88

mf espress. e dolce

p

(Auburn and Rosamund admire each other)

dim.

sempre dim. ed espress.

pp delicatiss.

p.

Auburn

89 Molto moderato ($\text{d} = 63$)

A.

Lo, the one beau - ty, fair beyond all seeming, More than mine eyes may compass or re -

A.

ceive! Sure-ly of this my life was on-ly dream-ing: Andyet-

Rosamund

90

pp.

Rd.

Lo, the one joy too dear for dis - o -

A.

I live!

SOPRANO

Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land!

ALTO

Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land!

TENOR

Fair - y - land!

BASS

Fair - y - land!

(d = d.)

90

Rd.

beying, More than my heart may fathom, lest it break; Surely for this my dreams

Rd.

— were on - ly pray - ing: And yet - I wake!

Rosamund

Rd.

Art thou not she that is crowned Queen in
Fair - y-land! Fair - y - land!

Auburn

A.

Fair - y-land! Fair - y - land!

Chorus

Chorus

Fair - y-land! Fair - y - land!

(d. = d.)

91

dolciss.

Rd. I have no heav'n _____ but thou art

A. heav'n?

Rd. lord _____ there - of, No crown, saving the rap - ture thou hast

A.

Rd. giv'n!

A. Auburn (kneeling before Rosamund)

A. O love,

Rd.

A.

Chorus

92

O love, my love!

O my love!

Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land!

Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land!

Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land!

Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land!

Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land!

92

pp

ppp

Str.

sfz

sempre dim.

93 Robin (in the centre of the stage)

Rn. 

Rn. 

Rn. 

94 

Rn. for a soul.

95

Rn. *un poco mosso* Yea, thou shalt lead them

Rn. to won-der-ful plac - es Ere they dis - cov-er how laugh-ter re-deems

cresc.

Rn. Beauty, and shame, looking dream - ward, embraces Love,

pp

Rn. the un - - conquered of dreams.

96 *maestoso* Tempo I^o

Rn.

Heav'n, earth and hell shall they range un-for - bid - den, Strong in com -

p

Rn.

mand of the glo - ry that grows Out of the dust, _____

marcato cresc.

97

Rn.

understand-ing the hid-den

ff

Rn.

molto rit.

Fire _____ in the

molto rit.

Più mosso

a tempo

(Rosamund and Auburn are seated together)

98

Rn.

rose.

f *dim.* *p*
Crown them! crown them! crown them!

f *dim.* *p*
Crown them! crown them! crown them!

f *dim.* *p*
Crown them! crown them! crown them!

f *dim.* *p*
Crown them! crown them! crown them!

Più mosso
a tempo

f *dim.* *p* *pp espress.*

(The Fairies crown them

and scatter flowers before them)

pp *poco f*

99 Rosamund
Moderato

Rd. Now it is done: as a song that songs re-

A. Now it is won: in the

Auburn Where lies the road to Fair - y-land? O - ver the hills of

Where lies the road to Fair - y-land? O - ver the hills of

Where lies the road to Fair - y-land? O - ver the hills of

Where lies the road to Fair - y-land? O - ver the hills of

Moderato (♩ = 72)

99

Rd. mem - ber, Com - - - -

A. hour of proud sur - ren - der, Leans my Queen from her

dawn, Un - der the deeps of mid - night,

dawn, Un - der the deeps of mid -night,

dawn, Un - der the deeps of mid - - - night,

dawn, Un - der the deeps of mid - night,

8

Rd.

- - - eth my lord,
com - eth my

A.

throne thrice glo - ri-fied,
leans my

yon - der on ev - ry hand, Whither-so-ev - er a soul shall
yon - der on ev - ry hand, Whither-so-ev - er a soul shall
yon - der on ev - ry hand, Whither-so-ev - er a soul shall
yon - der on ev - ry hand, Whither-so-ev - er a soul shall

Rd.

8 lord to his own, O-ver my heart, a

A.

Queen from her throne thrice glo - ri -
fol - low The one star far with - drawn At the
fol - low The one star far with - drawn At the
fol - low The one star far with - drawn At the
fol - low The one star far with - drawn At the

Rd. heart made pure for his bri - - dal cham - ber,
A. fied, Down up-on mine, un-de - ny - ing, di-vine - ly ten - der,
end of the world, is the way unfurled That leads to Fair - y - land.
end of the world, is the way unfurled That leads to Fair - y - land.
end of the world, is the way unfurled That leads to Fair - y - land.
end of the world, is the way unfurled That leads to Fair - y - land.

100

Rd. Fold - ing the arms of a lov - er, 3
A. Bend - ing the eyes of a moth - er,

Rd. the arms of a man, 3
A. the eyes of a

cresc.

Rd. the arms of a king.

A. child, the eyes of a bride.

101 Un poco mosso

What shall we find in Fair - y-land? What - ev - er the tales have
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 What shall we find in Fair - y-land? What - ev - er the tales have

101 Un poco mosso

told, What - ev - er the songs have longed for,
 told, What - ev - er the songs have longed for,
 told, What - ev - er the songs have longed for,

What - ev - er the chil - dren planned:
 Fol - - - ly deep - er than

What - ev - er the chil - dren planned:
 Fol - - - ly deep - er than

What - ev - er the chil - dren planned:
 Fol - - - ly deep - er than

Fol - - - ly deep - er than

wis - - - dom, Beau - - ty bright - er than gold,

wis - - - dom, Beau - - ty bright - er than gold,

wis - - - dom, Beau - - ty bright - er than gold,

wis - - - dom, Beau - - ty bright - er than gold,

Laughter and tears from all³ the years In the light of Fair - - y -
 Laughter and tears from all³ the years In the light² of Fair - - y -
 Laughter and tears from all the years In the light of Fair - - y -
 Laughter and tears from all the years In the light of Fair - - y -

102

land!
 land!
 land!
 land!

102

Rosamund

Rd. Now it is known: the king-dom of fan - cy, found - - -

A. Now it is known: the king-dom of fan - cy, found - - -

Rn. Now it is known: the king-dom of fan - cy, found - - -

Chorus

Who shall be king in Fair - y - land? He ___ that will not for -

Who shall be king in Fair - y - land? He ___ that will not, will

Who shall be king in Fair - y - land? He that will

Who shall be king in Fair - y - land? He that will not for -

Rd. - - - ed, Firm in the flesh ³ that hun - - gers,

A. - - - ed, Firm in the flesh ³ that hun - - gers,

Rn. - - - ed, Firm in the flesh that hun-gers, the

go Eyes to see and ears to hear and a

not for-go Eyes to see and ears to hear and a

not for - go Eyes to see and ears to hear and a

go Eyes to see and ears to hear and a

103

Rd. the soul that knows, Now it is known: the
A. the soul that knows, Now it is known: the
Rn. soul that knows, Now it is known: the
heart to un-der - stand. Who shall be king in
heart to un-der - stand. Who shall be king in
heart to un-der - stand. Who shall be king in
heart to un-der - stand.

Rd. king - dom, Throned up - on clay, with
A. king - dom, Throned up - on clay, with
Rn. king - dom, Throned up - on clay, with
Fair - y - land? Who shall be, who shall be queen in
Who shall be queen in
Fair - y - land? Who shall be queen in
Who shall be queen in
Who shall be queen?

Rd. fire as a robe sur - round - ed, sur - round - ed,
A. fire as a robe sur - round - ed, sur - round - ed,
Rn. fire as a robe sur - round - ed, sur - round - ed,

Fair - y - land? A child and a wo - man.
Fair - y - land? Lo, a child and a
Fair - y - land? A child, a wo - - man;
Fair - y - land? A child, lo, a child and a

Rd. with fire as a
A. with fire as a
Rn. with fire as a

a child and a wo - man. Ver - i - ly, they shall
wo - - - man. Ver - i - ly, they shall
a child and a wo - man. Ver - i - ly, they shall
wo - man, a child and a wo - man. Ver - i - ly, they shall

Rd. 104 48
robe sur-round-ed, 8

A. robe sur-round-ed, and crowned with the 8
Rn. robe sur-round-ed, crowned 8

know Heav'n in earth, and 8
know Heav'n in earth, and 8
know Heav'n in earth, and 8
know Heav'n in earth, and 8

104 48
2 2 ff 8

Rd. 48 - . 42 3
and crowned with the 4
A. 48 8 42 3
light, and crowned with light, 4
Rn. 48 8 42 3
with the light of the rose, and crowned with the 4
48 8 42 3
earth in heav'n, and both, and 4
48 8 42 3
earth in heav'n, and both, and 4
48 8 42 3
earth in heav'n, and both in 4
48 8 42 3
earth in heav'n, and both in 4

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Rd. light of a dream of
A. crowned with light, with the light of
Rn. light crowned with the light of the
both in Fair - - - - y -
both in Fair - - - - y -
Fair - y - land, and both in Fair - - y -
Fair - y - land, and both in Fair - - y -

105

Rd. heav'n!
A. heav'n!
Rn. heav'n!
land!
land!
land!
land!

105

ff

dim.

The musical score consists of four staves of music. The top staff shows a melodic line with grace notes and a bass line. The second staff contains the instruction "(The curtain falls slowly)" above the first measure and "sempre dim." below the second measure, followed by a dynamic marking "pp". The third staff shows a continuous eighth-note pattern in 3/4 time. The fourth staff concludes with a series of chords and a final dynamic marking "R.W. *".

(The curtain falls slowly)

sempre dim.

pp

8

R.W. *

End of Act I

ACT II
The Castle

Allegro moderato ($\text{♩} = 108$)

The musical score consists of several staves of music. At the top, there is an orchestra section with two staves, both in 3/4 time and key signature of three flats. The first staff starts with a dynamic of *ff molto risoluto*. The second staff begins with *ff*. Below this, a vocal section for 'Corvain' is introduced, starting at measure 106. The vocal line includes lyrics such as 'Go bring them in: They shall be' and 'There-fore they pray, my lord...'. A 'Soldier' part is also present, providing harmonic support. The score continues with more vocal entries from Corvain, including 'heard_sure-ly, they shall be heard.' and 'When last we met, we'. The music concludes with a final vocal phrase from Corvain.

Curtain (Corvain is discovered with soldiers)

106 Corvain

Go bring them in: They shall be

Soldier

There-fore they pray, my lord...

(Corvain seats himself)

heard_sure-ly, they shall be heard. When last we met, we

A musical score for voice and piano. The vocal part is in soprano C-clef, 4/4 time, with lyrics: "saw The val - ley yon-der from the Ab-bey-side. Now we are here." The piano part is in G-clef, with dynamics like pp and b-flat markings. The score includes three staves: soprano, piano, and bass.

107

(The Soldier returns with Robin and some miserable peasants)
The Forester first.

A musical score for piano, featuring two staves. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom in bass clef. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats). The tempo is indicated as (d=88). Dynamics include 'mf pesante' (mezzo-forte, heavy), 'f' (forte), and 'v.' (very). The score consists of six measures of music.

A musical score for piano, showing two staves. The top staff uses a treble clef and has a key signature of four flats. The bottom staff uses a bass clef and has a key signature of one flat. Measure 13 begins with a forte dynamic (ff). Measure 14 starts with a piano dynamic (p) and ends with a fermata over the bass clef staff.

The Old Man

A musical score for two voices. The top staff is for 'The Old Man' and the bottom staff is for 'The Child'. The music consists of six measures. Measure 1: Both voices sing eighth-note chords. Measure 2: Both voices sing eighth-note chords. Measure 3: Both voices sing eighth-note chords. Measure 4: Both voices sing eighth-note chords. Measure 5: Both voices sing eighth-note chords. Measure 6: Both voices sing eighth-note chords.

The Whining Woman

A musical score page showing two staves. The top staff is for the piano, featuring a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a common time signature. It contains six measures of music with various note values and rests. The bottom staff is for the orchestra, featuring a bass clef, a key signature of one flat, and a common time signature. It also contains six measures of music, with dynamics like 'p' (piano) and 'cresc.' (crescendo) indicated. The score is written on five-line staves.

Robin

Rn. *Jus-tice,*

Rn. lord King!

Corvain

C. How now fel-low?

(rising, and indicating the people)

Rn. These folk, Thy people—

C. (spoken) Not my fel-lows? Ha! Lord, how light These

(Caricaturing Robin)

Rn. Oh, a

C. hon-ors fall! What seek my peo-ple?

(Beckons the whining woman...)

Rn. tri - fle! — This wo-man had no bread,

109 ...the old man...

Rn. Where-fore her babe died. That old dog, be-ing tired Of hon-est hun-ger,

Rn. stole. See, his gray hair Hides no ears.

Rn.the forester) Yon - der ras - cal, hav-ing lost Roof, corn and cattle, shot the King's deer.

Rn. 3 110 Look! No more archery! Sir, we are broke

Rn. down With too much hon - or. One crown ³ is e-nough, We are too frail to bear the weight of

Rn. two.

Corvain

c. Well, I for - give them.

Rn. 111 My lord, My-ri - el, Claiming our land for God's king-dom, de -

Rn. clares Her-self His trea-sur-er. Good thou art king Must we pay

Rn. twice? Sir,

Corvain

c. Nay, sure-ly. That were foul wrong. Once is e-nough. Pay me.

112

Rn. We have paid Her al-read-y.

c. So! What is that to me? Go to

Rn. To her? God help us! Wilt thou

c. her. Would ye have your king Kinder than God?

Rn. press Wine out of dry grapes?

c. (yawning) I will e - ven try. Give ye good-den -

p

pp leggero

113

Rn. Brother! Beware thine own brother!

c. (Corvain starts, but)
Brother.

Rn. settles back and yawns again)

c. (To the soldiers, with sudden ill-temper) These good folk wear-y me, Answer them.

f.

p

(The soldiers drive the peasants about)

The Old Man

O.M. *f*

Tib-bal! Col-in! Tib-bal!

J. *f*

The Joker

Soldiers Col-in! Tib-bal!

4 TENORS *f*

Out, ye beg-gars! Dogs, go hang! Dogs! Out, ye beg-gars!

4 BASSES

Out, ye beg-gars! Out, ye beg-gars! Out, ye beg-gars! Out, ye beg-gars!

(♩ = 80) *f* *ff*

O.M. *f*

Col-in! Tib-bal! Bart-le-my! Will ye turn on us?

J. *#f*

Bart-le-my! Col-in! Tib-bal! Bart-le-my! Will ye turn on us?

Bumpkin

Will ye turn on us, who sprang

Forester

Will ye turn on us?

Dogs, go hang! Out, ye beg-gars! Out, ye beg-gars!

Dogs, go hang! Out, ye beg-gars! Out, ye beg-gars!

f

w.w. Are ye not our-selves?

O.M. Col-in! Tib-bal! Bart-le-my!

J. — who sprang from your own blood? Col-in! Tib-bal! Are ye not our-

B. — from your own blood? Col-in! Tib-bal! Col-in! Tib-bal!

F. Col-in! Tib-bal! We be dogs, Eh!

Ay! will we! Out, ye beg-gars! Dogs, go hang! Mar-ry,

Ay! will we! Out, ye beg-gars! Dogs, go hang! Mar-ry,

w.w. Are ye not our-selves? *più mosso*

O.M. Are ye not our-selves? Bart-le-my! Tib-bal!

J. selves? Are ye not our-selves? Tibbal! Bart-le-my!

B. Col-in! Tib-bal! Bart-le-my! Col-in! Col-in! Tib-bal!

F. Beware of claw and fang! We be dogs, *dim.* eh?

no! Not by the length of this! Out, ye beg-gars! Out, ye beg-gars!

no! Not by the length of this! Out, ye beg-gars! Out, ye beg-gars!

WW. -

O.M. dim.
Col-in! Tib-bal! Are ye not our-selves? Are ye

J. Col-in! Are ye not our-selves? Are ye

B. dim.
Bart-le-my! Are ye not our-selves? Are ye

F. Beware of claw and fang! Beware of claw and
Dogs, go hang! Dogs, go hang! Out, ye beg-gars!
Dogs, go hang! Dogs, go hang! Out, ye beg-gars!

WW. -

O.M. not our-selves?

J. not our-selves?

B. not our-selves?

F. fang!

Dogs, go hang! Dogs, go hang! Dogs, go hang!
Dogs, go hang! Dogs, go hang! Dogs, go hang!

(The peasants are all driven off. The soldiers have returned, and Rosamund is seen approaching in custody)

115

espress.

Corvain

c. Here be more seek-ers af-ter lost kings.

Lo, my sweet

Cl.

(The soldiers move as if to bind Rosamund)

c. saint Of the Ab-bey! Let her go! When an-gels fall, The bet-ter for the world.

(The soldiers retire)

Rd. (to the soldiers) Rosamund

My lord,

c. Leave us!

pp

pp

116 *ad lib. dolce* *a tempo*

Rd. Where lies the road to Fair - y-land?

C. The road to

Allegro

C. Pret - ty one, so call what - ev - er way Was thine

Rosamund

Rd. Nay,— but I seek the king in

C. — to fol-low hith - er.

Moderato

Rd. Fair - y-land. *animato*

C. He is found. I Am the king here-a-bout.

Lento

Rd.

Thou dost not know. *pianissimo* Sir, I be - seech thee of thy

Rd.

(hesitating) 118 *a tempo*
gen-tle-ness, Make no jest of me... I have... I have known The Prince of
a tempo allegretto

Rd.

faer - y in a wak - ing dream, And I will fol - low

Rd.

him to Fair - y - land And find him, and de - light him, or I

119

Rd. die.

C. Corvain

piangendo (♩ = 92) When the nuns find thee, thou shall surely die.

sfp *mf* *sfp*

Più mosso

C. But for me thou art safe with me.

legg.

120

C. Nay, then, Beautiful child, look up-on me—

poco f dim.

Rosamund

Rd. Sure - ly,

C. look well— Dost thou not re - mem - ber?

pp

Rd. Cor-vain, the king. Thou!

C. Thy king. Look a - gain!

Rd. Like_ yes, Strange-ly like_ yet thou art not the same

Rd. 121 There is no won-der in thine eyes.

C. Corvain (gravely) Who knows His dream by

C. pp espressivo

C. day - light? Who hath known in dreams An-y-thing un-re - membered?

Allegretto

c. 

Rosamund

c. 

Rd. 

123 Lento

R. 

Corvain

c. 

124

c. 

c. 

c.

139

this! Sweet, am I not thy mas - ter?

c.

Sure - - ly thou hast found thy

c.

125

dream.

(Rosamund turns to fly, but at a sign from Corvain the entrance fills with men-at-arms)

c.

c. *f*
 They who come here, a - bide here, sweet-heart. Wait thine
dim. *p* *p*
 (Corvain sends back his soldiers)

c. own time: When the nuns find thee, thou shalt sure - ly die. But for
pp
 (Corvain goes into the palace)

c. me— Thou art safe with me: Think well!

Rd. *ad lib. senza tempo*
 Rosamund O far a-way, be-yond all human need, The
sf *p* *lunga* *pp*
a tempo moderato
 songs and flow'rs and crowns of Fair - y - land! Why must the pain seem
pp

Rd.

3
truer than the joy,
Ev-er the wrong so brave, the hope so frail,

127 *ad lib.*

Rd.

3
Ever the day so long, the dream so far!
And yet, am I so

Rd.

f
a tempo
faith-less? Heart of mine, have I not known? Sure - ly these hol-low tow'r's Will melt in

Rd.

mel-o-dy down, and these vain stones Blaze in - to
molto express.

Rd.

3
bloom, and o-ver the dark of the world The dawn of Fair-y-land rise up like
(♩ = 88)

Rd.

fire, _____ Hearing what songs the Little Peo - ple sing!

8 *sffz* *pp*

129 Chorus (off stage)

Fair - y - land! Lo, a mir - a - cle, a
pp

Fair - y - land! Lo, a mir - a - cle, a
pp

Fair - y - land! Lo, a mir - a - cle, a mir - a - cle, a
pp

Fair - y - land! Lo, a mir - a - cle, a mir - a - cle, a

song! _____

song! _____

song! _____

song! _____

(♩ = 84) *p* *pp*

Rosamund

Rd. In a gar-den glad and green Blooms a

Rd. rose, unknown, un-seen, Ru-by - bo-somed like a flame, Ho-ly, like a ho - ly
colla voce

Rd. name; All the world hath part and right In the gar - den's rich de-light:

130

Rd. Each may ga-ther all he knows — I a-lone have known the Rose, — the Rose! I — a-lone!

Rd. In a world of waste and wrong — Flows a

Rd.

ben - - i - son of song, Pour - ing on the mul - ti-tude All their

Rd.

souls can bear of good; Bring-ing them who know and care Beau-ty,

ad lib.

131

Rd.

laugh-ter, pain and prayer: Each his own re - al - i - ties: Mine_ the sing-er's lips and

colla voce

Rd.

pp

eyes!_ And the Rose, ah, the Rose! Ah! the

colla voce

a tempo

Rd.

Rose! —

pp a tempo

132 Allegro (Robin enters)

mf

f

f

(Men's laughter)
Auburn (enters, looking back) (to those outside)

A.

Peace!

am I not your

Str. f

A. (Men's laughter) (More laughter, dying away)

King?

ff

sffz

3

3

3

(Auburn gestures toward the departing soldiers, turns, and comes slowly down)

[133] **Moderato****Rosamund**

Rd. - - - - -

Rn. Robin That is not like The songs our moth-ers sang of Fair - y-land.

[133] **Moderato**

(Rosamund slowly recognizes Auburn, looking eagerly in his face)

Rd. - - - - -

ten. Thou art come!

(Auburn stares at Rosamund quite blankly)

A. - - - - -

Auburn La - dy most fair,

pp

Rosamund (with growing agitation)

Rd. - - - - -

Oh, my lord, thou_ thou!

A. Beau - ti - ful stran - ger -

pizz.

134 Lento
Rd. *Thou dost not know!*

accel.

A. Lento *Auburn*
Who is this?
Allegro

Rn. One who knows Thee: a strange creature... Now, if thou be

mf legg. *sfp* *p*

A. *Auburn*
Your own king; Au - - burn.

Rn. king, Mar-ry, what king?

Rd. **135 Rosamund**
He is king in Fair - y-land! *Robin*

A. Rn. Who should I be? *May-be.*

con moto
dim. *pp*

Rn. (tapping his forehead) >

Not at home here— nor here. Good sir, We have all seen Au-burn!

f pizz. *dim.*

Rd. Rosamund

Auburn (to Rosamund) No-thing now.

A. What dost thou know of Fair - y-land?

p dolce *mf* *5*

A. Ye shall know More, hav-ing seen what. won-ders I have known... Chil-dren of earth,

sfp *p dolce* *ppp* *molto p*

senza misura

A. 136 *a tempo*. think ye this flow-er bloomed In an-y earth-ly gar-den? Robin

Rn. I have seen Such a

pp *mf*

Rn. *ad lib.* *a tempo*

rose grow-ing in a way-side hedge, Red-den-ing be-fore dim al-tars_ ay,

Auburn (to Rosamund)

A. What dost thou say?

Rn. some-times E - ven in kings' crowns.

Rosamund *Meno mosso*

Rd. Not like the Rose of Fair - y - land.

Rn. *Meno mosso* Robin See there, now!

137 Auburn *Allegro*

A. Go! Are your ears faith-less? Then be-lieve your

A.

eyes!

Rouse the vil-lage,

ga-ther my peo-ple here,

138

A.

And ye shall see, deep in the heart of the Rose, The light of Fair-y-land

A.

burst forth like fire,

And hear what songs the Lit-tle Peo-ple

A.

sing To crown their own!

Robin poco tranquillo

Rn.

I can-not call to mind That Au-burn wrought

Rosamund (very angry)
Allegro agitato

Allegro agitato

Rd. Out! A-way! Thou

Rn. mir-a-cles... Allegro agitato

Rd. ff

Rd. earth! Thou no-thing! Who art thou? Dross of the fur-row,

Rd. drain-age of the vine, Waste wa-ter flung a-way in-to the mire! Thou judge him!

Rd. 140 Be-gone! Do his bid-ding!

Robin

Rn. Nay, Here is one who be-lieves! I go: Take heed, Broth-er!

Rn. Ros-es have thorns and so have crowns! It is not good to walk too near a

(Robin goes)

Rn. throne!

Rosamund

Rd. Dost thou not re - mem-ber? Auburn (seats him-
self, Rosamund at his feet)

A. changed? Lo, since I woke in-to the world a-gain, None re-mem-ber! My peo-ple

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143

A. glo - - - ry of strange joy, and all a -

poco cresc.

A. round Fair-ies, danc- ing, and a red rose that

Rd. Rosamund
Was there No queen?

A. burned With a star for the heart there-of She sat a -

p express.

(Myriel is seen at the entrance)

144

A. bove me, throned on flow'rs And crowned with stars, all heav'n in her eyes, And on her

pp

(half rousing himself)

A. breast the rose of all the world.— Thou art here, at my feet. And there-up-on

(resuming)

A. Sud-den-ly clanged the Ab-bey bell. The fire In the heart of the rose fad-ed, and there came

A. Light-ning, and thun-der, and broke the vi-sion.

145 Rosamund (tenderly)

Rd. Dear, look on me— look well—

A. Auburn Rose of the world!

(Myriel enters suddenly)

Rosamund (shrinking; Auburn rises)

Rd. Animate M. Myriel Bass.

Hast thou found me so soon? (The nuns follow Myriel)

Myriel Animato For-bear!

Let her not es - cape!

146 (to Auburn)

Nay, Fa-ther, she is be-yond Thy char-i-ty— A

torn veil, a soul ru-ined, a lost nun: Waste not heav'n up-on her!

Auburn Myriel

My-ri-el, Dost thou know me? I know thee for a

pp delicato

M. saint Out of the Ho - ly Land, hav-ing be-held In a vi-sion the ver-y Moth-er,

Rd. Rosamund (half aside) Ah! but she does not know What we have known!

M. crowned A-mong an-gels.

A. Auburn Thou shalt know more of heav'n Soon, hav-ing seen Fair - - - y - land..

A. E-ven now The king comes.

(Corvain enters with his guard)

A. Pres-ent-ly I shall be king.

Corvain (to the soldiers) Heav'n's an-gels come to help us! A-bide my sign;

(with an embracing gesture) We do not draw swords on a flock of doves, We spread a net a-round them.

(Corvain goes slowly toward Myriel. Some of the soldiers leave)

Corvain (caustically) Good Moth-er, This place is earth-ly— carnal; and this hour Appoint-ed for

Myriel

149

Moderato

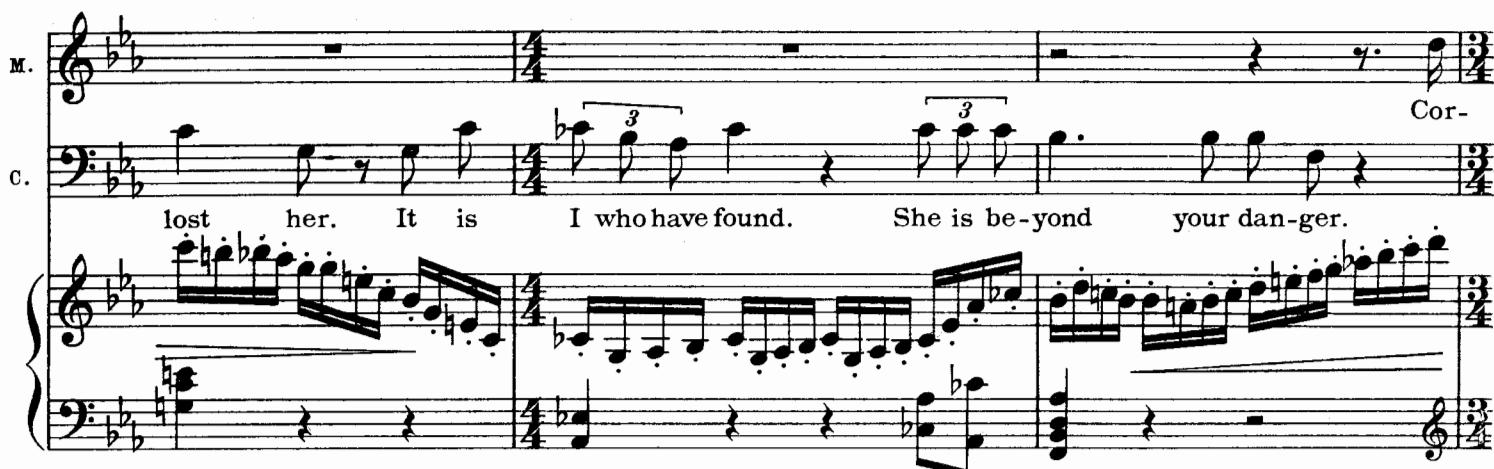
No-thing more. Here is

M. 

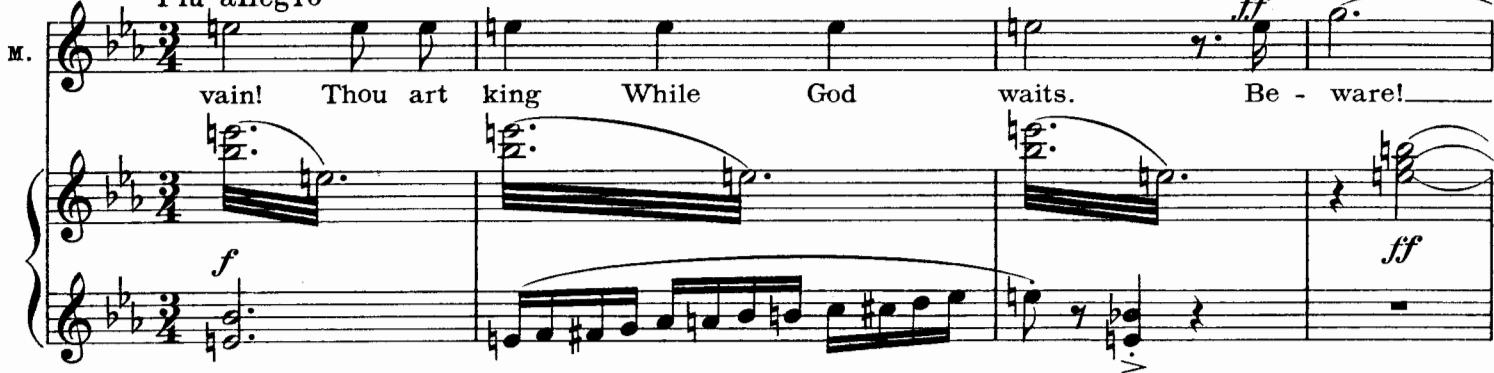
Allegro

M. 

Allegro

M. 

Più allegro

M. 

M.

ff

c. 150 Corvain

Mean-while, the king reigns! Mean-while, I do my will! Ye have a

ff *p*

scourge There, Moth-er, not a sword—a lash, to drive This pretty trem-blter to my arms,

f *p* *f* *p*

a spur To prick her on to plea-sure. Look up-on her

p *espress.* *pp* *espress.*

Shrink-ing there— look up-on me, and rage to think Ye can-not work us

pp *mf* *6* *mf*

c. 151 Allegro
 harm. Clois-ter your-selves From the bloom of all for-gone joy, whose

c. grave Rank-les your con - se-crat-ed flesh! Toil, pray,

c. Dream, and close your eyes! I have o-pened mine: I see how rich - ly we

c. may drink who dare, What crowns long to be con-quered; and I see On-ly a

c. fal - low drouth of wo-men here, Hat-ing and yearn - ing.

152 Più allegro

153

Moderato Myriel

M. Let us leave him now. Take her! Cor-vain!
 Corvain (lifts his hand and the soldiers fill the entrances)

Moderato Ay, take her!

A. Auburn (coming between) A-bide my sign: it
 is not yours to say what ye will do; I am the king! Corvain ff b

154 To

M. Myriel Cor-vain! Auburn
 (The Chorus rushes in tumultuously) Be-hold! my peo-ple
 me, men-at-arms! Ho, king's men! Ho!

A. fol-low me! 

Chorus

155 *ff* SOPRANO
Flame shin-ing, blood flow-ing, And life plowed un - der

ff ALTO
Flame shin-ing, blood flow-ing, And life plowed un - der

ff TENOR
Flame shin-ing, blood flow-ing, And life plowed un - der

ff BASS
Flame shin-ing, blood flow-ing, And life plowed un - der

155 (♩ = 96) *ff*

year by year_ The seed of your sow - ing Hath ri - pened its load of

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year by year_ The seed of your sow - ing Hath ri - pened its load of

year by year_ The seed of your sow - ing Hath ri - pened its load of

ff

pain;— The drudge of yoke and man - - ger Ye goad - ed in - to
 pain;— The drudge of yoke and man - - ger Ye goad - ed in - to
 pain;— The drudge of yoke and man - - ger Ye goad - ed in - to
 pain;— The drudge of yoke and man - - ger Ye goad - ed in - to

dan - ger, A - roused, o - ver - throw - - ing,
 dan - ger, A - roused, o - ver - throw - - ing,
 dan - ger, A - roused, o - ver - throw - - ing,
 dan - ger, A - roused, o - ver - throw - - ing,

156

Is a-venged a - gain! From watch - ing, from

Is a-venged a - gain! From watch - ing, from

Is a-venged a - gain! From watch - ing, from

Is a-venged a - gain! From watch - ing, from

weep - ing, From days of shame and dreams of fear, We rise to the reap - ing, We

weep - ing, From days of shame and dreams of fear, We rise to the reap - ing, We

weep - ing, From days of shame and dreams of fear, We rise to the reap - ing, We

weep - ing, From days of shame and dreams of fear, We rise to the reap - ing, We

cresc.

rush to the stand-ing grain! *fff* *p*: *tutta forza*
 rush to the stand-ing grain! *fff* *p*: *tutta forza*
 rush to the stand-ing grain! *fff* *p*: *tutta forza*
 rush to the stand-ing grain! *fff* *p*: *tutta forza*
 Our King, re -
 Our King, re -
 Our King, re -
 Our King, re -

turned with won - ders Of sor-ce-ry, and thun-ders Of heav'n in his keep - ing, Shall re -
 turned with won - ders Of sor-ce-ry, and thun-ders Of heav'n in his keep - ing, Shall re -
 turned with won - ders Of sor-ce-ry, and thun-ders Of heav'n in his keep - ing, Shall re -
 turned with won - ders Of sor-ce-ry, and thun-ders Of heav'n in his keep - ing, Shall re -

157

store and reign! Au - - burn

157

ff

dim.

shall re-store and reign! shall reign!

f dim.

p rit.

pp p

158 Molto moderato

Auburn (assuredly, facing Corvain)

Broth-er,
Corvain (spoken) I will take my crown.
Thou hast
(roughly) Broth-er?! Crown? Look at him! Listen to him!

Molto moderato

p pochietto cresc.

A. not done well there-with.

C. *agitato* Ye redeless fools, Have ye ev-er seen Au-burn?

agitato *sffz*

A. Watch, and be still. There is no need for you to un-der - stand;

pespress.

A. It is e - nough that ye o - bey.

pp

My prince of dreams!

at last! —

Myriel

Fa-ther, a mir-a-cle!

Pull down the strong man!

A

Rd.

M.

Chorus

BASS II

The musical score consists of two systems of music. The top system, labeled '159' and 'Rosamund', features vocal parts for 'My prince of dreams!' (Myriel) and 'Fa-ther, a mir-a-cle! Pull down the strong man!' (A). The piano accompaniment is shown below the vocal parts. The bottom system, labeled '169', shows a continuation of the piano accompaniment and vocal parts. The vocal parts include 'Rd.' (Reed), 'M.' (Mezzo-soprano), 'SOPRANO I', 'SOPRANO II', 'ALTO I', 'ALTO II', 'TENOR I', 'TENOR II', 'BASS I', and 'BASS II'. The vocal parts sing 'My prince of dreams! at last!', 'Fa-ther, pull down the strong man!', 'Au-burn!', 'A spell!', 'a song!', 'a fire!', 'a spell!', 'a song!', 'a spell!', 'a spell!', 'a song!', 'a spell!', 'Cor - vain!', 'Cor - vain!', and 'Cor -'. The piano accompaniment features complex chords and bass lines.

Rd.

prince of dreams!

M.

Fa - - ther!

dim.

song! a rose! a fire!

dim.

song! a rose! a fire!

rose! Cor - vain! a rose! a fire!

rose! Cor - vain! a rose! a fire!

fire! a rose! a rose! a fire!

fire! a rose! a rose! a fire!

vain! Cor - vain! Cor - - vain! Cor - - vain!

vain! Cor - vain! Cor - - vain! Cor - - vain!

160

Auburn

A. Andantino

Rose of mys - ter - y,

espress.

dolce

A.

161

A.

A.

king - - dom: bring thou me

home now to mine!

162

Shine forth! So that they who de-

ny Thee, Shall be - hold thy heart

175

A. burn-ing like fire,

163

A. And hear what songs the

f dim.

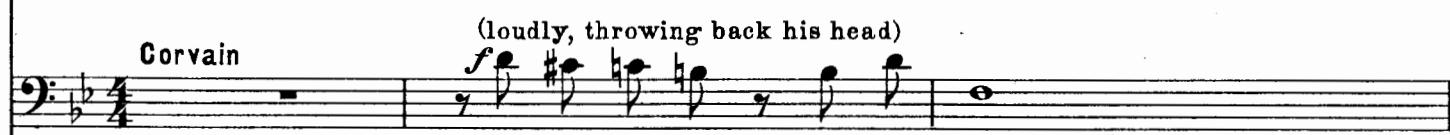
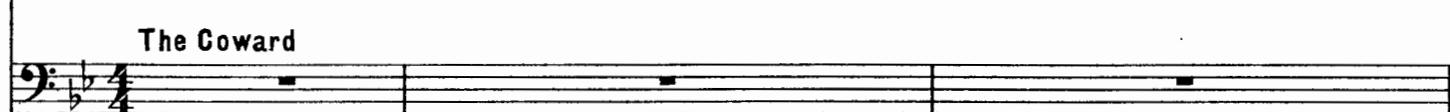
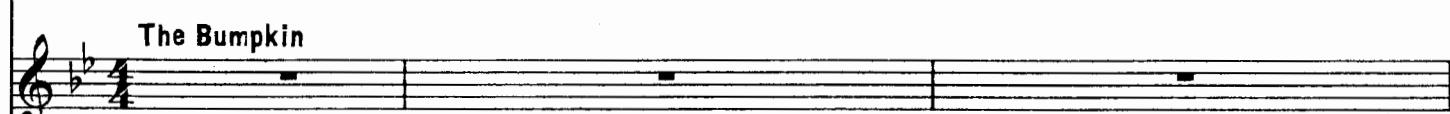
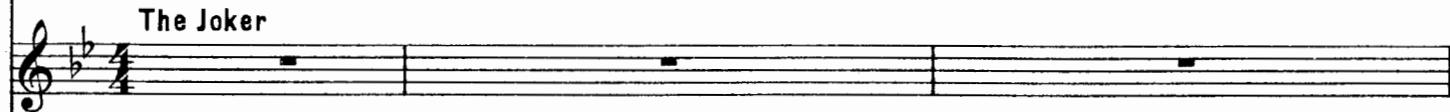
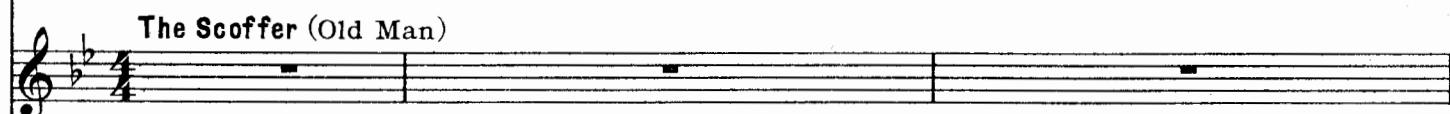
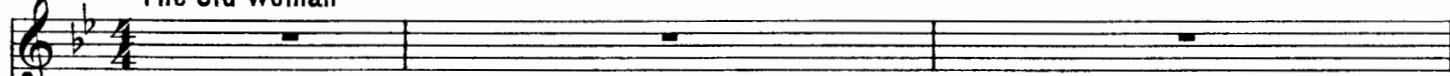
A. el - fin peo - ple sing!

glissando

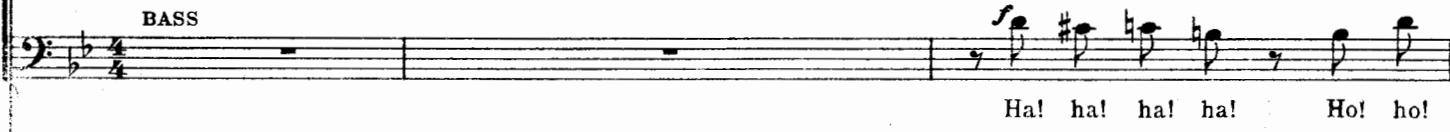
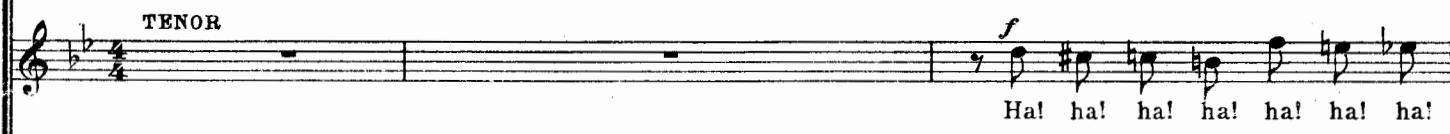
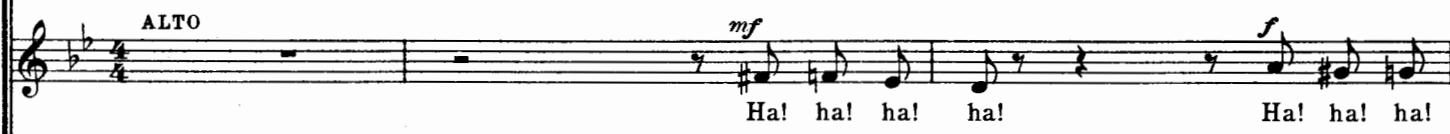
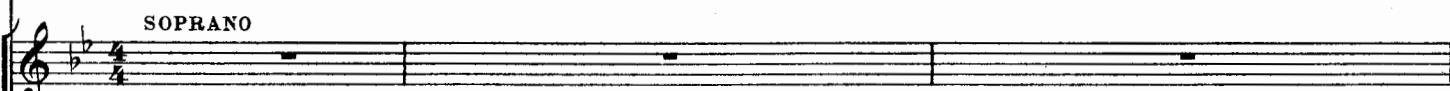
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(A pause—not quite long enough to suggest an accident to the lighting)

[164] Allegro moderato
The Old Woman



Ha! ha! ha! ha! Ho! ho! ho!



[164] Allegro moderato

(Gradually everyone on the stage begins to move, mocking and threatening Auburn, who alone stands rigid)

O.W. - - -

T.S. - - - f
Bah! —

J. - - -

B. f. Ah! I said so! I said so!

T.C. f. May the King for-ev - er reign! How now, wiz-ard?

F. - - -

Ha! ha! ha! hal Ho! ho! ho! Look at him! —

ha! ha! hal ha! Ho! ho! ho! Look at him! Just

ha! Ho! ho! Look at him!

ho! Ha! ha! ha! hal Ho! ho! ho! Look at him! Cor -

sffz

O.W. -

T.S. - I knew it from the first, I knew it from the first, I knew it from the

J. -

B. -

T.C. - Do your worst! Do your worst! Do your worst!

F. -

- Look at him! Look at him! Look at him!

look at him! Just look at him! Just look at him! Look at him!

Look at him! Look at him! Look at him!

vain! Cor - vain! Ha! hal ha! ha! Ho! ho! ho!

Rosamund

Rd. *f* Have done! *p* Keep

O.W. Now just look at him! These

T.S. first!

(threatening Auburn, who alone stands rigid)

J. Look at him! Look at him! Old wives'

B. Look at him! Look at

T.C. How now,

F. He'd be-

Old wives' tales have turned his brain!

Old wives' tales have turned his brain! Look at him!

Look at him now! Look at him!

Look at him! ho! Look at him!

Bd.

si - lence, clowns! Have your dull dreams be-held Fair-y-land,

O.W.

old wives' tales have turned, have turned him, have

T.S.

Old wives' tales have turned him, have

J.

tales have turned his brain! Old wives'

B.

him! Look at him! Look at him! and know I said so! I

T.C.

wiz - ard? Do your worst, your worst! How now,

F.

witch us if he durst! He would be-witch us if he

We have heard his ma-gic strain, his ma-gic strain!

Ha! ha! ha! ha! Ho! ho! ho! ho!

Look at him! We have heard his ma-gic strain! Cor -

Look at him! Look at him! We have heard his ma-gic strain! Cor -

(A great wind. The petals are blown from the rose; Auburn holds up the bare stem)

Rd. that ye mock— your King? _____

O.W. turned him, have turned his sor - ry brain!

T.S. turned him! Old wives' tales have turned his brain!

J. tales have turned his brain! _____

B. said so! I said so! I said so!

T.C. wiz-ard? Do your worst! Do your worst! Do your worst!

F. durst! _____ May the King for-ev-er reign!

Cor - vain! Cor - vain! Cor - vain!

Cor - vain! Cor - vain! Cor - vain!

vain! Cor - vain! Cor - vain!

vain! Cor - vain! Cor - vain!

165

Rd.

o.w.

t.s.

J.

B.

T.C.

F.

Ah!

Old wives' tales have turned his brain! He'd be -

We have heard his strain! We have heard his ma-gic strain!

We have heard his ma-gic strain! We have heard his ma-gic

We have heard his strain! We have heard his ma-gic strain! We have heard his ma-gic

Wiz-ard, do your worst! How now, wiz-ard, do your worst! Old wives'

Look at him! Cor-vain! Look at him! Cor-vain!

Old wives' tales have turned his

165

(Corvain opens his arms to Rosamund,
who fears him suddenly and goes to
Myriel. They leave)

Rd. *p.*
Have done!

O.W.
witch us if he durst!

T.S.
Ancient tales have turned his sor-ry, sil-ly brain!

J.
strain!

B.
strain!

T.C.
tales have turned, have turned his brain!

F.
Old wives' tales have turned his brain! Come a-

brain! Ancient tales have turned his sor-ry, sil-ly brain!

brain! Ancient tales have turned his sor-ry, sil-ly brain!

brain! Ancient tales have turned his sor-ry, sil-ly brain!

brain! Ancient tales have turned his sor-ry, sil-ly brain!

p.

(Auburn sits down hopelessly among the petals, while the crowd rushes out)

O.W. - - - - -

T.S. (going)
Ay, let us go! We have heard his ma-gic strain!

J. Ay, let us go! We have heard his ma-gic strain!

B. ff (going) (off stage)
Cor - vain! Cor -

T.C. (Pointing, and going)
Look at him! Look at him!

F. (off stage)
way! Cor - vain! Come a - way! Cor -

Cor-vain!

Cor-vain!

Cor - vain!

Cor-vain!



O.W. We have seen how fair - y ros - es blow!

T.S. Seen how fair - - y ros - es blow!

J.

B. vain!

T.C.

F. vain!

Cor-vain! Ha! ha! ha! ha! Ho! ho! ho!

Cor-vain! Cor-vain! Ha! ha! hal ha! Ho! ho! ho!

Cor - vain! Ha! ha! ha! ha! Ho! ha! ha! Ho! ho! ho!

Cor-vain! Ha! ha! ha! ha! Ho! ho! ho! Ho! ho!

8

p

pp

8

184

BASS

ho!
Corvain

166

BASS: ho!

C. (Cello):

(Auburn is alone but for Corvain)

Corvain (to Auburn,

c. (Cello): John-a-Dreams!

who looks at him vaguely)

c. (Cello):

What! Is the name of King So great a matter?

c. (Cello):

c. (Cello):

c.

Give ye good-den,
Broth-er!

(Corvain goes into the palace. The doors close)

c.

pp tenuto

A.

Auburn *ad lib.* Curtain

I have been King in Fair-y-land.

colla voce *pp*

pp

A.

pp

End of Act II

Intermezzo

Andantino e rubato ($\text{♩} = 84$)

168

poco rit.

mf

poco più mosso

25371

8

f

dim. e rit.

mf

espr. dim.

170

pp r.h.

r. h.

ACT III

The Village

Allegro moderato ($\text{d} = 116$)

(Rosamund is discovered, chained to a stake)

Soldiers (off stage)

TEN. I

171

Good Saint A - loys, one win - ter's night, Walk - ing in ghost - ly

TEN. I. II

med - i - ta - - tion,

Came on a la - dy

brave and bright, Strove to a - chieve her soul's sal - va - - tion;

172 (Guard-mounting. One of the soldiers shows Rosa -

Soldiers

unis.

Bade her be-ware of mor-tal bliss, Turn and a-mend her
 Bade her be-ware of mor-tal bliss, Turn and a-mend her

f dim. *mf*

173

and be shriv - en; "Fa - ther," quoth she, "be -
 and be shriv - en; "Fa - ther," quoth she, "be -

f

cause of this Be thou re-ward-ed and for - giv - en." Out
 cause of this Be thou re-ward-ed and for - giv - en." Out

(The soldiers move off stage)

uni.
 of her heart she plucks a rose Light-ing the dark with ho - ly splen -
 of her heart she plucks a rose Light-ing the dark with ho - ly splen -

f

dor. Man nev-er heard and heav-en knows
 dor. Man nev-er heard and heav-en knows
 dor. Man nev-er heard and heav-en knows

174

Whith-er a-way his steps at - tend her.
 Whith-er a-way his steps at - tend her.

Abbey Bell

dim. pp

poco marc. Bell

175

Myriel (to the guard)

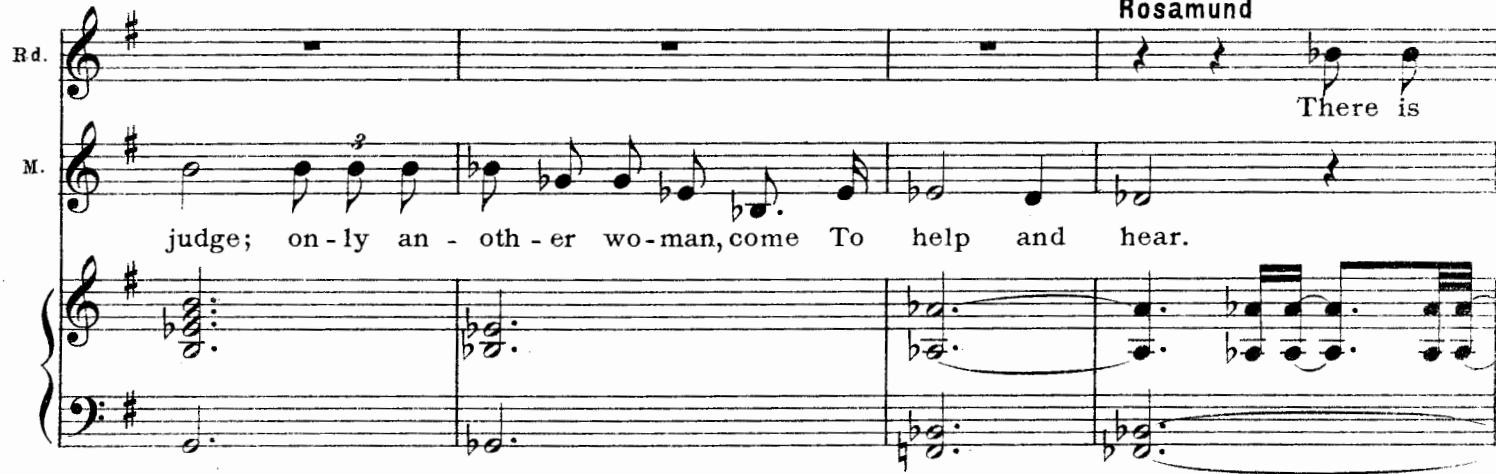
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Poco lento (to Rosamund, who moves her eyes only)

M.

Rosamund

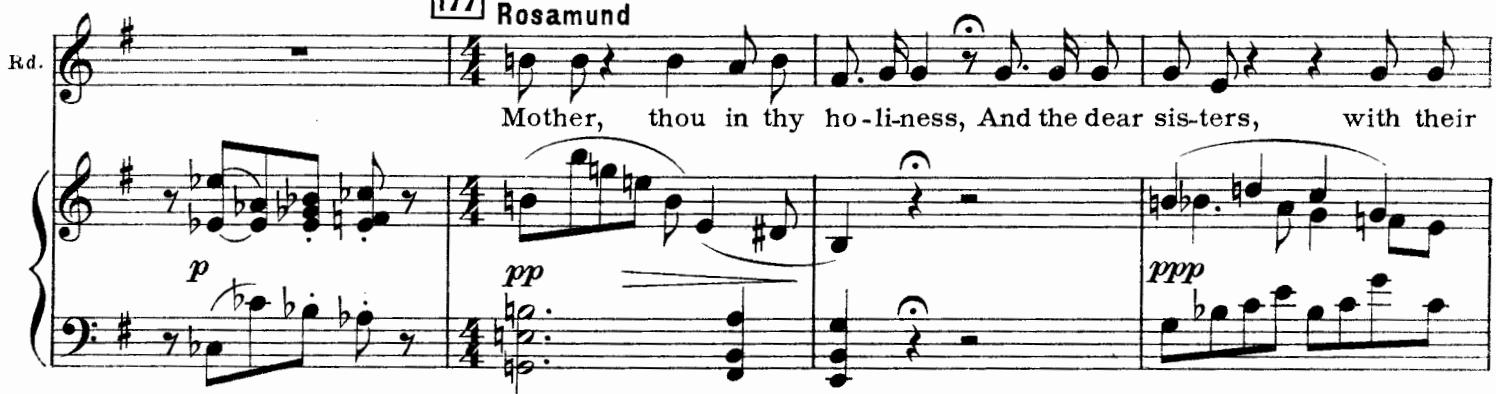
Rd. 

(quietly)

Rd. 

M. 

177 Rosamund

Rd. 

Rd. 

Rd. pray to - e-ven - Ah! but they never knew What

178

Rd. I have known! Other things, better things, 13

Rd. It may be I am not fit to choose heav'n. Be it so! I choose!

Rd. There-fore ye must now De - stroy: not hat - ing me - fear - ing my

179 Lento

Rd. dream.

M. Myriel(angrily) ff

Fear-ing! fear-ing! Lento I have sinned.

25371

Allegro moderato (♩ = 120)

M. Daughter, be thy name blessed a - mong wo - men! De - stroy thee?

180

M. Child, Thou art free and ho - ly. In my blind hour I

M. said thy dreams Came to thee out of hell. For -

M. give! I know now. God hath lift - ed

M. thee a - live in - to glo - ry:

M. thy — dreams have seen Heavn': on - ly,

181

Più mosso ($\text{d} = 56$)

M. thou hast held the love Ce - les - tial for the earth - ly love we

M. know, And called thy Par - a-dise E - den.

Rosamund

Rd. Thou dost not know, Moth-er. It was not heav'n.

M. Am I so changed?

182

M. (♩ = 120)

I was a woman ere I was a nun. How should I not un - der-

M.

stand? Oh, look well! See how it might be,

M.

thence how it hath been, And so, the truth!

cresc. ed agitato

183 Tranquillo

Rosamund

Rd.

It is true that I

pp

Rd.

love The prince of

dim.

Allegretto

Rd. Fair - y - land! —

M. Myriel Allegro

Allegretto

It shall not be!

God will not

let so much be giv'n in vain; Thou shalt not look down-ward, seek-ing for Him:

184

Burn thy wings in the star

of Beth - le-hem!

Solenne
(very earnestly)

M. Lit-tle sis - ter mine, thou art near - to death, —

Moderato

pp

185

M. Hov-er - ing between worlds. I promise thee Life, ab - so-lu-tion,

p *f*

Rd. Rosamund (dreamily)

All for me? I had

M. saint - hood.

p *pp* *cl.* *pp*

Rd. ra - ther re - member.

ppp *delicatiss.* *ppp*

Myriel

M. As the lost Re - mem-ber! Fare - well.

(Myriel goes out)

M. I can only be thy judge.

187

(Rosamund's Vision)

dolce

188

189

(Auburn appears...)

...he enters quickly, runs to the stake
Auburn Ha!

A. più agitato

fp *marc.*

and hews at it with his sword)

A. (blow) (blow)

cresc. molto

(The sword breaks)

190

ffz p *dim.*

dim. *p*

Rd.

Rosamund

Where-fore art thou come to me?

ffz *p* *dim.*

191 Auburn

ad lib.

Allegro molto agitato

No-thing. A jest for fools. Thou shalt not die _____

ffz *p* *ff (allegro subito)* *dim.*

ad lib.

While I live. It sounds

sfz *colla voce* *dim.*

ffz *p* *dim.*

Rd.

Rosamund *tranquillo* *ad lib.*

Dost thou know me?

A. *brave-ly, does it not? No mat-ter..*

A. *brave-ly, does it not? No mat-ter..*

192 *molto agitato*

A. *one soul On earth be - liev - ing me; my*

f molto agitato

A. *one friend here, Where all peo - ple mock at me, and my*

A. *one Love now,— when no - thing more re - mains of me Worth lov - ing.*

A.

What else have I ev - er known?

p espress.

A.

193

I would have crowned thee, when I was a king— I would have saved thee, when I was a

A.

man. No matter. I have grown old in the dark And lost the dawn.

Rd.

194

Rosamund (smiling)

And thy queen?

A.

I am here At thy feet.

f risoluto

(He kneels before her)

A. I re-mem-ber no more. Let the dream per - ish!

Rd. Rosamund (tenderly) 195 Art thou so changed? My Lord,— I have yield - ed my har-vest;

Rd. I have found my need. There is

Rd. no - thing more.

A. Auburn (raising his head) Touch me.

Molto tranquillo

196

pp *poco rit.*

dim.

molto legato

(They recognize each other)

197

Andante con moto

Rd. Andante con moto

A. Auburn

Rosamund

Do I not re -

Do I dream a - gain?

Andante con moto

Rd. mem - ber?

A. Thou, Rid-ing in

Thou, Crowned with stars,

Rd. gold - en arms un-der the sun.

A. — throned a-mong ros - es - My queen of

Rd.

Au - burn, my king!

A.

Fair - - y - land! My queen of ros - - - es!

Rd.

love! _____ What _____ hath be -

A.

What _____ hath be -

198 *a tempo*

Rd.

fall - en us? _____ We _____ have seen one

A.

fall - en us? _____ We have seen one

dim. *poco rit.* *pp*

Rd. light, _____ where - of death is the
 A. light, _____ where - of

The musical score consists of four staves. The top two staves are vocal parts (Rd. and A.) in G clef, B-flat key signature, and common time. The bottom two staves are piano accompaniment in F clef, B-flat key signature, and common time. The vocal parts sing a melodic line with sustained notes and short rests. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords and eighth-note patterns.

Rd. shad - ow. Still the same,
 A. death is the shad - ow. Still the same,

The musical score continues with four staves. The vocal parts (Rd. and A.) sing "shad - ow. Still the same," with the piano providing harmonic support. The piano part features eighth-note patterns and some dynamic markings like forte (f) and piano (p).

Rd. still the same, Sweet-er than the glo-ry of the strong in war.
 A. Thou and I, love, are one! *pp* Thou art mine.

The musical score concludes with four staves. The vocal parts sing "still the same, Sweet-er than the glo-ry of the strong in war." followed by "Thou and I, love, are one!" and "Thou art mine." The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support throughout. The dynamic marking *pp* (pianissimo) is placed above the piano part during the final phrase.

199

Un poco mosso

Rd.

Lord of my joy, I have known thee in sor - row. Sun of my

A.

Flow'r of my Spring, Have I seen thee in Au - tumn?

Un poco mosso

ppp

Rd.

dawn, make me thine a - gain. And I mind no

A.

Moon of my dream, Dost thou shine a - gain? I am

Rd.

more the small pain that will make dark-ness of me.

A.

on - ly a pil - grim sav-ing my palm.

200

Rd. Still the same, Thou and I, And I

A. Still the same, Thou and I: Yet

Rd. mind no more the pain and dark - - - ness, Than songs of little

A. if it be thy will, look down, and so, Light-ing the

201 *molto rit.*

Rd. chil - dren far a - way, Sing-ing to call me home. *molto rit.*

A. win-dows of my heav'n for me, Bring thou the wan - d'rer home!

(It is daylight, and villagers appear)

The musical score consists of five staves of music. The top two staves are in common time, B-flat major, with dynamic markings *pp* and *p*. The first staff features sixteenth-note patterns with grace marks and slurs. The second staff has sustained notes with wavy lines underneath. The third staff begins at measure 202, 8, in common time, F major, with dynamic *tr* and tempo *Con moto*. It includes eighth-note patterns with grace marks and slurs. The fourth staff continues in F major with dynamic *tr* and includes eighth-note patterns with grace marks and slurs. The fifth staff concludes with dynamic *cantando* and includes eighth-note patterns with grace marks and slurs.

203

(Robin enters)

Piano part (measures 203-204):

- Measure 203: Treble clef, key signature of two sharps. Measures start with eighth-note patterns followed by sixteenth-note patterns.
- Measure 204: Treble clef, key signature of two sharps. Measures start with eighth-note patterns followed by sixteenth-note patterns.

Vocal part (measures 203-204):

- Measure 203: Dynamics: *pp*. Robin enters with a melodic line consisting of eighth and sixteenth notes.
- Measure 204: Dynamics: *mf con moto*. Robin continues his melody.

204

Auburn *f*

A. Hold

Robin *mf con moto*

Rb. So we who bear her bur - den -

A. you there, good fel-low!

Rb. Who calls me Good-fel-low?

f pizz.

Musical score for measures 204 showing piano and vocal parts:

- Measures 204:** Treble clef, key signature of one sharp. The vocal line continues with "So we who bear her bur - den -". The piano accompaniment features eighth-note chords.
- Measures 205:** Treble clef, key signature of one sharp. The vocal line continues with "you there, good fel-low!". The piano accompaniment includes a dynamic instruction *f pizz.*
- Measures 206:** Treble clef, key signature of one sharp. The vocal line continues with "Who calls me Good-fel-low?". The piano accompaniment consists of eighth-note chords.

205 Rosamund

Rd. Au - burn, the king!

A. Auburn One who hath need of thee.

Rb. (to Rosamund) Dost thou say so?

(205) (♩ = 76)

A. (to Robin) Say thou So, lest we all per - ish.

A. If it be true, Au - burn reigns; if — it be a lie, no

(206)

A. less Cor-vain falls, and the peo - ple crown —

Rb.

morn - ing star?

See now, ye

Rb.

trust Nei-ther your - selves, nor us,

nor your dreams!

Rosamund

Rd.

Art thou so bit - ter?

Auburn

Nay, it is not that; They live by dreams;

A.

(to Robin) 209

we oth-ers die of them. Thy par-don. Robin (astonished)

Rb.

Thou art strange-ly like a

Rosamund (to Robin)

Rd. Dost thou say so?
(recovering his usual manner; to Auburn) (They move toward the tavern,
Rb. king!) Not I. If my lord will—

but are stopped by Corvain)

Corvain (Myriel enters, followed by nuns)

C. Pa-tience a-while, good Brother!

f ff pesante >>>

210

Rosamund agitato

Rd. He is the

Auburn (facing Corvain)

A. No-thing. A lit-tle longer, and my will Might have been more.

C. What is thy will?

210

Allegro moderato

Rd. *king!*
portando

C. So? I am still the king here-a-bout. Our moth-er keeps Her king in

Allegro moderato

p leggiero

C. heav'n. May - hap it were as well Thy king should go and reign in Fair - y - land -

211

M. Myriel Allegro agitato

Well dost thou Know he is

C. Lest we faint un-der three crowns.

Allegro agitato

M. not the king. What hast thou done With Au-burn? Out of con-se-crated ground His

Moderato

212 *agitato*

m. blood cries out up-on a brother! Man, Dost thou think I do not know? _____

c. Corvain *f* Too late now, Mother! Why not have cried mur-der be-

c. fore I caught out of thine hand this gold-en toy Where-fore kings have been slain?

(parodying Myriel)
Allegro agitato

c. Well dost thou know Our Au-burn lies in con-se-crated ground!

(impressively)

c. Who-so digs deep e-nough may find his bones Un-der your Ab-bey. Lord,

213 Allegro molto

c. — what a coil! Broth-er From broth - er set a -

c. part, a king dis - crowned, A

c. pret-ty 1a - dy burned for lov-ing - all For God's glo - ry! Well,

c. I will do my share: Take him!

214

(The soldiers move upon Auburn)

Auburn

(Auburn seizes Myriel's crozier and
First will I do mine.)

A. 

strikes down Corvain)

SOPRANO

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

(Corvain rises with difficulty)

Sac - ri - lege!

Trea - son!

Trea - son, ho!

Trea - son!

Trea - son!

Trea - son, ho!

Trea - son!

Sac - ri - lege!

Sac - ri - lege!

Ho!

Ho!

Trea - son!

(to Myriel)

c. Bind him yon-der! E-nough! Thou hast thy vic-tim,

(Auburn is chained beside Rosamund) Myriel
M. Daughter, be-lieve, There is not an - y
c. I mine. Solenne

216
M. anger in my heart A-against thee. Put a-way thy bit-ter strength And receive
c.

M. par-don, or, if not for thy - self, Re-mem-ber this poor mad soul thou hast drawn
c.

M. Down to thee. Put a - way thy bit-ter joy, And save him.
c. *tranquillo*

Auburn

217

Con moto

A. *Dear, would I live so?*
 Corvain (to Rosamund)

C. Nay, 217 save Thine own life, pretty one! There
p dolce

Con moto
p

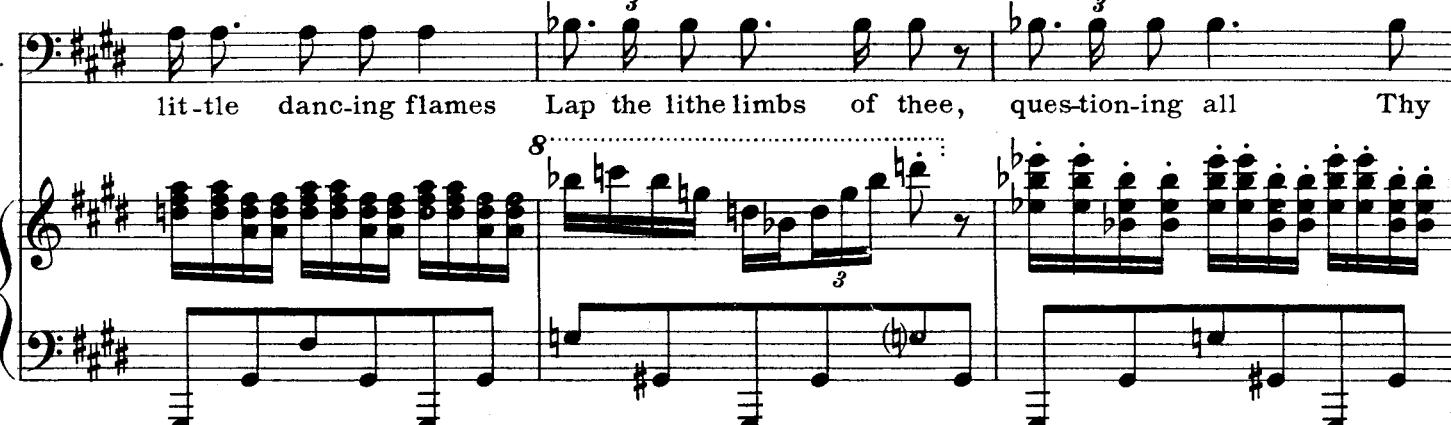
C. is yet time De-spite all dreams, dry wo-men and dead

(The soldiers continually pile fagots about the stake)

C. men. What, stubborn? What, un -

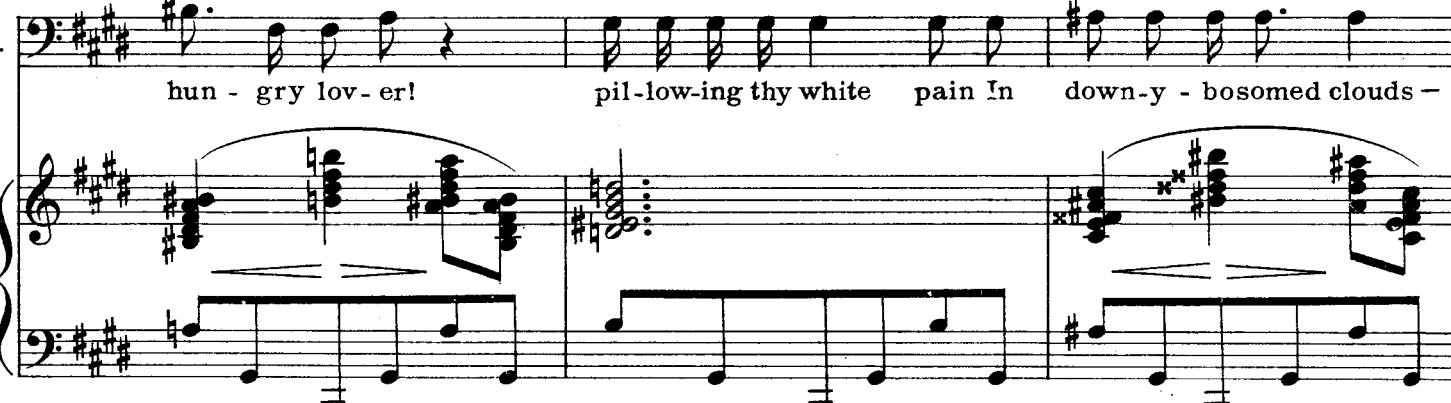
C. willing? Present-ly The sparks crack and the

p

c. lit-tle danc-ing flames Lap the lithe limbs of thee, que-stion-ing all Thy
 { 

218

c. beau-ty - then the fire tow'rs and clings - oh, A
 { 

c. hun - gry lov - er! pil-low-ing thy white pain In down-y - bosomed clouds -
 { 

c. holding the last Wild leap of thee help-less, till thy life shines
 { 

c.

— In the red heart of a great rose. —

pp

[219] Rosamund (quite unshaken)

Rd.

Au-burn, I will tell thee a se-cret: he is a fool, this king -

p

Rd.

3 (A shout of laughter comes from the tavern. Corvain turns away)

He thinks we are a - fraid. Auburn

A.

And then our wise Mother:

p *f* *p* *pp*

(Another howl from the tavern. Myriel makes the gesture of invocation)

A.

She thinks we need heav'n.

p

220

Myriel

f

A - ve Vir - go glo - - - ri -

Soprano I Chorus of Nuns

men.

Soprano II

men.

Alto I

men.

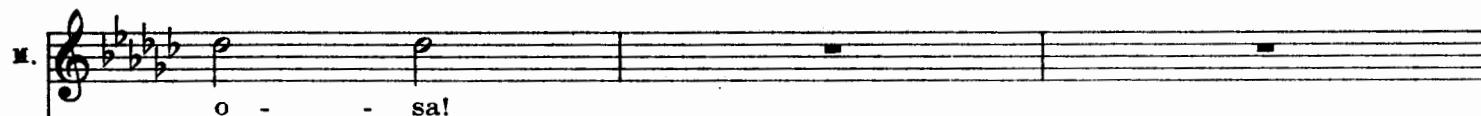
Alto II

men.

A

men.

220



Do - - - mi - ne se - quen - do du - cem Cru - ci -

Do - - - mi - - ne se - quen - do du - cem Cru - ci -

Do - - - mi - - ne se - quen - do du - cem Cru - ci -

Do - - - mi - - ne se - quen - do du - cem Cru - ci -

8
f

fix - - - um, fer - re cru - cem Da per umbras et in

fix - - - um, fer - re cru - cem Da per umbras et in

fix - - - um, fer - re cru - cem Da per umbras et in

fix - - - um, fer - re cru - cem Da per umbras et in

8.

f

loco

221

(A soldier applies the torch to the pile of fagots)

lu - cem; Aut no - len - tem sus - ti - ne - re,

lu - cem; Aut no - len - tem sus - ti - ne - re,

lu - cem; Aut no - len - tem sus - ti - ne - re,

lu - cem; Aut no - len - tem sus - ti - ne - re,

221

p

cresc.

Do - mi - ne, ne te vi - de - re De - fen - da - - tur, mi - se -

cresc.

Do - mi - ne, ne te vi - de - re De - fen - da - tur, mi - se -

cresc.

Do - mi - ne, ne te vi - de - re De - fen - da - tur, mi - se - re - re!

cresc.

Do - mi - ne, ne te vi - de - re De - fen - da - tur, mi - se - re - re!

cresc.

Più mosso

The image shows a musical score for four voices. The top staff begins with a forte dynamic. The lyrics 're - re!' are followed by a fermata over the next measure. The second staff begins with a forte dynamic. The lyrics 'mi - se - re - re!' are followed by a fermata over the next measure. The third staff begins with a forte dynamic. The lyrics 'mi - se -' are followed by a fermata over the next measure. The fourth staff begins with a forte dynamic. The lyrics 're - re!' are followed by a fermata over the next measure. The vocal parts are soprano, alto, tenor, and basso. The music is in common time, with a key signature of one flat.

TENORS (The flames flicker)

(The Flames Flicker)

Soldiers 1 1 1 1 1 1

Lords of birth, lads of beggar-y, lords of

A musical score page showing two staves of music. The top staff begins with a treble clef, a common time signature, and a key signature of one sharp. It features a series of eighth-note patterns. The bottom staff continues the musical line with its own set of eighth-note patterns.

Lads of beg-gar - y, —

lads of beggar-y,

lords of

Più mosso

The image shows two staves of musical notation for a piano. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. Both staves are in a key signature of five flats. Measure 11 starts with a forte dynamic. The right hand plays eighth-note chords in 3/8 time, while the left hand provides harmonic support. Measure 12 begins with a piano dynamic, continuing the rhythmic pattern established in measure 11.

re - re! mi - se - re - re!

re - re! mi - se - re - re!

mi - se - re - re! mi - se - re - re!

mi - se - re - re! mi - se - re - re!

birth, lads of beg-gar-y, lords of birth, ye lords of birth, Ye
birth, lads of beg-gar-y, lords of birth, ye lords of birth, Ye

[222]

(The people in the tavern troop out, followed by Robin)

Allegro con fuoco

Mi - se - re - re!

lads of beg-gar-y, lords of birth And broth-ers a-round the bowl, Come
lads of beg-gar-y, lords of birth And broth-ers a-round the bowl, Come

Allegro con fuoco

[222]

join the mirth of our moth - er Earth, And share her soul _____

join the mirth of our moth - er Earth, And share her soul _____

Round, round, and round a - gain, Time your trouble was drowned a - gain,
 Round, round, and round a - gain, Time your trouble was drowned a - gain,

Mi - se - re - - -
 Mi - se - re - - -
 Mi - se - re - - -
 Mi - se - re - - -

Jol - li - ty fol - lowed and found a - gain, And hearts made whole! _____
 Jol - li - ty fol - lowed and found a - gain, And hearts made whole! _____

223

re!
re!
re!
re!

Her fro - zen breast was a rose of spring Or ev - er your woes be -

Her fro - zen breast was a rose of spring Or ev - er your woes be -

223

gan; So laugh your best, and be king by king, And man by

gan; So laugh your best, and be king by king, And man by

man. Round, round, and round a - gain,

man. (For time goes) Round, round, and round a - gain,

Time your trouble was drowned again, Jol-li - ty fol-lowed and found a-gain By him who can! ^{a 2}

Time your trouble was drowned again, Jol-li - ty fol-lowed and found a-gain By him who can!

8

224

Poco meno mosso

Then think up-on her, and sing her hon-or, And drink to her fair re - noun, Till

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Poco meno mosso

flow'r loom up in the bloom-ing cup, And stars bow down _____ (to the)

flow'r loom up in the bloom-ing cup, And stars bow down (to the ground,

225 *ff*

ground, so) Round, round, round again, Time the Devil was
 — to the ground, so) Round, round, round again, Time the Devil was

fff

drowned again, *Jol-li-ty fol-lowed and found a-gain (And throned a-gain and crowned a-gain)* With
a²

drowned again, *Jol-li-ty fol-lowed and found a-gain (And throned a-gain and crowned a-gain)* With

226 (The smoke and flames...
 wine's own crown!
 wine's own crown!

have risen

There is much motion and tumult.)

Musical score for orchestra and piano, page 227. The score consists of four systems of music. The top system shows two staves: treble and bass. The middle system shows two staves: treble and bass. The bottom system shows two staves: treble and bass. The rightmost system shows two staves: treble and bass. Various dynamics and performance instructions are included, such as **Presto**, **227**, **fff**, **v**, **dimin. molto e riten.**, **sfz**, **p**, and **b7**.

(The lights change as in Act I, when Rosamund . . .)

Rd. Rosamund *p* — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* —

A. Auburn *p* — Hark - en: _____ the song! —

(*d.* = *d.*) Be - lov-ed, we have drunk one Cup of red wine to -

d. — *espress.* — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* —

b — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* —

b — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* —

b — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* — *b* —

calls attention to the Rose)

Rd. calls attention to the Rose)

A. Lock!.. the Rose!

SOPRANO
ALTO The Nuns
TENOR
BASS The Soldiers

Unison

Rd.

A. geth - er: one more now, And then - Fair - y - land!

The
The

Rd.

A. The Rose!

Rose! The Rose!

Rose! The Rose!

The Rose! The Rose!

The Rose! The Rose!

The Rose! The Rose!

Rd.

(The change in lighting continues throughout)

229 Moderato

Rd. *p*

Rose of the world, thou art ev - 'ry-one's own:
 — Rose of the world, thou art ev - 'ry-one's
 — Rose of the world, thou art ev - 'ry-one's
 — Thou art ev - 'ry-one's
 — Thou art ev - 'ry-one's

229 Moderato

Rd. *p*

Who-so-ev-er Wan-ders the gar-den shall wear thee and bear thee a - long
 own, — Rose of the
 own, — Rose of the
 own, — Rose of the
 own, — Rose of the

Rd.

Un-der the breast of de - light, on the crest of en-deav - or Blooming, a blush and a
world, thou art ev - ry - one's own, O Rose!_ Rose of the
world, thou art ev - ry - one's own, O Rose! Rose of the
world, thou art ev - ry - one's own, O Rose!_
world, thou art ev - ry - one's own:

[230]

Rd.

mel - o - dy, blos - som and song; Still, when the kiss - es are done, when the
world! 0 Rose!
world! 0 Rose!
Rose of the world!
Rose of the world!

[230]

pp

Rd.

bat - tie is o - ver, Burn-ing be - fore him, be - yond him, a - lone and a - far;

Burn-ing be - yond us a - far;

Burn-ing be - yond us, burn-ing be - yond us a - far;

O Rose!

Burn-ing be - yond us a - far;

O Rose!

Burn-ing a - far!

Light in the heart of the saint; in the heart of the lov - er Fire; in the king's heart a

Light in the heart of the saint, In the

Light in the heart of the saint, In the

Light in the heart of the saint, In the

Light in the heart of the saint, In the

Light in the heart of the saint, In the

pp

fff

pp

pp

pp

pp

Rd.

231

star... Star of the
king's heart, a star.
king's heart, a star.
king's heart, a star.
king's heart, a star.

231

232

pp 3 3 3

pp subito

Rd.

sea, thou art known: Of thy gold is our

Rd.

Più mosso

tre - - - sure. All men have sought for thee, fought for thee, un-der the

8

3

Rd.

sun, Fear-ing strange gods, bear-ing old pain, o -

Rd.

bey-ing new plea - - - sure, Sure - ly their sor - rows are man - -

Rd.

233 Poco meno mosso

y, their joys are as one. Ev - er an earth more un -

Rd.

earth-ly, a heav'n more hu - man, Bod - y and breath of de -

Rd.

sire in im - mor - tal al - loy,

[234] Tempo I^o(moderato)

Rd.

Dreams in the heart of the man,
in the soul of the wo-man One
Dreams in the heart of the man, in the
Dreams in the heart of the man, in the
Dreams in the heart of the man, in the
Dreams in the heart of the man, in the
Dreams in the heart of the man, in the
Dreams in the heart of the man, in the

Tempo I^o(moderato)

234

pp

hope, one beau-ty, one joy!

Rd.

12/8

wo - man great joy!

pp

12/8

wo - man great joy!

12/8

Robin (drinks as in Act I; he casts the remaining drops upon the fire, which

235

ff.

Rn. 12/8

Health to the king _____ and queen!

Our king _____ and queen!

235

ff.

Più mosso

(vanishes)

Rn. 3/4

Ye whose blind pow'r is

Crown them! Crown them!

Crown them! Crown them!

Crown them! Crown them!

Crown them! Crown them!

Più mosso

ff.

p

Rn.

melt - ed in - to mirth, Whose ho - line ness is now a sin for - giv'n,
Crown them! Crown them! Crown them!
Crown them! Crown them! Crown them!
Crown them! Crown them! Crown them!

Rn.

ad lib.

— Know-ing not heav'n, what have ye known of earth?

Rn.

— Know-ing no earth, what can ye know of heav'n?
ppp

Rosamund
tenuto ed espress.

[236] Con moto moderato

Rd. *pp* Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land!

A. *pp tenuto ed espress.* Auburn Fair - y - land! Fair - y - land!

Rn. *tenuto ed espress.* Fair - y - land!

C. *Corvain pp tenuto ed espress.* Fair - y - land!

Where shall we hide from Fair - y - land? We who are wo - man -
 Where shall we hide from Fair - y - land? We who are wo - man -
 Where shall we hide from Fair - y - land? We who are wo - man -
 Where shall we hide from Fair - y - land? We who are wo - man -

[236] Con moto moderato (♩ = 80)

pp tenuto ed espress.

born: A mu - sic of God's mak - ing to the word ____ of man's de - mand?

born: A mu - sic of God's mak - ing to the word ____ of man's de - mand?

born: A mu - sic of God's mak - ing to the word ____ of man's de - mand?

born: Mu - sic of God's mak - ing, word of man's de - mand?

pp

cresc.

Never an ear too dull to hear the call of the elf - - in horn, Nor an
 cresc.

Never an ear too dull to hear the call of the elf - - in horn, Nor an
 cresc.

Never an ear too dull to hear the call of the elf - - in horn, Nor an
 cresc.

Never an ear too dull to hear the call of the elf - - in horn, Nor an
 cresc.

cresc.

eye so blind but it shall find the way to Fair - y - land!

eye so blind but it shall find the way to Fair - y - land!

eye so blind but it shall find the way to Fair - y - land!

eye so blind but it shall find the way to Fair - y - land!

237

Rd. ff 3
Now it is known: the king-dom of fan - cy, found - - -

A. Auburn 3
Now it is known: the king-dom of fan - cy, found - - -

Rn. Robin 3
Now it is known: the king-dom of fan - cy, found - - -

How shall we dwell in Fair - y - land? We who are dust and

How shall we dwell in Fair - y - land? We who are dust and

How shall we dwell in Fair - y - land? We who are

How shall we dwell in Fair - y - land? We who are dust and

ff 2. ff 2.

Rd. - ed Firm in the flesh that hun - - gers,

A. - ed Firm in the flesh that hun - - gers,

Rn. - ed Firm in the flesh that hun - - gers, the

fire, Glo - - ry and gloom in-ter - wo - - ven, a

fire, Glo - - ry and gloom in - - - ter - wo - - ven, a

dust - and fire, Glo - - ry and gloom in-ter - wo - - ven, a

fire, Glo - - ry and gloom in - ter - wo - - ven, a

ff 2. ff 2.

238

Rd. the soul that knows. Now it is known: the

A. the soul that knows. Now it is known: the

Rn. soul that knows. Now it is known: the

dark and a shin-ing strand: How shall we dwell in

dark and a shin-ing strand: How shall we dwell in

dark and a shin-ing strand: How shall we dwell in

dark and a shin-ing strand: How shall we dwell in

238

Rd. king - dom, Throned up - on clay, with fire as a robe sur-

A. king - dom, Throned up - on clay, with fire as a robe sur-

Rn. king - dom, Throned up - on clay, with fire as a robe sur-

Fair - y - land? How shall we, how shall we dwell in Fair - y - land?

Fair - y - land? How shall we, how shall we dwell in Fair - y - land?

Fair - y - land? How shall we dwell in Fair - y - land?

How shall we dwell, how shall we dwell in Fair - y - land?

8

molto cresc. e rit.

Rd. round-ed with fire as a robe sur-
A. round-ed with fire as a robe sur-
Rn. round-ed with fire as a robe sur-

pp One in the pain we re - mem - ber, one in the joy we de-
pp One in the pain we re - mem - ber, one in the joy we de-
pp One in the pain we re - mem - ber, one in the joy we de-
pp One in the pain we re - mem - ber, one in the joy we de-
pp One in the pain we re - mem - ber, one in the joy we de-
pp molto cresc. e rit. 8

239 ff dim. molto 18
Rd. round - ed, Crowned with the light of a dream,
A. round - ed, Crowned with the light of a dream,
Rn. round - ed, Crowned with the light of a dream,
sire, Wak - ing on earth, dim. molto
8 239 ff 18
pp dim. molto 18

Rd. 18 with the light of heaven,
A. 18 with the light of heaven,
Rn. 18 with the light of heaven,
12 sleep - - ing in heav'n and dream - - ing,
sleep - - ing in heav'n dream - - ing,
sleep - - ing in heav'n and dream - - ing,
sleep - - ing in heav'n and dream - - ing,
12 sleep - - ing in heav'n and dream - - ing,

Rd. 3 cresc. crowned with the light of the
A. 3 cresc. crowned, and crowned with the light of the
Rn. 3 cresc. crowned with the light, crowned with the light of the
3 dream - - ing in Fair - - y -
3 dream - - ing in Fair - - y -
3 cresc. dream - - ing, and dream - - ing in Fair - - y -
3 dream - - ing, and dream - - ing in Fair - - y -

240

Rd. Rose! _____

A. Rose! _____

Rn. Rose! _____

Rd. land! _____

A. land! _____

Rn. land! _____

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Curtain

8

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