

Most Respectfully Dedicated to
Mr. Henry W. Longfellow.

SERENADE
FROM
"The Spanish Student"

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MUSIC BY
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FROM LONGFELLOW'S PLAY:

"THE SPANISH STUDENT."

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Moderato.

1. Stars of the sum - - - mer
 2. Moon of the sum - - - mer

mf LH. p

night! far in you a - - - zure deeps, hide,
 night! far down you wes - - - tern steeps, sink,

cresc. dim

hide your gol - - - den light;
 sink in sil - - - ver light;

cresc. dim

mf she sleeps! my la - dy sleeps! *p ritard* she sleeps! my la - dy sleeps! *pp*

The first system of the musical score features a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with a melodic phrase in treble clef, starting on a G4 and moving through A4, B4, and C5. The piano accompaniment consists of a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. Dynamic markings include *mf* at the start, *p ritard* in the middle, and *pp* at the end.

sleeps! sleeps! *ritard.*

The second system continues the vocal and piano parts. The vocal line has a long note on 'sleeps!' followed by a rest. The piano accompaniment continues with the eighth-note pattern. A *ritard.* marking is placed over the piano part towards the end of the system.

3. Winds of the sum - - - mer
4. Dreams of the sum - - - mer

The third system introduces two alternative vocal lines. The piano accompaniment features a more complex texture with chords and moving lines in both hands. A *p* dynamic marking is present. The system ends with a double bar line.

night! where yon - der wood - - - hine creeps, —
night! tell her, her lov - - - er keeps —

The fourth system continues the vocal and piano parts. The vocal line has a melodic phrase in treble clef. The piano accompaniment continues with the eighth-note pattern. The system concludes with a double bar line.

mf *cresc.*

fold, watch. fold while thy in pin slum - - -

mf *cresc.* *dim.*

mf

- - - ions light! she sleeps!
- - - bers light! she sleeps!

p ritard. *pp*

my la - dy sleeps! sleeps!
my la - dy sleeps! sleeps!

p ritard *pp*

ritard. *p*

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