

Ida Henriette da Fonseca

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Gedicht von Goethe

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Allegretto

Ida Henriette da Fonseca (1806-1858)

Canto

An dem reinsten Frühlingsmorgen ging die Schäferin und sang,

Piano-Forte

5

Jung und schön und oh - ne Sor - gen, dass es durch die Fel-der klang tra la la la Thyr-sis bot ihr für ein

10

Mäul - chen zwey, drey Schäf - chen gleich am Ort,
Schalk-haft blick - te sie ein

19

und der dritt - te bot sein Herz; doch sie trieb mit Herz un Bän - dern

23

so wie mit den Läm-mern Scherz, Nur tra la la la le ral - la la la la la la tra

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la la la Doch sie trieb mit Herz und Bän - dern so wie mit den Läm-mern Scherz.

Critical notes:

This score is the first modern edition of the song “Die spröde Schäferin. Gedicht von Goethe” (The Coy Shepherdess. Poem by Goethe) by the Danish composer “Ida Henriette da Fonseca” (1806-1858). For information on the composer see the article in “Dansk Kvindesbiografisk Leksikon”, <http://www.kvinfo.dk/side/597/bio/677/origin/170/query/fonseca/> by Lisbeth Ahlgren Jensen and, by the same author, “Det kvindelige spillerum”, Multivers, Copenhagen 2007. The source of this song is 2 printed volumes of solo songs with piano accompaniment “Romancer med Pianoforte-Accompagnement” published in Copenhagen by J.D.Qvist 1848-1853, preserved at the Royal Library of Copenhagen, Denmark. According to Lisbeth Ahlgren Jensen we have no other sources like manuscripts, sketches etc. of Ida Fonseca’s compositions.

The German poet Johann Wolfgang von Goethe” (1749–1832) wrote the poem “Die spröde Schäferin” in 1797 for a German translation of the comic opera, “L’Impresario in angustie” by Domenico Cimarosa (1749–1801).

This modern edition comes in 2 variants, an ‘urtext’ edition and a modernized edition. The urtext edition generally attempts to keep close to the original printing but may silently amend inconsequences in the use of short cut notations like repeated musical figures. In the modernized edition all notation short cuts have been expanded, the beaming of the vocal staff has been adapted to modern practices, and performance indications in the vocal staff have been copied to the right hand piano staff.

Ida Fonseca was a professional singer but never received an education as a composer. This is probably why you may encounter music technical flaws in the piano accompaniment. In the modernized the editor has amended some of these flaws, with corresponding annotations in the critical notes.

<i>Bar No.</i>	<i>Part</i>	<i>Note No.</i>	<i>Comment</i>
5–6	Pno		Sic! parallele octaves between pno 1 and r. Modified accomp. in revised version
		Orig. accomp. bar 5–6	
		Rev. accomp. bar 5–6	
13–14	Pno		Sic! parallele octaves between pno 1 and r. Modified accomp. in revised version
		Orig. accomp. bar 13–14	
		Rev. accomp. bar 13–14	
20–21	Pno		Sic! parallele octaves between pno 1 and r. Modified accomp. in revised version
		Orig. accomp. bar 20–21	
		Rev. accomp. bar 20–21	

<i>Bar No.</i>	<i>Part</i>	<i>Note No.</i>	<i>Comment</i>
28–29	Pno		Sic! parallele octaves between pno l and r and parallele fifths between pno l and solo v. Modified accomp. in revised version
		Orig. accomp. bar 28–29	
		Rev. accomp. bar 28–29	
31	Pno		Sic! parallele fifths and octaves between pno l and r. Modified accomp. in revised version
		Orig. accomp. bar 31	
		Rev. accomp. bar 31	