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THE BIRDS WILL COME AGAIN.

BALLAD.

Words by GEO. COOPER.

Music by J. R. THOMAS.

VOICE.

Allegretto.

PIANO.

2. Sun - light and sha - dow fell on the mea - dow;

1. Dead leaves were fall - ing, lone birds were call - ing

The first system of the musical score. It consists of a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment (grand staff). The vocal line begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The piano accompaniment starts with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The lyrics are: "2. Sun - light and sha - dow fell on the mea - dow;" and "1. Dead leaves were fall - ing, lone birds were call - ing".

Dew - drops were gleam - ing; the skies were bring - ing May; Soft winds were

Thro' sigh - ing val - leys, a gen - tle, sad fare - well; Some - bo - dy

The second system of the musical score. It continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "Dew - drops were gleam - ing; the skies were bring - ing May; Soft winds were" and "Thro' sigh - ing val - leys, a gen - tle, sad fare - well; Some - bo - dy".

play - ing; some - bo - dy *cresc.* stray - ing Seem'd ver - y care - less *dolce.* of

stray - ing, long was de - lay - ing; Fond lips were meet - ing, but

The third system of the musical score. It continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "play - ing; some - bo - dy *cresc.* stray - ing Seem'd ver - y care - less *dolce.* of" and "stray - ing, long was de - lay - ing; Fond lips were meet - ing, but".

beau - ties on the way! *poco riten.*

"Once more, my dar - ling, rob - in and *cresc.*

whose I'll nev - er tell. "Good - bye, my own love! for you a -

The fourth system of the musical score. It continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "beau - ties on the way! *poco riten.*" and "whose I'll nev - er tell. "Good - bye, my own love! for you a -".

star - ling Sing down the val - ley for - get - ting all their *riten.* pain.....

lone, love, My soul is pin - ing in sun - light and in rain,

colla voce.

Here by your side, love, now will I bide, love, Sigh not, for

Though we are part - ed, don't be sad - heart - ed: Win - ter will

dolce. birds, love, will al - ways come a - gain! Sigh not, for *dolce.* birds, love, will

pass, love, the birds will come a - gain! Win - ter will pass, love, the

al - ways come a - gain!"

birds will come a - gain!"

f colla voce.