

Grace Lowell
Inscribed to Clarence A. Lincoln. *Pleasant in Cur*

Softly o'er the rippling waters



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ANDANTE TRANQUILLO.

PIANO.

R. H.

Dim. e Rall.

2. Soft - ly o'er..... the rip-pling wa - ters Ear - ly stars..... in beau-ty

1. Soft - ly o'er . . . the rippling wa - ters Wander strains . . of mel-o -

shine, Lov - ing arms..... are twin - ing round me, Lov - ing
 - dy, While the sun, in glo - ry dy - - ing, Sinks be -

lips..... are press - ing mine. Sad yet sweet..... its mem - 'ry's
Slentando. *A Tempo.*
 - low the gold - en sea. E - choes on my heart are

vis - - ion, Sad - der still..... to bid fare - well!..... Who would
 fall - ing, Dreams of oth - - - er days a - rise, Hap - py

sigh..... could we but lin - - ger, Nev - er more..... to break the spell!
Calando.
 dreams of dear ones dwell - ing Far in yon - - der purple skies.

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CHORUS. (ad lib.)

SOPRANO.



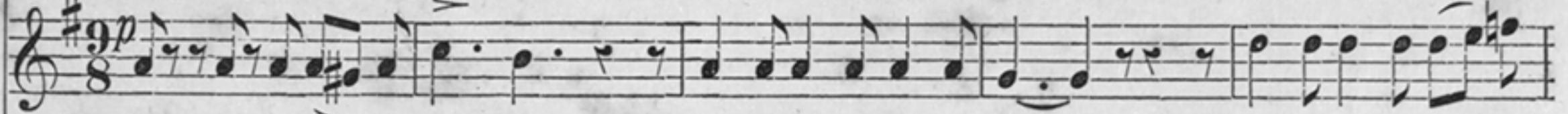
Hark! hark! the angels whisper, And they waft in ho-ly pow'r, Sounds of peace to those who

ALTO.



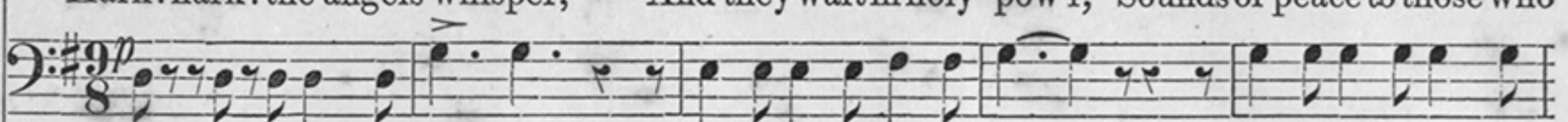
Hark! hark! the angels whisper, And they waft in holy pow'r, Sounds of peace to those who

TENOR.



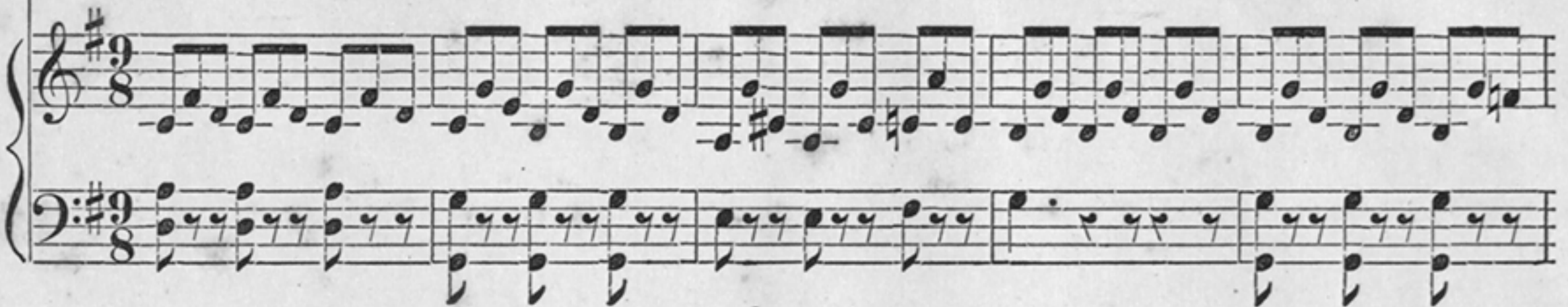
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