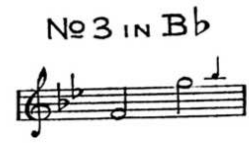
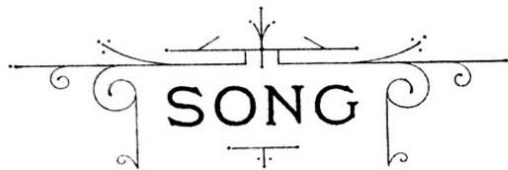


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I know as my life grows older,
And mine eyes have clearer sight,
That under each rank wrong, somewhere
There lies the root of Right;
That each sorrow has its purpose,
By the sorrowing oft unguessed,
But as sure as the sun brings morning,
Whatever is— is best.

I know that each sinful action,
As sure as the night brings shade,
Is somewhere, sometime punished,
Though the hour be long delayed.

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I know there are no errors
In the great Eternal plan,
And all things work together
For the final good of man.
And I know when my soul speeds onward,
In its grand Eternal quest,
I shall say as I look back earthward,
Whatever is— is best.

ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

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VOICE.

PIANO.

f *con Ped.* *mf* *p* *rit.*

know as my life grows old - er, — And mine eyes have clear - er sight, — That

mf *cresc.*

ten. *rit.* *a tempo*

un - der each rank wrong, some - where There lies the root of Right; — That each

ten. *rit.* *a tempo*

sor - row has — its pur - pose, — By the sor-row-ing oft un -

- guess'd, — But as sure as the sun brings morn - ing, What-ev - er — is — is

cresc. f *mf* *rall. ten.*

best. —

f

mf Poco più mosso.

I know that each sin - ful ac - tion, — As

più accel. *p rit -*

sure as the night brings shade, Is some-where, some-time pun - ish'd, — Tho' the

en. ten. rall - - - tando f ten.

hour be — long de - layed. — I

Poco maestoso.

know there are no er - rors — In the great E - ter - nal

plan, — And all things work to - geth - er — For the

fin - al — good of man. — And I know when my soul — speeds

cresc. *allargando*

on - ward, — In its grand E - ter - nal — quest, — I shall

cresc. *f* *allargando*

l. p. *ff rit. molto* *ten.*

say as I look back — earth - ward, What - ev - er is - is

ff

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best.

ff *rit.* *rall.*