

I WISH I WERE A TINY BIRD

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Allegretto

VOICE

PIANO

ten.
mf

Oh! I wish I were a ti - ny, brow-ny bird, from out the south,

p

Set - tled a-mong the al - der - holts, and twit-ter-ing by the stream; I would

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mf

put my ti - ny tail down, and put up my ti - ny

ten. *a tempo*

head, And sing my ti - ny life a - way in

one me-lo-dious dream...

mf

ten.

I would sing a-bout the blos-soms and the

p

sun - shine, and the sky, And the ti - ny love I mean to have in
 such a co - sy nest. And if some-one came and shot me dead, why
 then I could but die, With my ti - ny life and ti - ny song —
 just en-ded at their best.

rit. *ten.* *mf*
rit. *mf*
rit - en. *lento* *p*
rit - en. *p lento*

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