

To my Wife.
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(1849-1903)

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(1885-1918)

Part-song

Tranquillo

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Piano
(for practice only)

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S.

A.

T.

B.

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poco rall. *a tempo* *cresc.*

S. lin - gers, lin - gers as in con - tent, There falls on the

A. - gers lin - gers as in con - tent, There falls on the

T. lin - gers lin - gers as in con - tent, There falls on the

B. lin - gers, lin - gers as in con - tent, falls on the

B. as in con - tent, There falls on the

poco rall. *a tempo* *cresc.*

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S. old, grey ci - ty An in - fluence lum - in - ous

A. old, grey ci - ty An in - fluence lum - in - ous

T. old, grey ci - ty An in - fluence lum - in - ous

B. old, grey ci - ty An in - fluence, An in - fluence se -

B. old, grey ci - ty An in - fluence se -

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S. *f* lum - ³in - ous and se - rene, *dim.* A shin - ing

A. *f* lum - in - ous and se - rene, *dim.* A shin - ing peace, A shin - ing

T. *f* lum - ³in - ous and se - rene, *dim.* A shin - ing peace, A shin - ing

B. *f* rene, *dim.* A shin - ing A shin - ing

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S. *pp* peace. *mf* Più mosso The smoke as - cents

A. *pp* peace, A shin - ing peace. *mf* The smoke as -

T. *pp* peace, *mf* The

B. *pp* peace.

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S. *f*
 in a ro - sy and gold - en haze. The

A. *f*
 cends as - cends in a ro - sy and gold - en haze. The

T. *f*
 smoke as - cends in a ro - sy and gold - en haze. The

B. *f*
 The

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S. *rit.*
 spires shine, and are changed.

A. *p rit.*
 spires shine, and are changed. In the val - ley sha - dow

T. *rit.*
 spires shine, and are changed.

B. *p rit.*
 spires shine, and are changed. In the val - ley sha - dow

Tempo I.

S. *pp*
The lark sings on. The sun, Clo - sing his ben - e -

A. *pp*
rise, The lark sings on. The sun, Clo - sing his ben - e -

T. *pp*
The lark sings on. The sun, Clo - sing his ben - e -

B. *pp*
rise, The lark sing on. The sun, Clo - sing his ben - e -

B. *pp*
lark sing on. The sun, Clo - sing his ben - e -

Tempo I.

S. dic - tion, Sinks, and the dark-en-ing air, thrills with a

A. dic - tion, Sinks, and the dark-en-ing air, The dark-en-ing air

T. dic - tion, Sinks, and the dark-en-ing air thrills with a

T. Sinks, and the dark-en-ing air thrills with a

B. dic - tion, Sinks, and the dark-en-ing air, The dark-en-ing air

B. dic - tion, Sinks, and the dark-en-ing air, thrills with a

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S. sense of the tri - umph - ing night.

A. > thrills with a sense of the tri - umph - ing night. *mp* Night

T. sense of the tri - umph - ing night.

T. sense of the tri - umph - ing night.

B. thrills with a sense of the tri - umph - ing night. *mp* Night

B. sense of the tri - umph - ing night. *mp* Night

mp

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S. — with her train of stars And her great gift of sleep.

A. *pp* *rit.* — with her train of stars And her great gift of sleep.

T. — with her train of stars And her great gift of sleep.

B. *pp* *rit.* — with her train of stars And her great gift of sleep.

pp *rit.*

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S. *pp* *cresc.* *f*
 So be my pass - ing! My task ac - com - plished and the long day done, And in my

A. *pp* *cresc.* *f*
 So be my pass - ing My task ac - com - plish'd and the long day done, And in my

T. *pp* *cresc.* *f*
 So be my pass - ing My task ac - com - plish'd and the long day done, And in my

B. *pp* *cresc.* *f*
 So be my pass - ing My task ac - com - plish'd and the long day done, My wa - ges ta - ken, And

Tempo I.

pp *cresc.* *f*

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S. *dim.* *p*
 heart some late lark sing - - ing, Let

A. *dim.* *p*
 heart some late lark sing - - ing, Let

T. *dim.*
 heart late lark sing - - ing,

B. *dim.*
 in my heart some late lark sing - ing,

dim. *p*

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S. — me be gath - er'd to the quiet west, The sun - down splen - did

A. — me be gath - er'd to the quiet west, The sun - down splen - did, splen -

T. Let me be gath - er'd to the quiet west, The sun - down splen - did,

B. Let me be gath - er'd to the quiet west, The sun - down splen - did,

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S. splen - did and se - rene, Death.

A. - did and se - rene, Death.

T. splen - did and se - rene, Death.

B. splen - did and se - rene, Death.