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To the
Marchioness of Lansdowne

This Volume is Inscribed,

By her Ladyship's obliged

& faithful Servant,

Thomas Moore.

Stapleton Cottage

Devizes.

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Swiss Air

*In Moderate
Time and with
much Expression.*

In Moderate Time and with much Expression.

p

espress

smorz:

scherzoso

f

p

At morn, be-side yon summer sea, Young

Hope and Love re-clin'd; But scarce had noon-tide

come, when he In - to his bark leap'd smiling - ly, And

The first system of music consists of four measures. The vocal line begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The lyrics are: "come, when he In - to his bark leap'd smiling - ly, And". The piano accompaniment is in G major, with the right hand playing chords and the left hand playing a steady eighth-note bass line.

left poor Hope be - hind, And left poor Hope be - hind!

ten:

The second system of music consists of four measures. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "left poor Hope be - hind, And left poor Hope be - hind!". The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern. A "ten:" marking is placed below the piano part at the end of the system.

"I go", said Love, "to sail awhile A -

The third system of music consists of four measures. The vocal line begins with a double bar line and then continues with the lyrics: "'I go', said Love, 'to sail awhile A -". The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern.

cross this sunny main" And then so sweet his parting smile, That

The fourth system of music consists of four measures. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "cross this sunny main" And then so sweet his parting smile, That". The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern.

Hope, who, never dream'd of guile, Be - liev'd he'd come a -

The first system of the musical score, measures 1-4. It features a vocal line in treble clef and a piano accompaniment in grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The key signature has one sharp (F#). The lyrics are: "Hope, who, never dream'd of guile, Be - liev'd he'd come a -".

gain. Be - liev'd he'd come a - gain.

The second system of the musical score, measures 5-8. It continues the vocal and piano parts. The lyrics are: "gain. Be - liev'd he'd come a - gain." A fermata is placed over the final note of the vocal line. A small number '9' is written above the piano accompaniment in measure 8.

She lin-ger'd there 'till Evening's beam A - - long the wa - ters

The third system of the musical score, measures 9-12. The lyrics are: "She lin-ger'd there 'till Evening's beam A - - long the wa - ters".

lay; And o'er the sands, in thoughtful dream, Oft trac'd his name, which

The fourth system of the musical score, measures 13-16. The lyrics are: "lay; And o'er the sands, in thoughtful dream, Oft trac'd his name, which". A dynamic marking of *rf* (ritardando) is present in the piano accompaniment in measure 13. The system ends with a double bar line.

still the stream As often wash'd a - way, As often wash'd a -

way . At length, a sail ap-pears in sight, And

legati

tow'rd the Maid - en moves; — 'Tis Wealth that comes, and

gay and bright His golden bark re - flects the light — But,

ah, it is not Love's, it is not is not Love's!

pp

An-other sail 'twas Friendship show'd Her night-lamp o'er the sea; And

calm the light that lamp bestow'd, But Love had lights that warmer glow'd, And

where, alas! was He? And where, alas! was He?

f *p*

Now fast a-round the sea and shore Night threw her dark - ling

The first system of music consists of four measures. The vocal line is in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The piano accompaniment is in grand staff (treble and bass clefs) with the same key signature. The lyrics are written below the vocal line.

chain; The sun - ny sails were seen no more, Hope's

The second system of music consists of four measures. The vocal line continues with the lyrics. The piano accompaniment features a prominent chord in the second measure.

morning dreams of bliss were o'er - Love ne - ver came a -

The third system of music consists of four measures. The vocal line continues with the lyrics. The piano accompaniment continues with a steady rhythm.

gain! Love ne - ver came a - - gain!

ten: *pp* *dim*

The fourth system of music consists of four measures, ending with a double bar line. The vocal line concludes with the lyrics. The piano accompaniment includes dynamic markings *pp* (pianissimo) and *dim* (diminuendo). The page number 356 is printed below the system.

THERE COMES A TIME.*German Air.**Rather slow
and
With feeling*

The musical score is written for piano and voice. It begins with a treble and bass clef, a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#), and a 6/8 time signature. The first system includes dynamic markings 'p' (piano) and 'cres' (crescendo). The second system also includes a 'p' marking. The third system contains the first line of lyrics: 'There comes a time, a dreary time, To him, whose heart hath flown O'er'. The fourth system contains the second line of lyrics: 'all the fields of Youth's sweet prime, And made each flow'r its own. 'Tis'. The score concludes with a double bar line.

when his soul must first renounce Those dreams so bright, so fond - Oh

ten:

then's the hour to die at once, For life has nought be - yond.. A -

las, that time, that dreary time, To him, whose heart hath flown O'er

all the fields of Youth's sweet prime, And made each flow'r its own! -

The first system of the musical score consists of a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The key signature is D major (two sharps). The vocal line begins with a whole rest, followed by a half note D5, and then a quarter note E5. The piano accompaniment features a flowing eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a steady quarter-note bass line in the left hand.

When sets the Sun on Afric's shore, That instant all is night, And

The second system continues the musical piece with the same vocal and piano parts. The lyrics are printed below the vocal line.

so. should life at once be o'er, When Love withdraws his light. Nor,

The third system of the score follows, maintaining the musical structure and key signature. The lyrics are aligned with the vocal melody.

like our northern day gleam on Thro' twilight's dim de - lay - - The

The fourth system concludes the page. The lyrics end with 'The', and the word 'ten' is printed below the piano part. The musical notation includes various ornaments and phrasing slurs.

cold remains of lustre gone, Of fire, long pass'd a - way. - Oh.

The first system of music, measures 68-71, is in D major (two sharps). The vocal line begins with a treble clef and a key signature of two sharps. The piano accompaniment consists of a right-hand treble staff and a left-hand bass staff, both with two sharps. The melody is written in a simple, lyrical style with eighth and quarter notes.

yes, that time, that dreary time, To him, whose heart hath flown O'er

The second system of music, measures 72-75, continues the melody. It features a trill ornament on the eighth measure of the vocal line. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with sustained chords and moving lines in both hands.

all the fields of Youth's sweet prime, And made each flow'r its

The third system of music, measures 76-79, continues the melody. The piano accompaniment features a more active bass line with eighth-note patterns. The system concludes with a double bar line.

own.

The fourth system of music, measures 80-83, concludes the piece. The vocal line ends with a final note and a double bar line. The piano accompaniment continues with a few more measures, ending with a final chord. The page number 356 is printed below the system.

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MY HARP HAS ONE, UNCHANGING THEME. 69

Swedish Air.

With Mournful Languor.

The piano introduction is written for a grand piano in 2/4 time, featuring a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The music is characterized by a slow, mournful tempo. The right hand plays a series of descending eighth-note patterns, while the left hand provides a steady accompaniment of eighth notes. Dynamics include *p* (piano), *dim* (diminuendo), and *pp* (pianissimo).

My Harp has one, unchang-ing theme, One strain, that still comes

The first system of the song features a vocal melody in the right hand and piano accompaniment in the left hand. The melody is simple and direct, with lyrics: "My Harp has one, unchang-ing theme, One strain, that still comes". The piano accompaniment continues the descending eighth-note pattern from the introduction. Dynamics include *mf* (mezzo-forte) and *p* (piano).

o'er Its languid chord, as 'twere a dream Of Joy that's now no

The second system continues the vocal melody and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "o'er Its languid chord, as 'twere a dream Of Joy that's now no". The piano accompaniment maintains the same rhythmic pattern. Dynamics include *mf* (mezzo-forte) and *pp* (pianissimo).

more. In vain I try with livelier air To wake the breath-ing

The third system concludes the vocal melody and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "more. In vain I try with livelier air To wake the breath-ing". The piano accompaniment features triplets in the right hand, marked with a '3' and a slur. Dynamics include *mf* (mezzo-forte) and *pp* (pianissimo).

string, That voice of o - ther times is there, And saddens all I



sing.



Breathe on, breathe on, thou lan - guid strain, Hence-forth be all my



own, Though thou art oft so full of pain, Few hearts can bear thy



tone. Yet oft thou'rt sweet, as if the sigh, The breath that Pleasure's

wings Gave out, when last they wan - ton'd by, Were

still upon thy strings.

pp *cres* *smorz* *calando*

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OH! NO NOT EV'N WHEN FIRST WE LOV'D.

*Cashmerian Air.**In Moderate time
(not too slow)
and Tenderly.*

The musical score is written for piano and voice. It consists of five systems of music. The first system is an instrumental introduction in 3/8 time, marked 'In Moderate time (not too slow) and Tenderly.' It features a treble and bass staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 3/8 time signature. Dynamics include *p* (piano), *Cres* (crescendo), and *f* (forte). The second system continues the instrumental introduction. The third system begins the vocal melody with the lyrics 'Oh! no not ev'n when first we lov'd, Wert thou as dear as'. The fourth system continues the vocal melody with the lyrics 'now thou art; Thy beauty then my senses mov'd,'. The fifth system concludes the vocal melody with the lyrics 'But now thy virtues bind my heart — What was but'. The piano accompaniment continues throughout, with dynamics including *p*, *Cres*, *f*, and *pp* (pianissimo).

p *Cres* *f* *p* *Cres* *f*

p *Cres* *p* *pp*

Oh! no not ev'n when first we lov'd, Wert thou as dear as

Cres

now thou art; Thy beauty then my senses mov'd,

f *p*

But now thy virtues bind my heart — What was but

pp

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pas - sion's sigh be - fore, Has since been turn'd to

rea - - son's vow, And tho' I then might love thee

more, Trust me, I love - thee better better now!

smorz

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sfz

f

p

pp

mf

f

sfz

sfz

dim

pp

smorz

Although my heart, in ear - lier youth, Might kin - dle

with more wild de - sire, Be - lieve me, it has

dol

gain'd in truth Much more than it has lost in

f *p* *pp*

fire. The flame now warms my in - most core, That

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then but spar-kled o'er my brow; And tho' I

seem'd to love thee more, Yet, Oh! I love thee better better

now.

mf *sfz* *sfz*

p smorz *f* *pp*

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PEACE BE AROUND THEE.

Scotch Air.

Affectionately

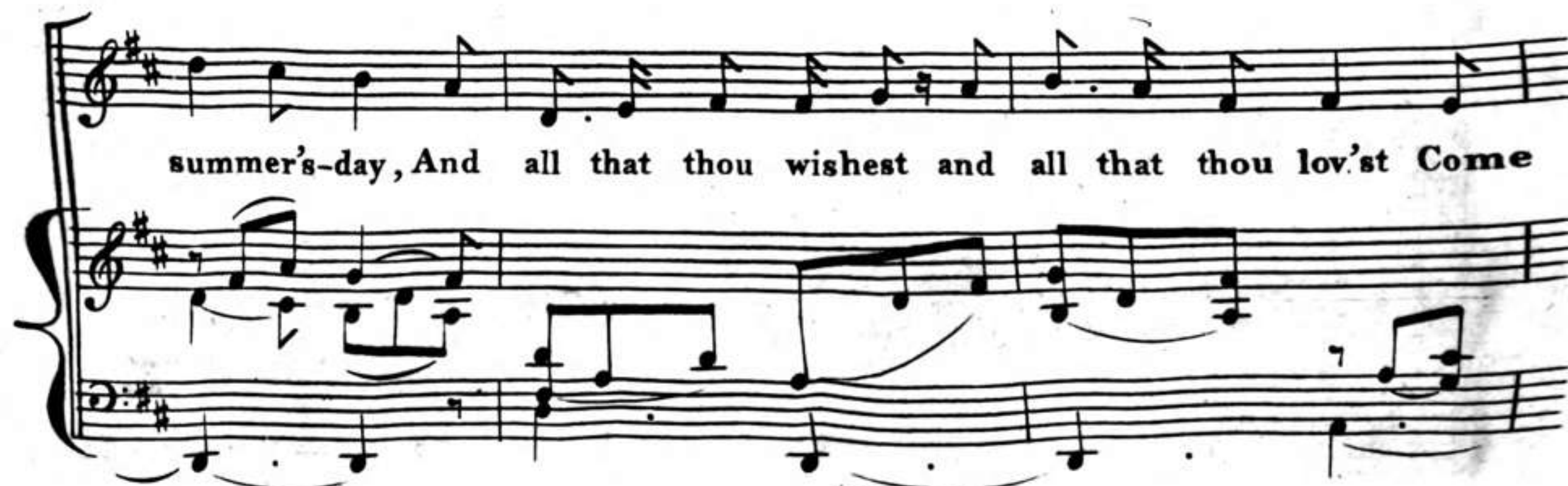


Soave

Peace be around thee, wher - ever thou rov'st, May life be, for thee, one



summer's-day, And all that thou wishest and all that thou lov'st Come



smiling around thy sunny way! If sorrow e'er this calm should break, May

ev'n thy tears pass off so light-ly, Like spring-show'rs, they'll

on - - ly make The smiles that fol - low shine more brightly!

May

cres *mf* *pp* *sosten:*

cres *mf* *pp*

dol:e sosten: *cres* *p*

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Time, who sheds his blight o'er all, And dai-ly dooms some joy to death, O'er
thee let years so gently fall They shall not crush one flow'r beneath! As
half in shade and half in Sun, This world along its path advances,
May that side the Sun's upon, Be all that shall e-ver meet thy glances!

dol:ed espres
sosten:
dol: e sosten:
cres
mf
pp
cres
p

PEACE BE AROUND THEE.

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DUETT.

Scotch Air.

Affectionately

p

sosten *cres* *pp*

Soave

Peace, be around thee, wher - ever thou rov'st, May life be for thee, one

Soave

Peace be wher - ever thou rov'st, May life be one

summer's day, And all that thou wishest and all that thou lov'st Come

summer's day, And all that thou wishest and lov'st

smiling a-round thy sun-ny way! If sorrow e'er this calm should
Come smiling a-round thy way! If sorrow e'er this calm should

break, May ev'n thy tears pass off so light-ly, Like spring show'rs, they'll
break, May ev'n thy tears pass off so light-ly, Like spring show'rs, they'll

on - - ly make The smiles that fol-low shine more bright-ly!
on - - ly make The smiles that follow shine brightly!

May

dol: e sosten: *cres* *p*

Time, who sheds his blight o'er all, And dai - ly dooms some
who sheds his blight o'er all, And dooms some

joy to death, O'er thee let years so gent - ly fall They shall not crush one
joy to death, let years so gent - ly fall They shall not crush one

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flow'r beneath! As half in shade and half in sun, This world a-long its

flow'r beneath! As half in shade and half in sun, This world a-long its

dol: ed espress:

path advances, May that side the Sun's up-on, Be all that e'er shall

path advances, May that side the Sun's up-on, Be all that e'er shall

cres

espress:

meet thy glances!

meet thy glances!

pp dol: e sosten: cres p pp



COMMON SENSE, and GENIUS.



Drawn by Tho^s Stothard R.A.

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One his eye ne'er rais'd
From the path before him
T'other idly gaz'd
On each night cloud o'er him.
While I touch &c. &c.

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COMMON SENSE AND GENIUS.

French Air.

*Moderately
quick (and
Playfully.*

While I touch the string, Wreathe my brows with laurel,

For the Tale I sing Has, for once, a moral! Common-Sense one night,

Tho' not us'd to gambols, Went out, by moonlight, With Genius on his rambles.—

While I touch the string, Wreathe my brows with laurel, For the Tale I sing,

Has, for once, a moral!

p *f* *Cres* *f*

Common Sense went on, Many wise things saying; While the light that shone

pp

Soon set Genius straying. *One* his eye ne'er rais'd From the path before him;

T'other i_dly gaz'd On each night-cloud o'er him. While I touch the string,

Wreathe my brows with laurel, For the Tale I sing, Has, for once, a moral!

So they came, at last,

To a shady river;— Common-Sense soon pass'd, Safe,— as he doth ever.

While the boy, whose look Was in heav'n that minute, Never saw the brook, But

tumbled headlong in it! While I touch the string, Wreath my brows with laurel,

smorz:

For the Tale I sing, Has, for once, a moral!

p *f* *Cres* *f*

How the Wise one smil'd, When safe o'er the torrent, At that youth, so wild,

pp *rf*

Espress: e un poco piu lento.

Dripping from the current. Sense went home to bed, - Genius left to shiver

Largo, e molto espress: Tempo Primo e scherzoso.

On the bank, 'tis said, Died of that cold ri-ver! While I touch the string,

Wreathe my brows with laurel, For the Tale I sing, Has, for once, a moral!

f ff rf

THEN, FARE THEE WELL.

Old English Air.

*With Melancholy
and Tender
Expression!*

Then fare thee well, my
own dear love, This world has now for us No
greater grief, no - pain a - bove The pain of part - ing
thus, dear love! The pain of parting thus! Had

p sosten f p pp
f p espress dolce

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we but known, since first we met, Some few short hours of
bliss, We might, in numb'ring them, forget The deep deep pain of
this, dear love! The deep deep pain of this. But
no, a-las - We've never seen One glimpse of pleasure's ray, But

mf pp
f p espress: dol:

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still. there came some cloud between, And chas'd it all a - way, dear love! And

chas'd it all a - way! Yet ev'n could those sad moments last, Far
espress: dolce *pp*

dearer to - my heart Were hours of grief, to - ge - ther past, Than

years of mirth a - part, dear love! Than years of mirth a - part.
f *p* espress:

Fare well— our hope was born in fears, And

dolce

This system contains the first four measures of the piece. It features a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is common time (C). The lyrics 'Fare well— our hope was born in fears, And' are written under the vocal line. The piano part includes a 'dolce' marking.

nurs'd 'mid vain re-grets; Like win-ter suns, it

This system contains measures 5 through 8. The lyrics 'nurs'd 'mid vain re-grets; Like win-ter suns, it' are written under the vocal line. The piano accompaniment continues with flowing sixteenth-note patterns.

rose in tears, Like them in tears it sets, dear love! Like

This system contains measures 9 through 12. The lyrics 'rose in tears, Like them in tears it sets, dear love! Like' are written under the vocal line. The piano accompaniment features more complex harmonic textures.

them in tears it sets.

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This system contains measures 13 through 16, which conclude the piece. The lyrics 'them in tears it sets.' are written under the vocal line. The piano part ends with a final chord. A page number '356' is printed at the bottom center of the page.

GAILY SOUNDS THE CASTANET.

*Maltese Air.**Lively but
not too quick?*

f *p dol* *f* *stacc molto*

Gai - - ly sounds the Cas - ta - net, Beating time to
bound - ing feet, When, af - ter day - light's gold - en set,

Maids and Youths by moon-light meet. Oh! then, how

The first system of the musical score, measures 1-4. It features a vocal line in treble clef and a piano accompaniment in grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The key signature is two sharps (F# and C#). The vocal line begins with a half note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5. The piano accompaniment starts with a half note G3, followed by quarter notes A3, B3, and C4. Dynamics include *mf* and *p*. There are sixteenth-note runs in the piano part in measures 3 and 4.

sweet to move Thro' all that maze of mirth, - -

The second system of the musical score, measures 5-8. The vocal line continues with quarter notes D5, E5, and F#5, followed by a half note G5. The piano accompaniment features a continuous sixteenth-note pattern in the right hand and a simpler bass line in the left hand. Dynamics include *mf* and *p*.

Lighted by those eyes we love, Be-yond all eyes - on

The third system of the musical score, measures 9-12. The vocal line has quarter notes G4, A4, B4, and C5, followed by a half note D5. The piano accompaniment continues with sixteenth-note patterns. Dynamics include *mf* and *p*.

earth.

The fourth system of the musical score, measures 13-16. The vocal line consists of a half note G4, followed by a whole rest. The piano accompaniment features a dense, rapid sixteenth-note pattern in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. Dynamics include *f* and *ff*.

Then, the joy-ous banquet spread On the cool and fragrant ground, With
night's bright eye-beams, o-ver head, And still brighter sparkling round.
Oh! then, how sweet to say In-to the lov'd one's ear, -
Thoughts reserv'd through many a day, To be thus whisper'd here.

stacc molto
mf *p*
cres
f *ff* *sf*

Detailed description: This is a musical score for a voice and piano piece, spanning measures 94 to 103. The music is in the key of D major (two sharps) and 4/4 time. The vocal line is written in a soprano or alto clef, and the piano accompaniment is in a grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The lyrics are: 'Then, the joy-ous banquet spread On the cool and fragrant ground, With night's bright eye-beams, o-ver head, And still brighter sparkling round. Oh! then, how sweet to say In-to the lov'd one's ear, - Thoughts reserv'd through many a day, To be thus whisper'd here.' The piano part features a variety of textures, including arpeggiated chords, sixteenth-note patterns, and sustained chords. Dynamic markings include *stacc molto*, *mf*, *p*, *cres*, *f*, *ff*, and *sf*. The score ends with a double bar line at measure 103.

When the dance and feast are done, Arm in arm as home we stray; How

sweet to see the dawn-ing sun O'er her cheek's warm blushes play!

Then, then the fare-well kiss, And words whose part-ing tone - -

Lin-gers still in dreams of bliss, That haunt young hearts a-lone...

f *ff*

LOVE IS A HUNTER BOY.

*Languedocian Air**In Moderate
time and
with Simplicity*

The musical score is written for piano and features five systems of music. The first system includes a tempo and style instruction. The second and third systems contain performance markings. The fourth system includes a vocal line with lyrics. The fifth system continues the piano accompaniment with a performance marking.

p *pp*

slentando *dol*

slentando

pp e legati

Love is a hun - ter - boy, Who makes young hearts his prey;

And in his nets of Joy En-snares them night and day.

The first system of the musical score, measures 1-4. It features a vocal line in treble clef and a piano accompaniment in grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The key signature has one sharp (F#). The lyrics are: "And in his nets of Joy En-snares them night and day."

In vain conceal'd they lie, Love tracks them ev'ry where;

The second system of the musical score, measures 5-8. The lyrics are: "In vain conceal'd they lie, Love tracks them ev'ry where;"

In vain a - loft they fly, - - - Love shoots them fly - ing

The third system of the musical score, measures 9-12. The lyrics are: "In vain a - loft they fly, - - - Love shoots them fly - ing"

there.

pp *pp* *slentando*

The fourth system of the musical score, measures 13-16. The lyrics are: "there." The piano part includes dynamic markings: *pp*, *pp*, and *slentando*.

But 'tis his joy most sweet, At ear-ly dawn to trace The print of

pp *elegati*

This system contains the first four measures of the piece. The vocal line begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The piano accompaniment starts with a grand staff (treble and bass clefs) and the same key signature. The tempo/mood is marked *pp* (pianissimo) and *elegati* (elegantly).

Beau-ty's feet, And give the trembler chace. And most he

This system contains measures 5 through 8. The musical notation continues with the same key signature and instrumental texture.

loves through snow To track those footsteps fair, For then the Boy doth

This system contains measures 9 through 12. The vocal line continues with the lyrics, and the piano accompaniment maintains its accompanimental pattern.

know None track'd be-fore him there.

f *ff*

This system contains the final four measures (13-16) of the piece. It concludes with a double bar line. The piano part features a crescendo, marked with *f* (forte) and *ff* (fortissimo) dynamics.

COME CHASE THAT STARTING TEAR AWAY.

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French Air.

*With Lightness
and
Expression.*

The musical score is written for piano and voice. It begins with a piano introduction in 6/8 time, featuring a treble and bass staff. The introduction is marked 'With Lightness and Expression'. The first system of the introduction shows a treble staff with a melody of eighth and sixteenth notes, and a bass staff with a simple accompaniment. The second system continues the introduction. The third system ends with a double bar line. The fourth system begins the vocal melody in the treble staff, with the lyrics 'Come, chase that start - ing tear away, Ere mine to meet it springs; To-' written below. The piano accompaniment continues in the bass staff. The fifth system continues the vocal melody with the lyrics 'night, at least, to - night be gay, What - e'er to - morrow brings! Like'. The piano accompaniment continues in the bass staff. The score concludes with a final double bar line.

sun-set gleams, that lin-ger late, When all is dark'ning fast, Are

hours like these we snatch from fate, The brightest and the last. Then

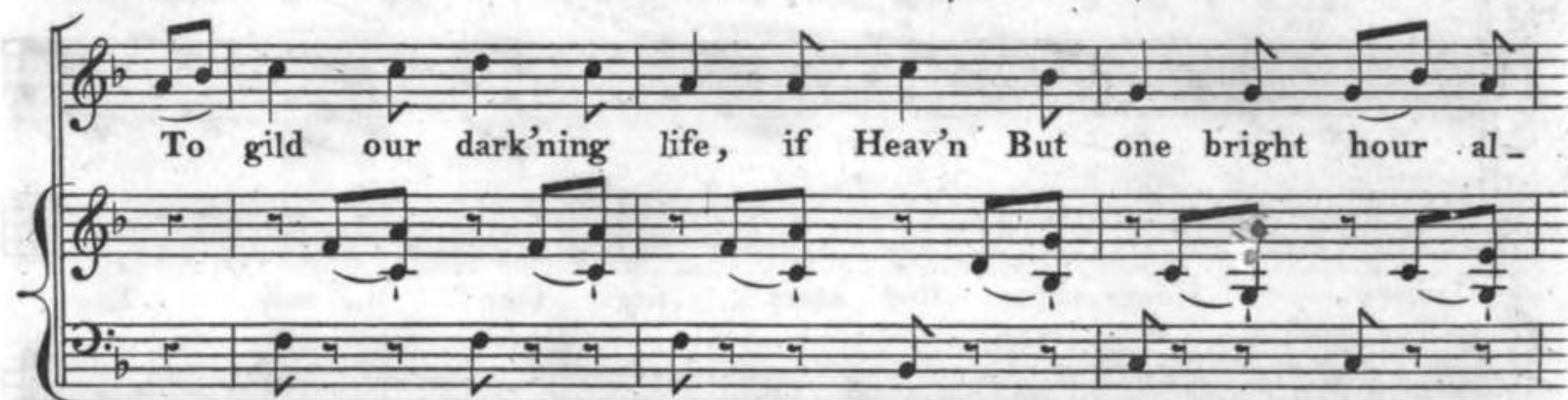
chase that starting tear away, Ere mine to meet it springs, To-

night, at least, to-night be gay, What-e'er to-morrow brings.

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Piano introduction in B-flat major, 4/4 time. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes. A *pp* (pianissimo) dynamic marking is present in the second measure of the left hand.



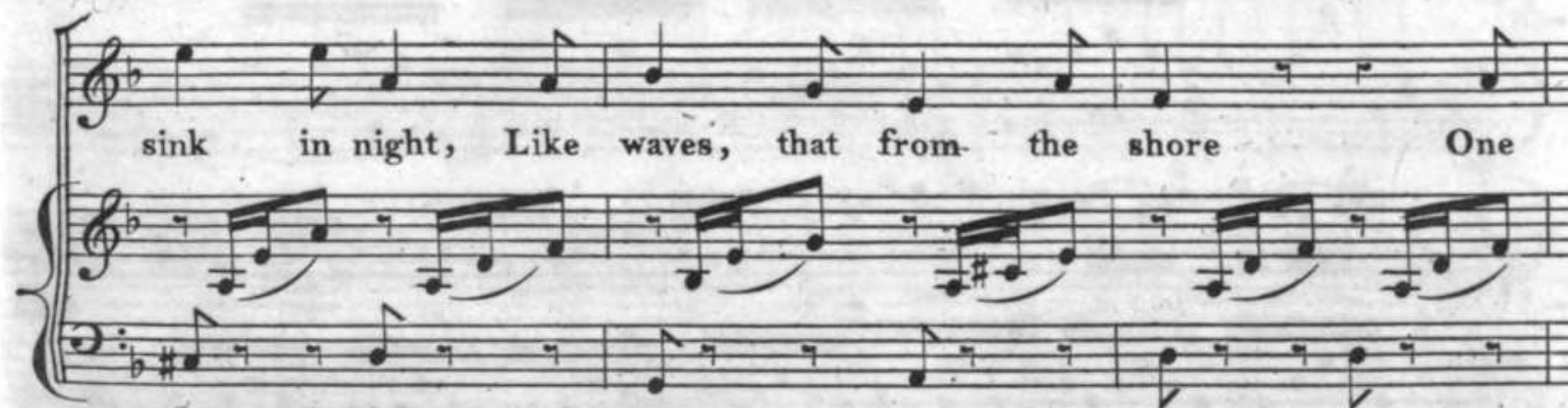
Vocal and piano accompaniment for the first line of the song. The vocal line begins with the lyrics "To gild our dark'ning life, if Heav'n But one bright hour al-". The piano accompaniment continues with a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a more active bass line in the left hand.



Vocal and piano accompaniment for the second line of the song. The vocal line continues with the lyrics "low, Oh! think that one bright hour is giv'n In". The piano accompaniment maintains its accompaniment pattern.



Vocal and piano accompaniment for the third line of the song. The vocal line continues with the lyrics "all its splen-dour now. Let's live it out— then". The piano accompaniment continues with the same accompaniment pattern.



Vocal and piano accompaniment for the fourth line of the song. The vocal line continues with the lyrics "sink in night, Like waves, that from the shore One". The piano accompaniment concludes the phrase with a final chord in the right hand and a sustained note in the left hand.

ad lib:

minute swell are touch'd with light, Then lost for e - ver

Colla Voce

more. Come, chase that start - - ing tear a - way, Ere

a Tempo

mine to meet it springs; To - night, at least, to -

night be gay, What - e'er to - mor - row brings.

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JOYS OF YOUTH, HOW FLEETING!

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Portuguese Air

*Smoothly
and in
Moderate time.*



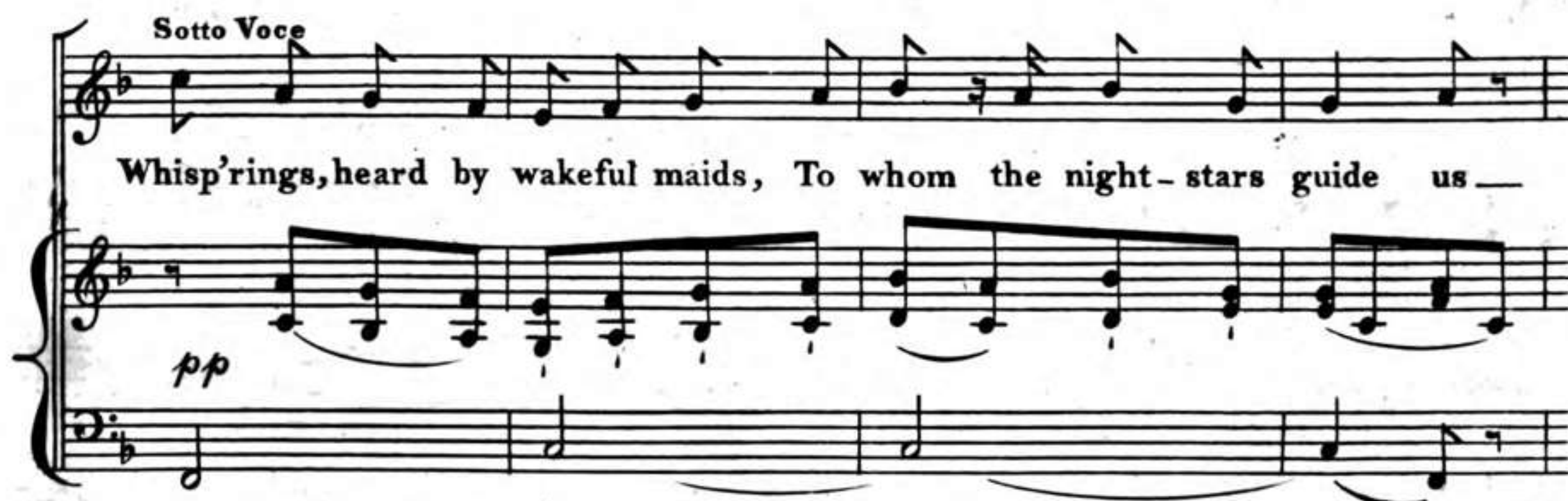
pp *legati* *cres* *f* *p*



pp *sosten:* *pp* *sosten:*

Sotto Voce

Whisp'rings, heard by wakeful maids, To whom the night-stars guide us —



pp *pp*

Stolen walks through moon-light shades, With those we love be-side us —



pp *pp*

Hearts beating, at meeting, Tears start-ing, at part-ing—

The first system of the musical score, measures 1-4. It features a vocal line with a treble clef and a piano accompaniment with grand staves. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are: "Hearts beating, at meeting, Tears start-ing, at part-ing—".

Oh! sweet youth, how soon it fades, Sweet joys of youth, how

The second system of the musical score, measures 5-8. The lyrics are: "Oh! sweet youth, how soon it fades, Sweet joys of youth, how".

fleeting!

p *dol* *f* *p*

The third system of the musical score, measures 9-12. The lyrics are: "fleeting!". The piano accompaniment includes dynamic markings: *p* (piano), *dol* (dolente), *f* (forte), and *p* (piano).

Sotto Voce
Wand'rings far a-way from home, With life all new be-fore us;

pp

The fourth system of the musical score, measures 13-16. It is marked *Sotto Voce*. The lyrics are: "Wand'rings far a-way from home, With life all new be-fore us;". The piano accompaniment includes the dynamic marking *pp* (pianissimo).

Greetings warm, when back we come, From hearts, whose pray'rs watch'd

o'er us! Tears starting, at parting Hearts beat-ing, at meeting,

Oh! sweet youth, how lost on some, To some how bright and

fleeting!

p *dol* *f* *p*

JOYS OF YOUTH, HOW FLEETING!

DUETT.

*Portuguese Air.**Smoothly
and in
Moderate time.*

The musical score is written for a duet, featuring a piano accompaniment and two vocal parts. The piano part begins with a 2/4 time signature and a key signature of one flat. It includes dynamic markings such as *pp*, *legati*, *cres*, *f*, *p*, *sosten*, and *dol*. The vocal parts enter with the lyrics: "Whisp'rings, heard by wakeful maids, To whom the night-stars guide us —". The piano accompaniment continues with a melody that supports the vocal lines. The score concludes with the lyrics: "Stolen walks through moon-light shades, With those we love be-side us —".

Whisp'rings, heard by wakeful maids, To whom the night-stars guide us —

Whisp'rings, heard by wakeful maids, To whom the night-stars guide us —

Stolen walks through moon-light shades, With those we love be-side us —

Stolen walks through moon-light shades, With those we love be-side us —

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Hearts beat-ing, at meet-ing, Tears start-ing at part-ing

Hearts beat-ing, at meet-ing, Tears start-ing at part-ing

Oh! sweet youth, how soon it fades, Sweet joys of youth, how fleet-ing!

sweet youth, how soon it fades, Sweet joys of youth, how fleet-ing!

dol

dol

Wand'rings far a-way from home, With life all new be-fore us;

dol

Wand'rings far a-way from home, With life all new be-fore us;

pp

Greet_ings warm when back we come, From hearts, whose pray'rs watch'd

Greet_ings warm when back we come, From hearts, whose pray'rs watch'd

The first system of the musical score, measures 1-4. It features a vocal melody in the upper staves and a piano accompaniment in the lower staves. The lyrics are "Greet_ings warm when back we come, From hearts, whose pray'rs watch'd".

o'er us! Tears start_ing, at parting, Hearts beat_ing, at meeting—

o'er us! Tears start_ing, at parting, Hearts beat_ing, at meeting—

The second system of the musical score, measures 5-8. The lyrics continue: "o'er us! Tears start_ing, at parting, Hearts beat_ing, at meeting—".

Oh! sweet youth, how lost on some, To some how bright and fleet_ing!

sweet youth, how lost on some, To some how bright and fleet_ing!

The third system of the musical score, measures 9-12. The lyrics are "Oh! sweet youth, how lost on some, To some how bright and fleet_ing!".

The fourth system of the musical score, measures 13-16. It includes dynamic markings: *dol* (dolce), *f* (forte), and *p* (piano). The system concludes with a double bar line.

HEAR ME BUT ONCE.

(French Air.)

With Expression?

p

pp

f

Hear me but once, while o'er the grave, In which our Love lies cold and dead,

mf

calando

I count each flatt'ring hope he gave Of joys now lost and charms now fled.

calando

mf

Who could have thought the smile he wore, When first we met, would
fade a - way? Or that a chill would e'er come o'er Those
eyes, so bright through many a day!

calando

HEAR ME BUT ONCE.

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DUETT.

French Air.

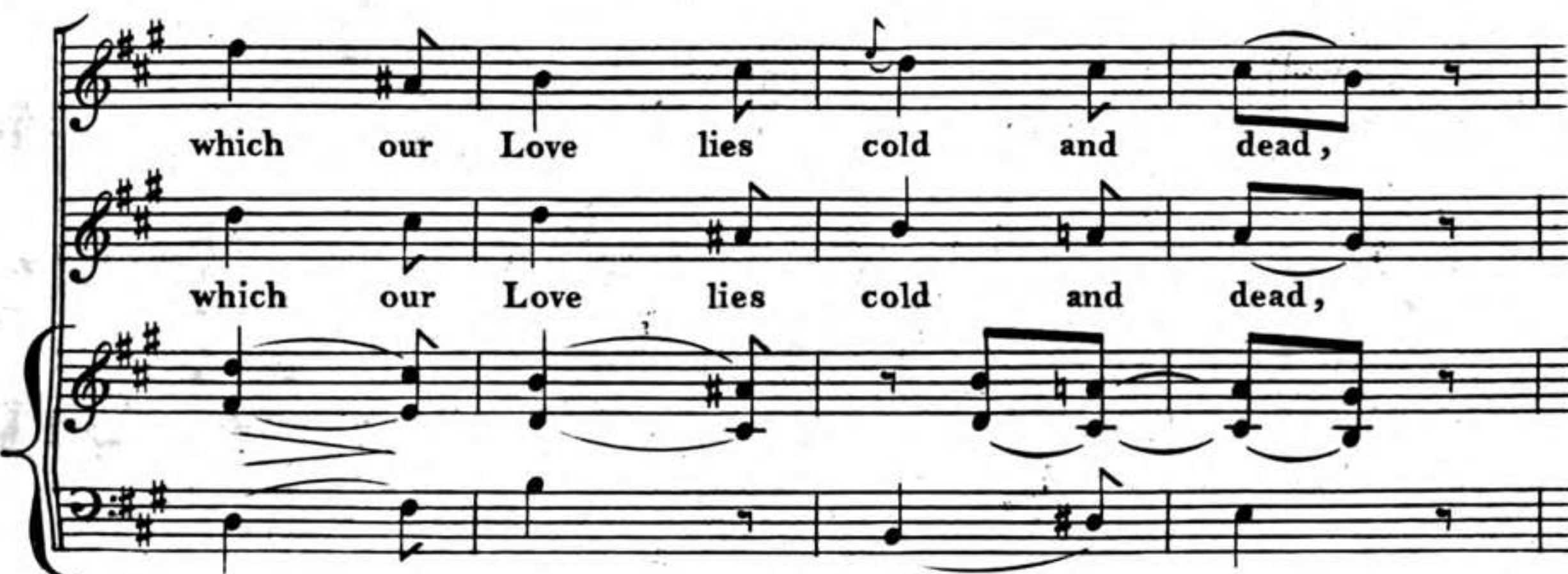
With Expression?



espress
Hear me but once, while o'er the grave, In
espress
Hear me but once, while o'er the grave, In



which our Love lies cold and dead,
which our Love lies cold and dead,



I count each flatt'r - - ing hope he gave Of
I count each hope he gave Of

cres *calando*
joys *cres* now lost and charms now fled!
joys - - now lost and charms now fled!

f *pp* *ppp* *mf*

f *p*

Who would have thought the smile he wore, When first we met, would

Who would have thought the smile he wore, When first we met, would

fade a - way? Or that a chill would e'er come o'er Those eyes so

fade a - way? Or a chill come o'er Those eyes so

bright through many a day!

bright through many a day!

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