

DIE VERSCHWIEGENEN THE FLOWERS' SECRET

(Hermann v. Gilm)

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Für mittlere Stimme
For a medium voice

Richard Strauss, Op. 10, Nr. 6

Non troppo presto.

Gesang
Voice

Piano

Ich ha - be wohl, es sei hier laut vor
Yes, it is true that I re - vealed how

al - ler Welt ver - kün - digt, gar vie - len heim - lich an - ver - traut,
deep - ly you did grieve me. I told what I had long con - cealed:

was du an mir ge - sün - digt; ich sagt's dem gan - zen Blu - men -
how you could love and leave me. I told it to the flow' - rets

heer, dem Veil - chen sagt' ich's stil - le, der Ro - se
all: the vio - let heard my whis - per, the rose my

laut und lau - - ter der groß - - äü - gi - gen Ka - mil - le.
cry, my loud — plaint, the large o - pen-eyed ca - me - lia.

Doch hat's da - bei noch kei - ne Not, bleib' mun -
But do not fear what - e'er I said; live on —

- ter nur und hei - ter; die es ge - wußt sind al - le tot
— in fame and glor - y; the flou'rs I told long since are dead,

und sa - gen's nicht mehr wei - ter.
they'll ne'er re - peat the stor - y.