

# A Rose-bud

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Tenor

Baritone

Bass

1. A Rose - bud by my ear - ly walk a - down a corn en - clos - ed bawk, sae

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T

B

B

all on a dew - y morn - ing

gent - ly bent its thorn - y stalk all on a dew - y morn - ing. Ere twice the shades o'

all on a dew - y morn - ing. Ere twice the shades o'

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T

B

B

it

dawn are fled, in a' its crim - son glo - ry spread, and droop - ing rich the dew - y head, it

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T scents the ear - ly morn - ing. 2. With - in the bush her co - vert nest A litt - le lin-net

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T fond - ly prest, The dew sat chil - ly on her breast Sae ear - ly in the morn - ing. She

B fond - ly prest, The dew sat chil - ly on her breast Sae ear - ly in the morn - ing. She

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T soon shall see her ten - der brood The pride, the plea - sure o' the wood A - mang the fresh green

B soon shall see her ten - der brood The pride, the plea - sure o' the wood A - mang the fresh green

B soon shall see her ten - der brood The pride, the plea - sure o' the wood A - mang the fresh green

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T leaves be-dew'd, A - wake the ear - ly morn - ing. 3. So thou, young bird, young Jea - ny fair, On

B leaves be-dew'd, A - wake the ear - ly morn - ing. 3. So thou, young bird, young Jea - ny fair, On

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T  
8  
tremb-ling string or voc - al air Shall sweet-ly pay the ten - der care That tents thy ear - ly

B  
8  
tremb-ling string or voc - al air Shall sweet-ly pay the ten - der care That tents thy ear - ly

B  
8  
tremb-ling string or voc - al air Shall sweet-ly pay the ten - der care That tents thy ear - ly

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T  
8  
morn - ing. So thou, sweet rose-bud young and gay, Shalt beau-teous blaze up - on the day And

B  
8  
morn - ing. So thou, sweet rose-bud young and gay, Shalt beau-teous blaze up - on the day And

B  
8  
morn - ing. So thou, sweet rose-bud young and gay, Shalt beau-teous blaze up - on the day And

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T  
8  
bless the par - ents' even - ing ray That watch'd thy ear - ly morn - ing.

B  
8  
bless the par - ents' even - ing ray That watch'd thy ear - ly morn - ing.

B  
8  
bless the par - ents' even - ing ray That watch'd thy ear - ly morn - ing.