



Stars of the
summer night

John L. Watton
(1809-1886)

John Liptrot Hatton (1809-1886) was born in Liverpool. He received a rudimentary music education as a child, but was essentially a self-taught musician. He held several appointments as organist in Liverpool and appeared as an actor on the Liverpool stage. He relocated to London in 1832 as a member of Macready's company at Drury Lane and began to establish himself as a composer. His first operetta, "Queen of the Thames", was successful in 1844; he then went to Vienna and brought out his opera "Pascal Bruno." He wrote several songs on his return to England and appeared at the Hereford festival as a singer. He also undertook piano concert tours at this time. From 1848 to 1850 he was in America, giving public and private concerts in New York City. Notably, in 1848, he shared the stage in Pittsburgh, PA with Stephen C. Foster. Returning to England, he became conductor of the Glee and Madrigal Union and director of music at the Princess's Theatre, London. He wrote operas, cantatas, incidental music, anthems, cathedral pieces, and many songs. His part-songs were regarded as some of the best of the genre. Hatton's daughter, Frances J. Hatton, emigrated to Canada in 1869, where she became a respected composer and the singing instructor at the Hellmuth Ladies College in London, Ontario.

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Allegretto ♩ = 168

S Stars of the sum - mer night! Far in yon az - ure

A Stars of the sum - mer night!

T Stars of the sum - mer night! Far in yon az - ure

B Stars of the sum - mer night!

7

S deeps, Hide, hide your gold - en light! She

A Far in yon az - ure deeps, Hide, hide your gold - en light! She

T deeps, Hide, hide your gold - en light! She

B Far in yon az - ure deeps, Hide, hide your gold - en light! She



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13 *dolce*

S sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! Stars of the sum - mer

A sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! *pp* My la - dy sleeps! She

T sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! *pp* My la - dy sleeps! She

B sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! *pp* My la - dy sleeps! She

19 *pp*

S night! Hide, hide your gold - en light! She

A sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! She sleeps! She

T sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! She sleeps! She

B sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! She sleeps! She

25

S sleeps! My la - dy sleeps!

A sleeps! My la - dy sleeps!

T sleeps! My la - dy sleeps!

B sleeps! My la - dy sleeps!

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31

S *pp* Sleeps! _____

A *pp* Sleeps! _____

T *pp* Sleeps! _____

B *pp* Sleeps! _____

37

S *p* Moon of the sum - mer night! _____ Far down yon west - ern

A *p* Moon of the sum - mer night!

T *p* Moon of the sum - mer night! _____ Far down yon west - ern

B *p* Moon of the sum - mer night!

43

S _____ Steeps, _____ Sink, sink in sil - ver light! _____ She

A Far down yon west - ern steeps, _____ Sink, sink in sil - ver light! _____ She

T _____ Steeps, _____ Sink, sink in sil - ver light! _____ She

B Far down yon west - ern steeps, _____ Sink, sink in sil - ver light! _____ She

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49 *dolce*

S sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! _____ Moon of the sum - mer

A sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! *pp* My la - dy sleeps! _____ She

T sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! *pp* My la - dy sleeps! _____ She

B sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! *pp* My la - dy sleeps! _____ She

55

S night! Sink, sink in sil - ver light! _____ *pp* She

A sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! _____ She sleeps! _____ *pp* She

T sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! _____ She sleeps! _____ *pp* She

B sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! _____ She sleeps! _____ She

61

S sleeps! _____ My la - dy sleeps! _____

A sleeps! _____ My la - dy sleeps! _____

T sleeps! _____ My la - dy sleeps! _____

B sleeps! _____ My la - dy sleeps! _____

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67

S *pp* Sleeps! _____

A *pp* Sleeps! _____

T *pp* Sleeps! _____

B *pp* Sleeps! _____

73

S *p* Wind of the sum - mer night! _____ Where yon - der wood - bine

A *p* Wind of the sum - mer night! _____

T *p* Wind of the sum - mer night! _____ Where yon - der wood - bine

B *p* Wind of the sum - mer night! _____

79

S creeps, _____ Fold, fold thy pin - ions light! _____ She

A Where yon - der wood - bine creeps, _____ Fold, fold thy pin - ions light! _____ She

T creeps, _____ Fold, fold thy pin - ions light! _____ She

B Where yon - der wood - bine creeps, _____ Fold, fold thy pin - ions light! _____ She

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85 *dolce*

S sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! _____ Wind of the sum - mer

A sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! *pp* My la - dy sleeps! _____ She

T sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! *pp* My la - dy sleeps! _____ She

B sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! *pp* My la - dy sleeps! _____ She

91

S night! Fold, fold thy pin - ions light! *pp* She

A sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! _____ She sleeps! _____ She

T sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! _____ She sleeps! _____ She

B sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! _____ She sleeps! _____ She

97

S sleeps! _____ My la - dy sleeps! _____

A sleeps! _____ My la - dy sleeps! _____

T sleeps! _____ My la - dy sleeps! _____

B sleeps! _____ My la - dy sleeps! _____

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103

S *pp* Sleeps! _____

A *pp* Sleeps! _____

T *pp* Sleeps! _____

B *pp* Sleeps! _____

109

S *p* Dreams of the sum - mer night! _____ Tell her, her lov - er

A *p* Dreams of the sum - mer night!

T *p* Dreams of the sum - mer night! _____ Tell her, her lov - er

B *p* Dreams of the sum - mer night!

115

S keeps _____ Watch! while in slum - bers light _____ She

A Tell her, her lov - er keeps Watch! _____ while in slum - bers light _____ She

T keeps _____ Watch! while in slum - bers light _____ She

B Tell her, her lov - er keeps _____ Watch! while in slum - bers light _____ She

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121 *dolce*

S sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! _____ Dreams of the sum - mer

A sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! *pp* My la - dy sleeps! _____ She

T sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! *pp* My la - dy sleeps! _____ She

B sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! *pp* My la - dy sleeps! _____ She

127

S night! Watch! while in slum - bers light _____ *pp* She

A sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! _____ She sleeps! _____ She

T sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! _____ She sleeps! _____ She

B sleeps! My la - dy sleeps! _____ She sleeps! _____ She

133

S sleeps! _____ My la - dy sleeps! _____

A sleeps! _____ My la - dy sleeps! _____

T sleeps! _____ My la - dy sleeps! _____

B sleeps! _____ My la - dy sleeps! _____

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139

S
Sleeps! _____

A
Sleeps! _____

T
Sleeps! _____

B
Sleeps! _____

Novello, Ewer and Co.
(1860-1885)

Stars of the summer night!
Far in yon azure deeps,
Hide, hide your golden light!
She sleeps!
My lady sleeps!
Sleeps!

Moon of the summer night!
Far down yon western steeps,
Sink, sink in silver light!
She sleeps!
My lady sleeps!
Sleeps!

Wind of the summer night!
Where yonder woodbine creeps,
Fold, fold thy pinions light!
She sleeps!
My lady sleeps!
Sleeps!

Dreams of the summer night!
Tell her, her lover keeps
Watch! while in slumbers light
She sleeps!
My lady sleeps!
Sleeps!

Serenade from "The Spanish Student" (1842)
Henry Wadsworth Longfellow (1807-1882)

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