

A Nameless Grave

HW Longfellow 30.11.1874

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Adagio ♩ = 60

Mezzo-soprano

p

'A sol-dier of the Un ion mus-tered out,'

Piano

pp

pp

ppp

6 *mf*

is the in-scrip-tion on an un-known grave at New-port News, be-side the

11 *p* **A** *mp* 3

salt-sea wave. Name-less and date-less;

ppp

ppp

p

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16 *marcato* *mf* *accel.* *f*

sen-ti-nel or scout shot down in skir mish, or dis-ast-rous rout of

19 *ff* ♩ = 90

bat-tle, when the loud art - ill - er - y drave its ir - on

21 *rall.* *f*

wed-ges through the ranks of brave and

23 *mf* *mp* $\text{♩} = 60$ **rall.**

doomed_ ba tal ions, storm ing the redoubt.

26 *legato* *p* **B**

Thou un-known he ro_ sleep-ing by the sea in thy for-got ten_ grave!_____

33 **Più mosso** $\text{♩} = 80$ *mp* *mf* *f*

With sec-ret shame I feel my puls-es beat, my fore-head burn,_____

rall.

Tempo primo ♩ = 60

37

p

When I re-mem ber_ thou hast giv'n for me all that thou

41

rall.

rall.

pp

hadst, thy life, thy ve-ry name. And I can give thee no-thing in re-turn.