

The skylark

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(1838-96)

allegretto con moto $\text{♩} = 84$

Soprano
p Bird of the wil - der-ness, Blithe-some and cum - ber-less, Sweet be thy

Alto
p Bird of the wil - der-ness, Blithe-some and cum-ber-less,

Tenor
p Bird of the wil - der-ness, Blithe-some and cum-ber-less,

Bass
p Bird of the wil - der-ness, Blithe-some and cum-ber-less,

Accomp. *allegretto con moto* $\text{♩} = 84$ *p*

S
ma - tin o'er moor - land and lea! ⁵ *p* Em-blem of hap - pi-ness, Blest is thy

A
Sweet be thy ma-tin o'er moor-land and lea! *p* Em-blem of hap-pi-ness,

T
Sweet be thy ma-tin o'er moor-land and lea! *p* Em-blem of hap-pi-ness,

B
Sweet be thy ma-tin o'er lea! *p* Em-blem of hap-pi-ness,

Accomp. *p*

S *p* dwell - ing place *f* Oh _____ to a-bide, *pp* Oh _____ *cal.* Oh to a -

A Blest is thy dwell-ing, *f* Oh, _____ *pp* Oh, _____ *ff* Oh to a - *cal.*

T Blest is thy dwell-ing, *f* Oh, _____ *pp* Oh, _____ *ff* Oh to a - *cal.*

B Blest is thy dwell-ing, *f* Oh, _____ *pp* Oh, _____ *ff* Oh to a - *cal. dim.*

f *pp* *ff cal.*

10 *a tempo*

S bide in the de - sert with thee! *pp* *p* Wild, wild is thy lay and loud, _____

A bide in the de - sert with thee! *pp* *p* Wild, _____ loud, _____ *a tempo*

T bide in the de - sert with thee! *pp* *p* Wild, _____ loud, _____ *a tempo*

B bide in the de - sert with thee! *pp* *p* Wild, _____ | wild, wild is thy lay and _____ *dim.*

pp *p a tempo* *dim.*

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S *p* Far, far in the dow-ny cloud, — *f* Love gives it e-ner-gy, — love gave it

A *p* Far, — far, — *f* Love gives it e-ner-gy, — love gave it

T *p* Far, — far, — *f* Love gives it e-ner-gy, — love gave it

B *p* loud, — Far, far un the dow-ny *f* cloud, Love give it e-ner-gy, — love gave it

cresc.

p *f*

20

S *dim.* birth, — love — gave it — birth, — *p* love — gave it — birth. —

A *dim.* birth, love, — love gave it birth, love, — love gave it — birth, gave it

T *dim.* birth, love, — love gave it birth, love, — *p* love gave it — birth, gave it

B *dim.* birth, — love gave it birth, — *p* love gave it birth. —

dim. *p*

S *p*Bird of the wil - der-ness, Blithe-some and cum - ber-less, Sweet be thy

A birth. *p*Bird of the wil-der-ness, Blithe-some and cum-ber-less,

T birth. *p*Bird of the wil-der-ness, Blithe-some and cum-ber-less,

B *p*Bird of the wil-der-ness, Blithe-some and cum-ber-less,

S ma - tin o'er moor- land and lea! *p*Em-blem of hap - pi-ness, Blest is thy

A Sweet be thy ma-tin o'er moor-land and lea! *p* Em-blem of hap-pi-ness,

T Sweet be thy ma-tin o'er moor-land and lea! *p* Em-blem of hap-pi-ness,

B Sweet be thy ma-tin o'er lea! *p* Em-blem of hap-pi-ness,

Oh to a-bide, Oh to a-bide, to a -

S dwell - ing place, Oh *pp* Oh *cal.* *ff* Oh to a -

A Blest is thy dwell-ing, *f* Oh, *pp* Oh, *ff* Oh to a -

T Blest is thy dwell-ing, *f* Oh, *pp* Oh, *ff* Oh to a -

B Blest is thy dwell-ing, *f* Oh, *pp* Oh, *ff* Oh to a -

f *pp* *ff cal.*

bide in the de-sert with thee. *p* O'er fell and foun - tain sheen, O'er moor and

S bide in the de-sert with thee. *p* O'er fell and foun-tain sheen,

A bide in the de-sert with thee. *p* O'er fell and foun-tain sheen,

T bide in the de-sert with thee. *p* O'er fell and foun-tain sheen,

B bide in the de-sert with thee. *p* O'er fell and foun-tain sheen,

p

35 *a tempo*

S
moun - tain green, O'er the red strea-mer that he- ralds the day, *p* O-ver the

A
O'er moor and moun-tain green, O'er the red strea-mer that he-ralds the day,

T
O'er moor and moun-tain green, O'er the red strea-mer that he-ralds the day,

B
O'er moor and moun-tain green, O'er the red strea-mer that day,

40
S
cloud - let dim, O-ver the rain - bow's rim, *f* Mu-si-cal che-rub, soar, sing-ing a

A
p O-ver the cloud-let dim, O-ver the rain- *f* bow, Mu - si - cal che-rub, a

T
p O-ver the cloud-let dim, O-ver the rain- bow's *f* rim, soar, sing-ing a

B
p O-ver the cloud-let dim, O-ver the rain-bow's *f* rim, Mu - si - cal che-rub, a

45

S *dim.*
way! — *pp* Then when — the gloam-*ng* comes, — Low in — the

A *dim.*
way! — *pp* When the gloam - *ng* comes, Low in the

T *dim.*
way! — *pp* When the gloam - *ng* comes, Low in the

B *dim.*
way! — *p* Then, *pp* then, when the gloam - *ng* comes, Low — in the

dim.
p *pp*

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S hea-ther blooms, — Sweet will thy wel-come — and bed of love — be, —

A hea - ther blooms, Sweet will thy wel-come — and bed of love — be, *sf* Then —

T hea - ther blooms, Sweet will thy wel-come — and bed of love — be, *sf* Then, —

B hea - ther blooms, Sweet will thy wel-come — and bed of love be, *sf* Then, —

sf

S *pp* Then when the gloam-ing comes, Low in the hea-ther blooms, *cresc.* 55

A *pp* when the gloam - ing comes, Low in the hea-ther blooms, *cresc.*

T *pp* then when the gloam - ing comes, Low in the hea-ther blooms, *cresc.*

B *pp* then when the gloam- ing comes, Low in the hea - ther blooms, *cresc.*

pp *cresc.*

S *mf* Sweet will thy wel-come and bed of love be, *pp* sweet, *ppp* sweet. *rit.* 60

A *mf* Sweet will thy wel-come and bed of love be, *pp* sweet, *ppp* sweet. *rit.*

T *mf* Sweet will thy wel-come and bed of love be, *pp* sweet, *ppp* sweet. *rit.*

B *mf* Sweet will thy wel-come, thy wel - come be, *pp* sweet, *ppp* sweet. *rit.*

mf *dim.* *pp rit.* *ppp*

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65

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f *pp* *ff cal.*

70
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pp