

# The dawn of day

Samuel Reay  
(1828-1905)

Soprano      *allegro*

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Piano

*f*1.Come and watch the day-light dawn-ing, O'er the moun-tains bleak and gray, Come and

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*allegro*

*f*  $\text{=126}$

5 *rit. un poco* *Repeat p* [10] *rit. un poco* *Repeat p*

S see the pur-ple morn-ing Tinge their sum-mits far a - way. *mf* Gai-ly sounds the voice of

A see the pur-ple morn-ing Tinge their sum-mits far a - way. *mf* Gai-ly sounds the voice of

T see the pur-ple morn-ing Tinge their sum-mits far a - way. *mf* Gai-ly sounds the voice of

B see the pur-ple morn-ing Tinge their sum-mits far a - way. *mf* Gai-ly sounds the voice of

*mf*

Soprano (S) vocal line:

Alto (A) vocal line:

Tenor (T) vocal line:

Bass (B) vocal line:

Piano accompaniment (bottom staff):

Text lyrics:

glad-ness O'er the vale and through the grove, Not one sin - gle note of sad-ness Tells of  
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Soprano (S) vocal line:

Alto (A) vocal line:

Tenor (T) vocal line:

Bass (B) vocal line:

Piano accompaniment (bottom staff):

Text lyrics:

aught but peace and love. ***p******p*** Tra la la la, tra la la la, tra la la la  
 aught but peace and love. ***p******p*** Tra la la la la, tra la la la, tra la la la,  
 aught but peace and love. ***p******p*** Tra la la la la, tra la la la la, tra la la la  
 aught but peace and love. ***p******p*** Tra la tra la, tra la, tra la, tra

S

A

T

B

**rit.**

25

S

A

T

B

**f**

30

Soprano (S) voice part:

*ne'er seem dark and drea-ry, When the morn-ing gilds the sky.* *mf* Birds shall plume their wings be -

Alto (A) voice part:

*ne'er seem dark and drea-ry, When the morn-ing gilds the sky.* *mf* Birds shall plume their wings be -

Tenor (T) voice part:

*ne'er seem dark and drea-ry, When the morn-ing gilds the sky.* *mf* Birds shall plume their wings be -

Bass (B) voice part:

*ne'er seem dark and drea-ry, When the morn-ing gilds the sky.* *mf* Birds shall plume their wings be -

Chorus accompaniment (bottom two staves):

*rit. un poco* *Repeat p* [35] *mf*

Soprano (S) voice part:

*side thee, Gai-ly war-bling o-ver-head, Sun-beams through the green leaves guide thee, Where thy*

Alto (A) voice part:

*dim.* *dim.* *dim.*

Tenor (T) voice part:

*dim.* *dim.* *dim.*

Bass (B) voice part:

*dim.* *dim.* *dim.*

Chorus accompaniment (bottom two staves):

*dim.* *dim.* *dim.*

Soprano (S) voice:

*rall.* steps may safe-ly tread. ***pp*** Tra la la la, ***poco cresc.*** tra la la la, tra la la la la

Alto (A) voice:

*rall.* steps may safe-ly tread. ***pp*** Tra la la la la, ***poco cresc.*** tra la la la, tra la la la

Tenor (T) voice:

*rall.* steps may safe-ly tread. ***pp*** Tra la la la la, ***poco cresc.*** tra la la la, tra la la la

Bass (B) voice:

*poco cresc.* steps may safe-ly tread. ***pp*** Tra la tra la, tra la, tra la, tra

Double Bass (Bassoon) (B) continuo:

*rall.* ***pp***

Soprano (S) voice:

la la, ***mf*** tra la la la, ***cresc.*** tra la la la, ***ff*** tra la ls ls, tra la. ***rit.***

Alto (A) voice:

tra la la, ***mf*** tra la la la, ***cresc.*** tra la la, ***f*** tra la, ***ff*** tra la.

Tenor (T) voice:

tra la la, ***mf*** tra la la la, ***cresc.*** tra la la, ***f*** tra la, ***ff*** tra la.

Bass (B) voice:

la, ***mf*** tra la, tra la, tra la, ***ff*** tra la.

Double Bass (Bassoon) (B) continuo:

***mf*** ***cresc.*** ***ff*** ***ff***

S

A

T

B

*mf* 3. Come and see what forms of glo - ry Spring to life in morn - ing's

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*mf*

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Soprano (S) vocal line:

day. ***pp*** Tra la la la, tra la la la, tra la la la la,

Alto (A) vocal line:

day. ***pp*** Tra la la la la, tra la la la, tra la la la la,

Tenor (T) vocal line:

day. ***pp*** Tra la la la la, tra la la la, tra la la la la,

Bass (B) vocal line:

day. ***pp*** Tra la tra la, tra la, tra la, tra

Double Bass (D.B.) vocal line:

***pp***

Soprano (S) vocal line:

*la la, **mf** tra la la la, la la, **ff** tra la ls ls, tra la.*

Alto (A) vocal line:

*tra la la, **mf** tra la la la la, tra la la, **f** tra la, **ff** tra la.*

Tenor (T) vocal line:

*8 tra la la, **mf** tra la la la la, tra la la, **f** tra la, **ff** tra la.*

Bass (B) vocal line:

*la, **mf** tra la, tra la, tra la, **ff** tra la.*

Bottom staff (Bassoon part):

***mf** cresc. ff rit.*