

In the darkness

for

AATT choir and piano

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HARVEY MUSIC EDITIONS

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music: Justin Henry Rubin (2017)

text: James Logie Robertson (1846-1922)

Comodo, un poco adagio e poco rubato - sereno

Alto 1
O - ver the moun - tains and lakes

Alto 2

Tenor 1

Tenor 2

Piano accompaniment

A 1
Wan - ders the lit - tle lone - ly moon, the lit - tle lone - ly moon; No - thing else in the

A 2
Wan - ders the lit - tle lone - ly moon, the lit - tle lone - ly moon; No - thing else in the

T 1
Wan - ders the lit - tle lone - ly moon, the lit - tle lone - ly moon; No - thing else in the

T 2
the lit - tle lone - ly moon; No - thing else

Piano accompaniment

7 *Rit.* *a tempo*

A 1 dark - ness, the dark - ness wakes...

A 2 dark - ness, the dark - ness wakes... E - ven her

T 1 dark - ness, the dark - - ness wakes, the dark - ness wakes...

T 2 in the dark - - - ness wakes...

10 *Rit.* *a tempo*

A 1 light will leave us soon, will leave us soon.

A 2 light will leave us soon, her light will leave us soon.

T 1 light will leave us soon, her light will leave us soon.

T 2 light will leave us soon, will leave us soon.

13 *a tempo*

A 1
O'er the hills it drops, 'tis gone, 'tis gone, 'tis gone! The bil - - -

A 2
O'er the hills it drops, 'tis gone, 'tis gone, 'tis gone! The bil - - -

T 1
O'er the hills it drops, 'tis gone, 'tis gone, 'tis gone, The bil - lows of

T 2
O'er the hills it drops, 'tis gone, 'tis gone, 'tis gone, 'tis gone!

13 *a tempo*

16 *Rit.*

A 1
lows of night roll on, roll on, the bil - lows of night roll on.

A 2
lows of night roll on, roll on, bil - lows of night roll on.

T 1
night, The bil - lows of night roll on, roll on, roll on.

T 2
The bil - lows of night roll on, roll on, roll on.

16 *Rit.*

20 *a tempo*

A 1

A 2

T 1

T 2

Si - lence sits here a - mong the hills;

a tempo

20 *8va*

23

A 1

A 2

T 1

T 2

On - ly the voice of the wa-ter fall the ear of dark - ness fills, All the

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wa-ter fall the ear of dark - ness fills,

23 [loco]

26 *Rit.* *a tempo*

A 1 ear of dark - ness fills

A 2 ear of dark - ness fills With a

T 1 fills, All the ear of dark - - - ness fills

T 2 the ear of dark - - - ness fills

26 *Rit.* *a tempo*

29 *Rit.* *a tempo*

A 1 cease - less sigh - ing call, a sigh - ing call,

A 2 cease - less sigh - ing call, cease - less sigh - ing call,

T 1 cease - less sigh - ing call, a cease - less sigh - ing call,

T 2 cease - less sigh - ing call, sigh - - - - ing call,

29 *Rit.*

32 *a tempo*

A 1
'tis the voice, the voice of Time, a voice sub - lime, so List - en, my

A 2
'tis the voice, the voice of Time, a voice sub - lime, so List - en, my

T 1
'tis the voice, the voice of Time, a voice sub - lime, so List-en my

T 2
'tis the voice, the voice of Time, a voice sub - lime, the voice

32 *a tempo*

Detailed description: This block contains the musical score for measures 32 to 35, marked 'a tempo'. It features four vocal staves (A 1, A 2, T 1, T 2) and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The vocal parts enter with a fermata on the first measure. The lyrics are: 'tis the voice, the voice of Time, a voice sub - lime, so List - en, my. The piano accompaniment consists of chords and moving lines in both hands.

35 *Rit.*

A 1
child, my child, my child, sub-lime, mo - no - to-ny sub - lime...

A 2
child, my child, my child, sub-lime, mo - no - to-ny sub - lime...

T 1
child, the voice of Time, my child, mo-no - to - ny sub - lime, the voice sub - lime...

T 2
of Time, my child, mo-no - to - ny sub - - - lime...

35 *Rit.*

Detailed description: This block contains the musical score for measures 35 to 38, marked 'Rit.' (Ritardando). It features the same four vocal staves and piano accompaniment. The key signature remains three sharps. The lyrics continue: child, my child, my child, sub-lime, mo - no - to-ny sub - lime... The tempo is slower than the previous section. The piano accompaniment continues with chords and moving lines.

39 *a tempo*

A 1
Through the dark - ness and day

A 2
Through the dark - ness and day

T 1
Through the dark - ness and day

T 2
Through the dark - ness and day

39 *a tempo*

42 *div.* *unis.*

A 1
Time runs on and on, our lives are done: Lit - tle lives,

A 2
Time runs on and on, our lives are done: our Lit - tle lives, our Time runs

T 1
Time runs on and on, our lives are done: our Lit - tle lives, our Time runs on and

T 2
our lives are done: Lit - tle lives,

42

45 *Rit.* *a tempo*

A 1
on, Lit - tle lives, be they glad or grey;

A 2
on, Lit - tle lives, be they glad or grey; Lit - tle this

T 1
on, our Lit - tle lives be they glad or grey;

T 2
be they glad or grey;

45 *Rit.* *a tempo*

48 *Rit.* *div.*

A 1
world's good, lost or won, this world's good lost or won.

A 2
world's good, lost or won, this world's good, lost or won.

T 1
world's good, lost or won, this world's good, lost or won.

T 2
world's good, lost or won, this world's good lost or won.

48 *Rit.*

51 *a tempo*

A 1 *unis.* Use well the mo-ments as they flee, But wait, my child, my

A 2 Use well the mo-ments as they flee, But wait, my child, my

T 1 Use well the mo-ments as they flee, But wait my child, But wait my

T 2 Use well the mo-ments as they flee, But wait, my child,

8

51 *a tempo*

54 *Molto rit.*

A 1 child for e - ter - ni - ty, But wait for e - ter - - - ni - ty!

A 2 child for ter - ni - ty, But wait for e - ter - - - ni - ty!

T 1 child, But wait for e - ter-ni-ty, But wait e - ter - nit - ty!

T 2 for e - ter-ni-ty, But wait for e - ter - ni - ty!

8

54 *Molto rit.*