

The Crescent Moon

for
voice and piano

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HARVEY MUSIC EDITIONS

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music: Justin Henry Rubin (2015)

text: Michael Field (1846-1913)

Andante

Voice

mp

5

mp

How faint a

9

glow the ear - ly moon Gives to the eve - ning skies!

13

O love, tis like the cres - cent light

17

Rit.

a tempo

I saw with-in thine eyes, When first I looked in -

21

Poco rit.

a tempo

to their depths, in - to their depts,

25

O love tis like the

29

mp

cres - cent light [loco] I saw with-

mp

33

Poco rit. *Rit.*

in thine eyes,

pp

8^{va}

37

Tornado a tempo

ppp *p*

8^{vb}

41

Poco rit. *a tempo*

mf

8^{vb}

45 *f*

With trou - bled heart, to

f

8va

49 *mp*

know, to know [loco] Love's gol - den

(8va) *mp*

53 *Poco rit.* *Rit.*

prime could grow.

pp

8vb

57 *a tempo* *Molto rit.* *mp a tempo*

But e'en that

p *mp*

62

faint - ly glea - ming moon, Ac - cross the blue, be -

66

hold! *Poco rit.* *a tempo* *pp* A -

71

cross the blue, be - hold! *Rit.*

76

a tempo *mp* I look bey - ond the cres - cent light

80 *f*

Of those soft- -shi - ning eyes,

84 *Poco rit.* *a tempo*

And

88 *Rit.*

now that I may near - er gaze, A - cross their blue

92 *a tempo (poco meno mosso)*

I see,

p

8vb

97

p

My per - fect bliss to be...

101

My per - fect bliss to be...

105

Rit. e dim. poco a poco

110

ppp