

Suggested by a Night
Picture of Venice

for

Voice and Piano

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HARVEY MUSIC EDITIONS

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music: Justin Henry Rubin (2021)
poem: Dora Greenwell (1821 – 1882)

Tranquillo, alla deriva *Rall.* *a tempo* *p*

Like some

Rall. *a tempo* *Rall.*

proud Sea-Bird, cast In sleep on O-cean's breast;

a tempo *Poco rall.* *Molto rall.* *a tempo* *Rall.*

The Ci-ty sinks at last In calm, ma-jes-tic rest.

a tempo *Rall.* *a tempo*

Her tem-ples and her to - wers, In floa - ting splen - - - dour

Molto rit.

show Like wave-spread wa - ter,

Rall. *a tempo* *Rall.*

wa - ter flow - ers, deep root-ed far be-low... And

Rall. *a tempo* *Rall.* *a tempo* *Poco rall.*

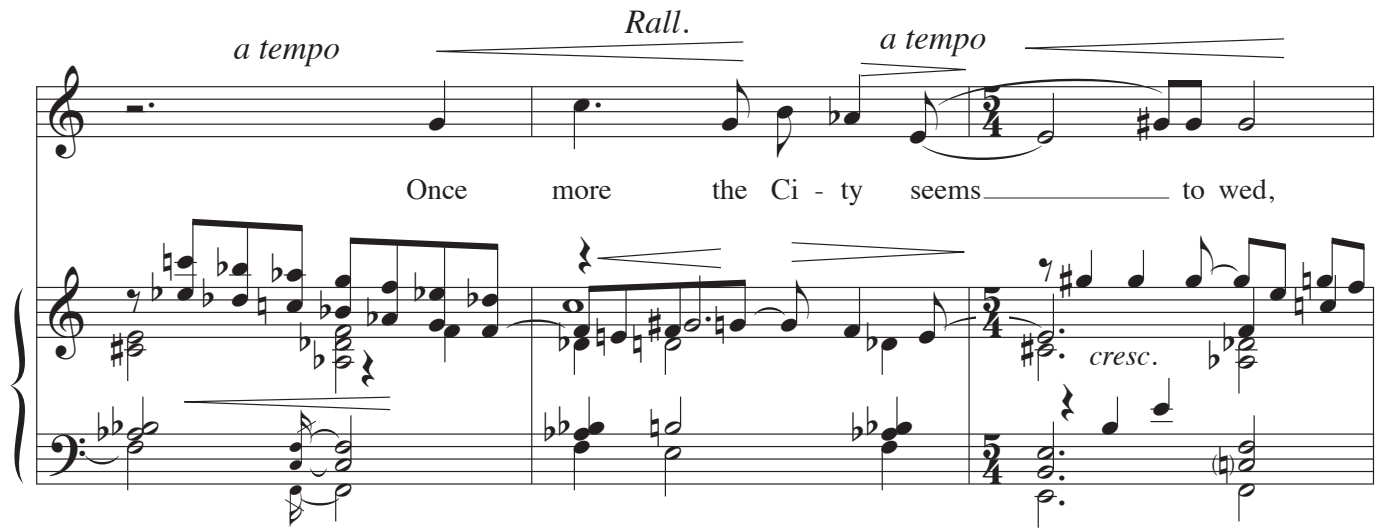
broad and fair the while She sleeps, a sof-ter Day Streams round her with the smile That

Rall. *Molto rall.* *a tempo* *Rall.*



glo - ri - fies de - cay.

a tempo *Rall.* *a tempo*



Once more the Ci - ty seems _____ to wed,

mp *mf* *molto* *Rall.*



to wed, _____ to wed the Deep, _____ the Deep,

Molto rall. *a tempo* *(poco meno mosso)* *Poco rall.* *Molto rall.*

the Deep, the Deep, Queen of a World of Dreams The ra-di-ant

a tempo *Rall.* *a tempo* *Rall.* *a tempo*

Bride, the ra-di-ant Bride— of Sleep,

Rit. poco a poco *quasi-sotto voce*

of Sleep, of _____ Sleep, of Sleep.

very slow arp.

April 28, 2021
 For my dad, who would have been 84 today.