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in softness away...*

for

SATB and Positive Organ

Composed in honor of the life and work of  
Matthew Fields, composer (1961–2016)

by

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HARVEY MUSIC EDITIONS

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music: Justin Henry Rubin (2015)  
text: James Hyslop (1798-1827)

*Soft overall, slow, with rubato*

Soprano: From the blue hills the sun - - - shine  
Alto: From the blue hills, the blue hills the sun - - - shine  
Tenor: From the blue hills the sun - - -  
Bass: From the blue hills, from the  
Organ: Accompaniment for the vocal parts.

S: was fa - - - ding a - way.  
A: the sun-shine was fa - - - ding a - way.  
T: shine was fa - - - - - - - - - ding a - way.  
B: blue hills the sun - - - shine was fa - ding a-way.  
Organ: Accompaniment for the vocal parts.

9 *Rit.*

13 *a tempo*

S And the eve - - - ning star twin - kled a -

A And the eve - - - ning star twin - kled A - far,

T 8 And the eve - ning star twin - - - kled A - far, a -

B And the eve - - - - ning star

17 *Rit.* *a tempo*

S far in the sky.

A the eve-ning star twin-kled in the sky.

T 8 far, twin - kled in the sky.

B twin - kled A - far in the sky.

22 *Rit.*

27 *a tempo*

S A - - sleep in moon - - - - light The blue

A A - sleep, a-sleep, a - sleep in The blue

T A - - - sleep in moon - - - light The blue wa - ters

B A - sleep, a - - - - sleep in moon - light And my spi - rit

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31 *Rit.* *Molto rit.*

S wa - - - - - ters lay: And my spi - rit waf - ted In soft - ness a - way.

A wa - - - - - ters lay: And my spi - rit waf - - - - - ted a - way.

T lay: And my spi - rit waf - ted In soft - ness a - way.

B waf - ted a - way, my sp - rit waf - - - - - ted a - way.

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