

# WHEN WAS THERE EVER A NIGHT LIKE THIS

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# "When Was There Ever A Night Like This."

Allegretto.

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*mf*

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The key signature has two flats and the time signature is 9/8.



Sil - ver - y beams, moon - light and dreams, Soft the shad - ows are  
Whis - per - ing trees, soft mid - night breeze, Try to whis - per a

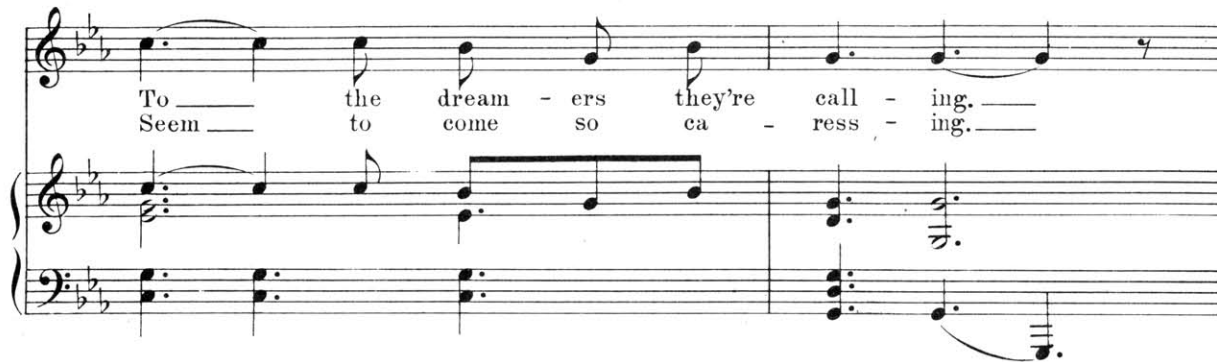
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The first vocal line is on a single staff with lyrics underneath. The piano accompaniment continues below, with the right hand playing chords and the left hand playing a steady bass line.



fall - ing; Skies with their gold, pic - tures un - fold,  
bless - ing; Flow - ers so fair, fra - grance so rare,

The second vocal line continues the melody with lyrics. The piano accompaniment remains consistent with the previous section.



To the dream - ers they're call - ing.  
Seem to come so ca - ress - ing.

The final vocal line concludes the piece with lyrics. The piano accompaniment ends with a final chord in the right hand and a sustained note in the left hand.

Flit-ter-ing lights, play here and there, Mys-tic the sights,  
 Na-ture sub-lime, gives with a will, Know-ing her time,

balm-y the air, Winds that come with their kiss; Ah, nev-er a  
 when all is still, Dreams that seem made of gold; Ah, nev-er such

night, a night like this! Won-der-ful night, love finds de-  
 dreams, as now un-fold, Night of my heart, must you de-

light, part? Won-der-ful night, stop in your flight!  
 Must you go 'way, now with the day?—

*rit.*

4 CHORUS.

Valse. Allegretto e grazioso.

When was there ev - er a night like this, When all the

*mf*

world seemed a song of bliss? When did the moon shine

bright, Just like it shines to - night?

*poco rall.* *a tempo.*  
When was there ev - er a love like mine, Filled with a

*poco rall.* *a tempo.*

rap - ture that seems di - vine? When did the stars ev - er

light up the sky, Send - ing new hopes so

bright? When was there ev - er a night such as this,

*poco rit.*  
When was there such a night?  
*poco rit.* *rall.* *p*

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