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"The Nightingale and the Star"

(Henry Blossom)

Valse brillante

(2 Act.)

Fifi.

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(Victor Herbert)

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Tempo di Valse. (Allo. vivo)

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AAA BBB CCC DDD

p Once a young nightingale

fell to repining over a star whizzed brightly was shining

3 volta Voce a tempo

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2

up in the sky cold and so bright, taking no

9 10 11 12 13

thought of the poor little nightingale still every evening he'd

poco rit. a tempo

14 15 poco rit. 16 a tempo

(Pedal)

sing to his star love sending his soul in a song to his

3 4 5 6 7

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a tempo

poco accel.

molto marcato e pesante

far love — Ah — Ah — Ah — how sweet his song

8

D

allarga

D

a tempo

dim.

p

to that distant star

p

E

F

G

fp brillante

sempre

sempre

sempre

4

Ah

X Y Z

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Ah

xx

Ah me, he thought of love he would die

a b c d

fp

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for twinkling so coldly, she, gave no

grazioso

a a a

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sign of reply. Ah Ah

d

sfp

ritard

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Ah! Ah — Ah —

A

B

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C D E F

how sweet his song to that distant star

dim. e ritardando

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Un poco lento
dolorisimo

pp Still through the night when the tired world was sleep-

pp Un poco lento

-ing sadly this poor little bird, his long lonely

staccato

vigil was keeping but though he knew that he ever

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8

rapidamente!

con slanzio

— ished a vain love Ah! how he

ten.

sang to his star above

Tempo. I^mo

Tutta forza

So from a sad little heart that was breaking came here a

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song to the world that was waking and all afire

mad with desire burning and yearning for love that could never be

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Ah Ah Ah

mp.

Ah Ah Ah Ah

A B

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how sweet his song to that distant

C D E F

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Più mosso.

leggiero

a tempo

marcato

start

mf Ah! Ah Ah and so

Più mosso

f

(quasi Echo)

although rain as his love might pp prove Ah Ah Ah

pp

Rallentando

a tempo

nightlong his song cheers the hearts that may

f

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12

accel. al fine.

love nightlong his song cheers all the

molto cresc.

hearts

f brillante

that

love!

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