

# 2. SPRING AND FALL: TO A YOUNG CHILD

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*♩ = c. 80*

*p cresc.*

SOPRANO I

*p cresc.*

SOPRANO II

*p cresc.*

ALTO

TENOR

BASS I

BASS II

5

*mp cresc.*

SI

*mp cresc.*

SII

*mp cresc.*

A

T

BI

BII

griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

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SI *mf* *dim.*  
griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

SII *mf* *dim.*  
griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

A *mf* *dim.*  
griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, — griev - ing, —

T

BI

BII

8

2/4 3/4 4/4 4/4

13

SI  
griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

SII  
griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

A  
griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing,

T

BI

BII

8

4/4 3/4 4/4 4/4

*poco rit.*

♩ = c. 72

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SI *p* *cresc.* *mf*  
 griev - ing, Mar-garet, Mar-garet, are you griev-ing o - ver

SII *p* *cresc.* *mf*  
 griev - ing, Mar - garet, are you griev-ing o - ver

A *p* *cresc.* *mf*  
 griev - ing, griev - ing, Mar-garet, are you griev-ing o - ver

T *p* *cresc.* *mf*  
 Mar - garet, are you griev-ing o - ver

BI *p* *cresc.* *mf*  
 Mar - garet, are you griev-ing, O,

BII *p* *cresc.* *mf*  
 Mar - garet, are you griev-ing, O,

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SI *mp*  
 Gold - en - grove un - leav - ing? Leaves, like the things of man, you with your

SII *mp*  
 Gold - en grove un - leav - ing? Leaves, like the things of man, you with your

A *mp*  
 Gold - en - grove -leav - ing? Leaves, things of man, you with your

T *mp*  
 Gold - grove -leav - ing? Leaves, things of man, you your —

BI *mp*  
 un - leav - ing? Leaves, you your —

BII *mp*  
 un - leav - ing? Leaves, you your —

*poco a poco accel.*

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SI fresh thoughts care for, can you? *p cresc.*

SII fresh thoughts care for, can you? Griev - ing, *p cresc.*

A fresh thoughts care for, can you? O, Griev - ing, *p cresc.*

T — thoughts care can — you? O, O, *p cresc.*

BI — thoughts care can, O, *p cresc.*

BII — thoughts care can, *p cresc.*

27 *mp cresc.* *rit.* *f*

SI Griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, O, *f*

SII griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, O, *f*

A griev - ing, griev - ing, griev - ing, O, *f*

T — Ah, *f*

BI — Ah, *f*

BII — Ah, *f*

Crying out  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 72$ 

30 *ff* >

SI Ah! as the heart grows old-er it will come to such sights cold-er

SII Ah! as the heart grows old-er it will come to such sights cold-er *mp* <

A Ah! as the heart grows old-er it will come to such sights cold-er and by, nor *mp* <

T Ah! as the heart grows old-er it will come to such sights cold-er by and by, nor *mp* <

BI Ah! as the heart grows old-er it will come to such sights cold-er by and by, nor *mp* <

BII Ah! as the heart grows old-er it will come to such sights cold-er by and by, nor *mp* <

39 *mf* *p* *poco rit.* *pp* *poco cresc.*

SI spare a sigh though worlds of wan-wood leaf-meal lie; and yet you will *pp* *poco cresc.*

SII spare a sigh worlds of wan-wood leaf-meal lie; and yet you will *pp* *poco cresc.*

A spare a sigh worlds of wan-wood leaf-meal lie; yet you will *pp* *poco cresc.*

T spare a sigh of wan-wood leaf-meal lie; yet you will *pp* *poco cresc.*

BI spare a sigh wan-wood leaf - lie; yet you will *pp* *poco cresc.*

BII spare a sigh lie; yet you will *pp* *poco cresc.*

46 *pp* *poco cresc.* *pp*

SI weep, — and yet you will weep, — and yet you will weep,

SII weep, — and yet you will weep, — and yet you will weep,

A weep, — and yet you will weep, — and yet you will weep, and yet you will

T weep, — and yet you will weep, — and yet you will weep, and yet you

BI weep, — and yet you will weep, — and yet you will weep, and yet you

BII weep, — and yet you will weep, — and yet you will weep, yet you

53 *rit.* *a tempo* *pp*

SI Now no mat-ter, child, the name: —

SII and know why. Now no mat-ter, child, the name:

A weep and know why. Now mat-ter, child, the name:

T weep and know why. no mat-ter, child, the name: —

BI weep and know why. child, name:

BII weep and know why. name: —

60 *mp* *poco più f*

SI sor - row's springs — are the same. — Nor mouth had, no nor

SII sor - row's springs — are the same. — Ah

A sor - row's springs — are same. — Mar - garet, Mar -

T sor - row's springs are same. — Mar -

BI Ah — the same. — Mar-garet, Mar-garet, Mar-garet,

BII Ah — the same.

63 *rit.*, *sub. p*

SI mind ex-pressed what heart heard of, ghost — guessed: It

SII

A - garet, Mar - garet, Mar - garet, Mar - garet,

T - garet, Mar - garet, Mar - garet,

BI Mar-garet, Mar-garet, Mar-garet, Mar-garet, Mar-garet,

BII

66 *cresc. molto rit.*

SI *p* is the blight man was born for, it is Mar - ga - ret you mourn for, —

SII *p* is the blight man was born for, it is Mar - ga - ret you mourn for, —

A *p* is the blight man was born for, it is Mar - ga - ret you mourn for, —

T *p* the blight man was born for, it is Mar - ga - ret you mourn for, —

BI *p* blight man was born for, it is Mar - ga - ret you mourn for, —

BII *p* blight man was born for, it Mar - ret mourn for, —

70 *a tempo p*

SI — you mourn for. — mourn, —

SII — mourn, — mourn, —

A — mourn — for, — mourn — for, — mourn — for, —

T — — — —

BI — — — —

BII — — — —



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SI  
mourn, \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

SII  
mourn, \_\_\_\_\_ mourn, \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

A  
mourn for, \_\_\_\_\_ mourn for, \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

T  
8 *p* \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

BI

BII

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SI  
*dim.* \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_ *pp* \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

SII  
*dim.* \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_ *pp* \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

A  
*dim.* \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

T  
8 *dim.* \_\_\_\_\_ *pp* \_\_\_\_\_

BI

BII