

# This is the Island of Gardens.

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**Allegro** *mf*

Voice. This..... is the is - land of

Piano. *mf*

gar - dens, Filled..... with a mar - vel - lous

*(poco rit.)* *(a tempo.)*

fra - - grance, O! the pale scent,.... the scent of the jas - mine!

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It begins with a tempo marking of 'Allegro' and a dynamic of 'mf'. The key signature has three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and the time signature is 9/8. The voice part starts with the lyrics 'This..... is the is - land of' and continues with 'gar - dens, Filled..... with a mar - vel - lous' and 'fra - - grance, O! the pale scent,.... the scent of the jas - mine!'. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a more melodic line in the left hand. There are two tempo changes: '(poco rit.)' and '(a tempo.)'. The score ends with a dynamic of 'f'.

O! ..... the de - li - cious mi - mo - - - -

- sa! ..... accel.

Beat - ing soft pin - ions to

- ge - ther, Cometh a wind ..... from the moun - - tains;

*a tempo.* *f* Why wouldst thou leave us, O small wind? Rest ..... thee a-while 'mid the *rall.*

The first system of the musical score features a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic and a tempo marking of *a tempo.* The lyrics are "Why wouldst thou leave us, O small wind? Rest ..... thee a-while 'mid the". The piano accompaniment starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The system concludes with a *rall.* (ritardando) marking over the final notes of the vocal line.

lau - - - - - rels. ....

*mp* *a tempo.*

The second system continues the vocal line with the lyrics "lau - - - - - rels. ....". The piano accompaniment is marked *mp* (mezzo-piano) and *a tempo.* The system concludes with a *rall.* marking over the final notes of the piano accompaniment.

*a tempo.* Ev - - en as thou, have I

*f* *rall.* *mf*

The third system features the vocal line with the lyrics "Ev - - en as thou, have I". The piano accompaniment starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic and a *rall.* marking, then transitions to a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic and *a tempo.* The system concludes with a *rall.* marking over the final notes of the piano accompaniment.

wander'd O - ver the earth and the o - - - cean,

*rall.*

The fourth system features the vocal line with the lyrics "wander'd O - ver the earth and the o - - - cean,". The piano accompaniment is marked *rall.* The system concludes with a *rall.* marking over the final notes of the piano accompaniment.

*pesante.*

Pon - - der-ing ma - ny things, pon-dering ma - ny things deep - ly,

Now..... I lie down, now..... I lie down, Now I lie

*cresc. accel.* *ff* *rall.*

*cresc. accel.* *ff*

down ..... in the sun - shine.....

*rall* *a tempo*

*f a tempo*

*accel.* *pesante.* *ff*