

The Miller's Daughter

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Andante
teneramente

The piano introduction is in 2/4 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of two staves. The right hand features a melodic line with a long slur over the first four measures, followed by a more rhythmic pattern. The left hand provides a steady accompaniment with eighth notes and chords.

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F F/E Dm F/A B \flat Gm/E

It is the mil - ler's daugh - ter And she is grown so
And I would be the gir - dle A - bout her dain - ty,

This system contains the first six measures of the song. It includes a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The piano part features a consistent eighth-note accompaniment in the left hand and a more melodic line in the right hand.

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C6/F F F C/E Dm G7/B C G7

dear, so dear That I would be the jew - el That trem - bles at her
dain - ty waist And her heart would beat a - gainst me In sor - row and in

This system contains the next six measures of the song. It includes a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The piano part continues with the same accompaniment style as the first system.

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14 C G dim/F C7/E D \flat /B \flat C C/B \flat

ear;
rest;

For
And

hid
I

in
should

ring - lets
know if

day
it

and
beat

night
right

I'd
I'd

17 F/A B \flat /G C7 F A7/E A7

touch her neck so warm and white, For hid in ring - lets
clasp it round so close and tight, And I should know if

colla voce

20 Dm B \flat /G F/C B \flat 6/C C7 F

day and night I'd touch her neck so warm and white.
it beat right I'd clasp it round so close and tight.

25 1. 2. F
dolce

And

25

p dolce

30 F/A Dm F/A B \flat B \flat /G F sus/C C7 F

I would be the neck - lace, And all day long to fall and rise Up -

30

34 F F/E Dm6 G7 G7/F C/E G7/D N.C.

on her balm - y bos - om With her laugh - ter or her —

34

37 C B \flat m6 C D \flat 7/B C C/B \flat

sighs, And I would lie so light, so light I

40 F/A Dm/G Gm7 C7 A/C# Cdim7 N.C. Adim7 Gm F7/C

scarce should be un - clasped at night, And I would lie so

43 Gm/B \flat D7/A Gdim/B \flat Bdim7 F/C F/A C#7/G# G7 Gm6 C7 F

light, so light I scarce should be un - clasped at night.