

## MY LOVE DWELT IN A NORTHERN LAND

ROMANCE

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*Moderato legato*

SOPRANO      My love dwelt in a North-ern land, A dim tower in a for - est green Was

ALTO      My love dwelt in a North-ern land, . . . A dim tower Was

TENOR      My love dwelt in a North-ern land, A dim tower in a for - est green Was

BASS      My love dwelt in a North-ern land, . . . a North-ern

*Moderato.  $\text{d}=60$*

(For practice only)      his . . . and far a - way the sand And gray wash of the waves were seen The

*p legato*

*a tempo*

his . . . and far a - way the sand And gray wash of the waves were seen The

*rit.* *pp*      his . . . and far a - way the sand And gray . . . wash of the waves were seen The

*rit.* *a tempo*      his . . . and far . . . a - way . . . the waves were seen The

*rit.* *pp*      land, . . . and far . . . a - way . . . the waves were seen The

*rit. pp a tempo*

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*p a tempo legato*  
 wo - ven for - est-boughs be-tween: And through the North-ern sum-mer night The sun-set  
*p a tempo legato*  
 wo - ven for - est-boughs be-tween: And through the North-ern sum-mer night . . .  
*p a tempo legato*  
 wo - ven for - est-boughs be-tween: And through the North-ern sum-mer night The sun-set~  
*p a tempo legato*  
 wo - ven for - est-boughs be-tween: And through the North-ern sum-mer night . . .

*p a tempo legato*  
*dim. e rit.* *a tempo*  
 slow-ly, slow-ly died a - way, . . . And herds of strange deer, sil-ver - white, Came gleaming  
*dim. e rit.* *pp a tempo*  
 . . . the sun-set died a - way, . . . And herds of strange deer, sil - ver-white, Came gleaming  
*dim. e rit.* *pp a tempo*  
 slow-ly, slow-ly died a - way, . . . And herds of strange deer, sil - ver - white, Came gleaming  
*dim. e rit.* *a tempo pp*  
 . . . The sun-set died a - way, . . . And herds . . . of deer, Came gleaming  
*dim. e rit.* *pp a tempo*  
*f d.* *dim.* *p rit.* *rit.*  
 through the for - est gray, And fled like ghosts be - fore the day. . .  
*f dim.* *p rit.* *rit.*  
 through the for - est gray, And fled like ghosts be - fore . . . the day. . .  
*f dim.* *p rit.* *rit.*  
 through the for - est gray, And fled like ghosts be - fore . . . the day. . .  
*f dim.* *p rit.* *rit.*  
 through the for - eat gray, And fled like ghosts be - fore . . . the day. . .

*a tempo, poco più lento*SOPRANO *dolcissimo**pp*

And oft, that month, . . . we watch'd the moon . . . Wax

ALTO *\* leggiere**p/p*

And oft, that month, we watch'd the moon, and oft, that month, we watch'd the moon Wax

1st TENOR *dolcissimo**pp*

And oft, that month, . . . we watch'd the moon . . . Wax

2nd TENOR *\* leggiere**ppp*

And oft, that month, we watch'd the moon, and oft, that month, we watch'd the moon Wax

1st BASS *\* leggiere**ppp*

And oft, that month, we watch'd the moon, and oft, that month, we watch'd the moon Wax

2nd BASS \*

*ppp*

And oft, . . . that month, we watch'd the moon . . .

*a tempo, poco più lento**pp*

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, And

great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . . And

\* The passages of vocal accompaniment to be sung as softly and smoothly as possible and without accent

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*mf*      *dim.*      *p*      *pp*

oft, . . . that month, we watch'd the moon Wax great . . .

*mf*      *dim.*      *p*      *pp*

oft, . . . that month, we watch'd the moon, And oft, that month, we

*mf*      *dim.*      *p*      *pp*

oft, . . . that month, we watch'd the moon, And oft, that month, we

*mf*      *dim.*      *p*      *pp*

oft, . . . that month, we watch'd the moon, And oft, that month, we

*mf*      *dim.*      *p*      *pp*

oft, . . . that month, we watch'd, we watch'd the moon

*mf*      *dim.*      *p*      *pp*

oft, . . . that month, we watch'd, we watch'd the moon

*pp*

and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . .

*ppp*

watch'd the moon Wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er

*pp*

watch'd the moon Wax great and white . . . o'er wood and lawn, . . .

*ppp*

watch'd the moon Wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er

*ppp*

Wax great and white o'er wood and lawn, wax great and white o'er

*pp*

Wax great . . . and white o'er

And wane, with wan - ing of the June, . . .  
 wood and lawn, And wane, with wan - ing of the June, and wane, with wan - ing  
 And wane, with wan - ing of the June, . . .  
 wood and lawn, And wane, with wan - ing of the June, and wane, with wan - ing  
 wood and lawn, And wane, with wan - ing of the June, and wane, with wan - ing  
 wood and lawn, . . . . . And wane, with

Till, like a brand for bat - tle drawn, She fell, . . .  
 of the June, Till, like a brand for bat - tle drawn, She fell, rit.  
 Till, like . . . a brand for bat - tle drawn, She fell, rit.  
 of the June, Till, like . . . a brand for bat - tle drawn, She fell, rit.  
 wan - ing June, Till, like . . . a brand for bat - tle drawn, She fell,  
 f 3 dim. rit.

## MY LOVE DWELT IN A NORTHERN LAND

Poco lento

*a tempo**rall.*

*pp*      . . . she fell, and flamed in a wild dawn. . . .

*a tempo*      fell, . . . she fell, . . . and flamed in a wild dawn. . . .

*p*      fell, . . . she fell, and flamed in a wild dawn. . . .

*pp*      fell, . . . she fell, and flamed in a wild dawn. . . .

*p*      fell, . . . she fell, and flamed in a wild dawn, in a wild dawn.

*ppp*      fell, . . . she fell, and flamed in a wild dawn, in a wild dawn.

Poco lento

*p*      *pp a tempo*      . . .

*ppp*      . . .

Tempo 1mo.

*legato*

I know not if the for - est green Still gir - dles round . . . that cas - tle

I know not if the for - est green Still gir - dles round that cas - tle

I know not if the for - est green Still gir - dles round . . . that cas - tle

1st &amp; 2nd BASSES

*p legato*

I know not if the for - est green Still gir - dles round that cas - tle

Tempo 1mo.

*p legato*

*rit.* *pp a tempo*

gray, . . . I know not if the boughs be - tween The white deer

*rit.* *a tempo*

gray, . . . I know not if the boughs be - tween The white deer

*rit.* *a tempo*

gray, . . . I know . . . not if The white deer

*rit.* *a tempo*

gray, . . . I know . . . not if The white deer

*f* *dim.* *pp* *molto express.*

van . . . ish ere the day: The grass a . bove . . . my

*dim.* *ppp*

van . . . ish ere the day: . . . The grass a - bove my love is green, The

*f* *dim.* *ppp*

van . . . ish ere the day: . . . The grass a - bove my love is green, The

*f* *dim.* *ppp*

van . . . ish ere the day: . . . The grass a - bove my love is green, The

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Piu lento  
*a tempo*

*poco rit.*

*ffz p*

*poco rit.*

*a tempo*

*ffz p*

*poco rit.*

*a tempo*

*mezza voce*

*ffz p*

*poco rit.*

*a tempo*

*mezza voce*

*ffz p*

*poco rit.*

*pp*

*Piu lento*

*a tempo*

*pp*

*ppp*

*molto rall.*

*ppp*

*mezza voce*

*pp*

*molto rall.*

*ppp*

*clay, his heart . . . is cold - er, cold - er than the clay. . . .*

*molto rall.*

*ppp*

*than the clay. . . .*

*molto rall.*

*ppp*

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