

Star of the Summer Night

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Serenade

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Moderato

The musical score is written for piano in 12/8 time, featuring a treble and bass staff. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The tempo is marked 'Moderato'. The score is divided into three systems, each containing two measures. The first system begins with a 'legato' marking. The melody in the treble staff consists of dotted half notes and quarter notes, with a slur over the first four measures and an accent on the fifth. The bass staff features a continuous eighth-note accompaniment. The second system includes a triplet of eighth notes in the treble staff. The third system concludes with a final chord in the treble staff and a sustained bass accompaniment.

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B $\flat$ E $\flat$

Stars of the sum - mer night Far,
Wind of the sum - mer night, Where

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F7(omit 5) F7/A B $\flat$ B $\flat$

far, in yon az - ure deeps; Hide, hide, your
yon - der wood - bine creeps, Fold, fold, thy

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E $\flat$ C7/E B $\flat$ /F F(omit 3) B $\flat$

gold - en light, She sleeps my la - dy sleeps.
pin - ions light, She sleeps my la - dy sleeps,

17 $E\flat m/B\flat$ $B\flat$ $E\flat m/B\flat$

Moon Dreams of the sum-mer night, Far Tell down yon-her,

20 $B\flat$ $F7/A$ $F7$ F/A $F7$ $B\flat$

west - ern steep, Sink, sink in sil - ver light She
lov - er keeps watch While in slum - bers light She

23 $A\dim7/B\flat$ $B\flat7$ $E\flat/B\flat$ $E\flat m/B\flat$ $B\flat$ $C7/E$

cresc. sleeps my la - dy sleeps, My la - dy
sleeps my la - dy sleeps, My la - dy

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F F7/E $\flat$ B $\flat$ /D G7/D C $\flat$ G7/B C $\flat$ C $\flat$ /E $\flat$

cresc.

sleeps. Sink, sink, in sil - ver light, She
sleeps, While, while in slum - bers light She

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B $\flat$ /F F7(omit 5) *ad lib.* B $\flat$

sleeps, my la - dy sleeps.
sleeps my la - dy sleeps.

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cresc. *f* *p*