

Songs of Love, Music, and Nature

10 Contemporary Solos for Female Voice and Piano

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3. MOTHER, PLEASE EXPLAIN

Traditional French Country Song
English translation by SIGMUND SPAETH

From a setting by J. B. WECKERLIN
Arranged by JOHN LEWERS

Moderately (♩ = ca. 112)

p

Moth - er, please ex - plain, what is
Ma - man, di - tes - moi ce qu'on

p

sim.

5

love? Won't you tell me? Does one feel joy, or is it sad?
sent quand on ai - me, Est - ce plai - sir, est - ce tour - ment?

legato

10

11

How am I to know what of late be - fell me?
Je suis tout le jour dans u - ne peine ex - trê - me?

sim.

10. WINTERSONG

Lyrics by
JOHN PARKER (ASCAP)

Music by
VICKI TUCKER COURTNEY (ASCAP)

Flowing (♩ = ca. 80-84)

rit.

mp

rit.

5 *a tempo*
mp

Here be - neath the snow - y cov - er, fall - en at the win - ter's trea - son,

a tempo

9

lik - ened not to an - y oth - er, lies the trac - es of a sea - son.