

REST

for S.A.T.B. voices and piano

Words by
CHRISTINA ROSSETTI (1830-1894)

Music by
RUTH MORRIS GRAY

Gently flowing, with expression (♩ = ca. 92)

PIANO

4

7 SOPRANO
rit.

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

mp 9 *a tempo*

Where sun - less riv - ers weep Their
left the ros - y morn, She

rit. e decresc.

mp

a tempo

NOTE: Christina Rossetti is considered to be the most important female poet of nineteenth-century England. A deeply religious person from an artistic family, Rossetti wrote many poems about love and loss, fantasy, and nature. "Rest" is a setting of a Rossetti's poem entitled "Dream Land." The text is not to be confused with another poem written by Ms. Rossetti, named "Rest."

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waves in - to the deep, She sleeps a charm-ed sleep: A -
left the fields of corn, For twi - light cold and lorn And

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wake her not.
wa - ter springs. *mp*

Led
Through

17

Led by a sin - gle star, She
Through sleep, as through a veil, She

by a sin - gle star, She came from ver - y
sleep, as through a veil, She sees the sky look