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THE BUTTERFLY

[THOMAS reads, hesitantly at first.]

Thomas: *The Butterfly.* By Thomas Weaver.

Music and Lyrics by
NEIL BARTRAM

Colla voce

Thomas: A♭2 A♭2/C D♭maj9

(Spoken:) In a far - off land there lived a beau - ti - ful but-ter - fly — in a

(with pedal)

A♭2 Fm7(4) G♭(9) E♭9sus E♭7

king - dom full of blos - som - cov-ered trees. And

D♭ A♭/C C♭2 B♭m7

wind - ing through this par - a - dise, a riv - er danced a - long, and

C♭sus/F♭ C♭(9)/E♭ D♭(9)/E♭

played with the con - stant sum-mer breeze. The

[THOMAS stops and looks to ALVIN for some sense of approval or disapproval.]