

WHERE GO THE BOATS?

for 2-part voices and piano
with optional PianoTrax CD*

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Thoughtfully (♩ = ca. 96)
mp

PART I

PART II

PIANO

Thoughtfully (♩ = ca. 96)
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Oo

Oo

Dark brown is the riv - er;

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7 *mp*

gold - en is the sand. It flows a - long for -

gold - en is the sand. It flows a - long for -

10

ev - er with trees on ei - ther hand.

ev - er with trees on ei - ther hand.

13 *p* *mp*

Oo cas - tles of the

Bright green leaves a - float - ing, cas - tles of the

16

foam, boats of mine a - boat - ing,

foam, boats of mine a - boat - ing

19

where will all come home? Where go the boats when they

where will all come home? Where go the boats when they

22

drift a way, as off down the stream they go? And

drift a - way, as off down the stream they go? And

25

who will bring all my boats a - shore? I guess I'll nev - er

who will bring all my boats a - shore? I guess I'll nev - er

28 *mp*

know.

know.

mp

32

On goes the riv - er and out past the

On it goes and out past the

35

mill, a - way _____ down the val - ley, a -

mill, a - way _____ down the val - ley a -

38

way _____ down the hill. A - way _____ down the

way, way down the hill. A -

41

riv - er _____ a hun - dred miles or more,

way _____ down, a hun - dred miles or more,

44

oth - er lit - tle chil - dren shall bring my boats a -

oth - er lit - tle chil - dren shall bring my boats a -

47

shore. 48 *mf* Where go the boats when they drift a - way, as

shore. *mf* Where go the boats when they drift a - way, as

50

off down the stream they go? And who will bring all my

off down the stream they go? And who will bring all my

53

boats a - shore? I guess I'll nev - er know. *mp*

boats a - shore? I guess I'll nev - er know. *mp*

mp

56

57

I guess I'll nev - er *rit.*

I guess I'll nev - er

rit.

59

a tempo *decresc.* *rit.* *p*

Oo *Oo*

decresc. *p*

know. *Oo*

a tempo *decresc.* *rit.* *p*