

COME GENTLE NIGHT

for S.S.A. voices and piano

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WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE (1564-1616)

from *Romeo and Juliet*

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Longingly (♩ = ca. 88)

SOPRANO I SOPRANO II ALTO

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PIANO

5 *p cresc.* *mp* *decresc.*

Come, gen - tie night; come, lov - ing, black - browed

Come, gen - tie night; come, lov - ing, black - browed

Come, gen - tie night; come, lov - ing, black - browed

cresc. *mp* *decresc.*

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p *f* [11]

night; Give me my Ro - me - o;

p *f*

night; Give me my Ro - me -

p

night; Give

p *f*

13

mp

— Give me my Ro - me - o; and when he shall

mp

o; Give me my Ro - me - o; when he shall

mp

me my Ro - me - o; and when he shall

mp

17

die, when he shall die,
die, when he shall die,
die, when he shall die,

21

— when he shall die,
when he shall die,
when he shall die,

25 With affection ($\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 72$)

mp

Take him and cut him out in lit - tle stars,
Take him and cut him out in lit - tle stars,
Take him and cut him out in lit - tle stars,

With affection ($\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 72$)

mp

he will make the face of heav-en so fine

accel. e cresc.

he will make the face of heav-en so fine

accel. e cresc.

he will make the face of heav-en so fine

accel. e cresc.

he will make the face of heav-en so fine

33

f

world will be in love with night and pay no wor-ship

rit. *decresc.*

f

world will be in love with night and pay no wor-ship

rit. *decresc.*

f

world will be in love with night and pay no wor-ship

rit. *decresc.*

36

Dreamlike ($\text{♩} = 80-84$)

p

to the gar ish sun.

p

to the gar - ish sun.

p

to the gar - ish sun.

mp

Take

Dreamlike ($\text{♩} = 80-84$)

p

40

slight accel. *mp* *cresc.* *rit.*

Take him and cut him

slight accel. *mp* *cresc.* *rit.*

Take him and cut him out

slight accel. and cresc. *rit.*

him and cut him out

mp slight accel. and cresc. *rit.*

43

a tempo *mp* *mf*

out in lit - tle stars,

a tempo *mp* *mf*

in lit - tle stars,

a tempo *mp* *mf*

in lit - tle stars,

a tempo *mp* *mf*

46

And

rit.

p

And

rit.

p

And

[50] With confidence ($\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 80-84$)

cresc.

rit.

he will make the face of heav - en so fine that

cresc.

rit.

he will make the face of heav - en so fine that

cresc.

rit.

he will make the face heav - en so fine,

With confidence ($\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 80-84$)

cresc.

I

II

III

IV

rit.

54 *a tempo* **f**

all the world will be in love with night.

a tempo **f**

all the world, in love, night,

a tempo **f**

all world, in love, night,

a tempo **f**

57 **mf**

And pay no wor - ship to the gar - ish sun.

decresc. **p**

wor - ship to the gar - ish sun.

decresc. **p**

wor - ship to the gar - ish sun.

mf

decresc. **p**

62 Tempo I

*p cresc.**mp*

Come, gen-tle night; come, lov - ing, black - browed

*p cresc.**mp*

Come, gen-tle night; come, lov - ing, black - browed

*p cresc.**mp*

Come, gen-tle night; come, lov - ing, black - browed

Tempo I

*p cresc.**mp**de cresc.*

66

night; Give me my Ro - me - o;

night; Give me my Ro - me -

night; Give

p

f

p

f

Give

70

— Give me my Ro - me - o; my Ro - me -
o; Give me my Ro - me - o; my Ro - me -
me my Ro - me - o; my Ro - me -
mp
sempre rit.
sempre rit.
sempre rit.

74

p
p
p
p
pp