

This transcription prepared for the 100th anniversary of the end of WWI. Lest we forget.

FLANDERS FIELDS

for S.S.S.A.A. voices, a cappella*

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(1872-1918)

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(ASCAP)

With folk-like simplicity (♩ = ca. 100)

SOPRANO I

SOPRANO II

SOPRANO III

ALTO I

ALTO II

ALTO III

pp

pp

pp

Flan - ders fields,

In Flan-ders fields the pop-pies blow Be-tween the cross-es row on

Flan - ders

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Flan - ders fields,

row, That mark our place, and in the sky The larks, still brave - ly sing - ing,

fields,

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p
In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies

p
In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies

Flan - ders fields,

fly. In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies blow Be - tween the cross - es row on

Flan - ders

p
In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies

4

7

blow

blow

Flan - ders fields,

row, That mark our place, and in the sky The larks, still brave - ly sing - ing,

fields,

blow

9

Be - tween the cross - es, row on

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Flan - ders fields,

fly. In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies blow Be - tween the cross - es row on

Flan - ders

Be - tween the cross - es, row on

11

row,

row, (on row on row on row on

Flan - ders fields,

row, That mark our place, and in the sky The larks, still brave - ly sing - ing,

fields, (row on row on

row, (row on row on

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That mark our place, and in the

row), That mark our place, and in the

p

That mark our place, and in the

fly. In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies grow Be - tween the cross - es row on

p

row), That mark our place, and in the

row), That mark our place, and in the



sky The larks, still brave - ly

sky The larks, still brave - ly

sky The larks, still brave - ly

row, That mark our place, and in the sky The larks, still brave - ly sing - ing,

sky The larks, still brave - ly

sky The larks, still brave - ly

sing - ing, fly.

sing - ing, fly. Scarce heard a -

sing - ing, fly.

fly. In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies grow Be - tween the cross - es row on

sing - ing, fly. Scarce heard a -

sing - ing, fly. Scarce heard a -

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mid the guns be - low. Scarce heard a -
row, That mark our place, and in the sky The larks, still brave - ly sing - ing,
mid the guns be - low.
mid the guns be - low.

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mid the guns be -
fly. In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies blow Be - tween the cross - es row on

23

rit. e decresc.

row. In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies blow.

25 Emotionally, with rubato

pp We are the Dead. *p* We are the

pp We are the Dead. *p* We are the

28

p ————— *f*
 We are the Dead. Short

p ————— *f*
 Dead. We are the Dead. Short

p ————— *f*
 Dead. We are the Dead. Short

p ————— *f*
 Dead. We are the Dead. Short

p ————— *f*
 Dead. We are the Dead. Short

p ————— *f*
 We are the Dead. Short

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days a - go, short days a - go We lived, felt dawn.

days a - go We

days a go, short days a - go We lived, felt dawn,

days a - go, We lived, felt dawn,

days a - go We lived,

days a - go We lived, felt dawn,



— We lived, saw sun - set glow.

lived, saw sun - set glow,

— We lived, felt dawn, saw sun - set glow,

felt dawn, saw sun - set glow, *mp*

— saw sun - set glow,

— saw sun - set glow,

Loved and were loved, and now we

Loved and were loved, and now we

Loved and were loved, and now we

Loved and were loved, and now we

glow, Loved and were loved, and now we

Loved and were loved, and now we

40

mp

lie. _____

SOLO *mp* and now we lie. _____ (end solo)

mp

lie. _____

mp

lie. _____

mp SOLO *mp* and now we lie. _____ (end solo)

mp

lie. _____

mp

lie. _____

mp

lie. _____

43

44 **Tempo 1**

pp

Flan - ders _____ fields, _____

pp as in the beginning

In Flan-ders fields the pop-pies blow Be-tween the cross-es row on

pp

Flan - ders

p

In Flan - ders fields.

Flan - ders fields,

row, That mark our place, and in the sky The larks, still brave - ly sing - ing,

fields,

mp with some urgency
Take up our quar - rel with the

mp with some urgency
Take up our quar - rel with the

Flan ders fields,

fly. In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies blow Be - tween the cross - es row on

Flan ders

mp with some urgency
Take up our quar - rel with the

50

foe:

foe:

Flan - ders fields,

row, That mark our place, and in the sky The larks, still brave - ly sing - ing,

fields,

foe:

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mf
To you from fail - ing hands we

mf
To you from fail - ing hands we

Flan - ders fields,

fly. In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies blow Be - tween the cross - es row on

Flan - ders

mf
To you from fail - ing hands we

throw, we throw the

throw, we throw the

Flan - ders, we throw the

row, That mark our place, and in the sky The larks, still brave - ly sing - ing,

fields, we throw the

throw, we throw the

rit.

rit.

rit.

rit.

rit.

rit.

torch; be yours to hold it high.

ff a tempo torch; be yours to hold it high, be

ff a tempo torch; be yours to hold it high, to

ff a tempo fly. Be yours to hold it high, to

ff a tempo torch; be yours to hold it high.

ff a tempo torch; be yours to hold it high, to

59 *rit. e decresc.* 61 *a tempo p*

If ye break
 yours to hold it high. *a tempo p* If ye break
 hold it, hold it high. *a tempo pp* Flan - ders
 hold it, hold it high. *a tempo pp* In Flan-ders fields the pop-pies
 Flan -
 hold it high. *a tempo p* If ye break

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faith with us who die,
 faith with us who die,
 fields, Flan -
 blow Be-tween the cross-es row on row, That mark our place, and in the
 ders fields,
 faith with us who die,

We shall not sleep,
 We shall not sleep,
 ders fields, Flan - ders
 sky The larks, still brave - ly sing - ing, fly. In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies
 Flan
 We shall not sleep,

though pop - pies grow
 though pop pies grow
 fields, Flan -
 blow Be - tween the cross - es row on row, That mark our place, and in the
 ders fields,
 though pop - pies grow

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In Flan - ders fields.

In Flan - ders fields.

ders fields, Flan - ders

sky The larks, still brave - ly sing - ing, fly. In Flan - ders fields the pop - pies

Flan

In Flan - ders fields.

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Though pop - pies grow In

Though pop - pies grow In

fields, Flan -

blow be - tween the cross - es row on row, That mark our place, and in the

ders fields, In

Though pop - pies grow In

Flan - ders,

Flan - ders,

ders fields, Flan - ders

sky The larks, still brave - ly sing - ing, fly. The larks, still brave - ly sing - ing,

Flan - ders

Flan - ders,

decresc. al fine rit.

Flan - ders fields.

decresc. al fine rit.

Flan - ders fields.

decresc. al fine rit.

fields, Flan - ders fields.

decresc. al fine rit.

fly. In Flan-ders fields the pop-pies blow Be-tween the cross-es row on row.

decresc. al fine rit.

fields.

decresc. al fine rit.

Flan - ders fields.