

Commissioned by The Indianapolis Men's Chorus

# BYE BYE BLACKBIRD

TTBB voices, accompanied

Lyrics by MORT DIXON  
Music by RAY HENDERSON  
Arranged by GREG GILPIN (ASCAP)

Slowly and sadly  $\text{♩} = 50$  *p*

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Accomp.

Pack up all my

Bye -

care and woe, here I go, sing - ing low. Bye -

bye, Black - bird.

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11 *mp*

Where some - bod - y waits for me, sug - ar's sweet, so is she.

11 *mp*

15 *p* Bye - bye,

*p* Bye - bye, Black - bird.

*p*

15

19 *p*

Oo

*mp*

No one here can love and un - der - stand me.

19 *mp*

*mp**rit.*

Oh, what hard - luck sto - ries they all hand me.

*p*

Oo

*rit.**a tempo**p*

Make my bed and light the light. I'll ar - rive late to-night.

*a tempo**p**p*

Black - bird, bye - bye.

*p*

35

*p*

Bye - bye,

35

39

Black - bird.

39

43

*p*

Bye - bye,

43

*mp*

Black - bird. \_\_\_\_\_

Oo  
*mf*

No one here can love and un - der -

47

*mf*

51

*mf*

Oh, what hard - luck sto - ries they all

*mp*

stand

me. Oo

51

55

*rit.**a tempo*  
*mp**cresc. poco a poco*

hand

me.

Make my bed and

55

*rit.*

*a tempo*  
*mp*

*cresc. poco a poco*

58

*f molto rit.*

light the light.

I'll ar - rive

late to - night. \_\_\_\_\_

58

*f molto rit.*

Black - bird \_\_\_\_\_

62 *a tempo*

Black - bird, \_\_\_\_\_

bye - bye. \_\_\_\_\_

*unis.*

Black - bird \_\_\_\_\_

62

*a tempo**rit.*

67

*rit.*

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