

3. Perry's Paddock

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Music: Alberto Caruso

Liberamente, molto rubato ♩ = c. 160

Soprano (and Children)
Alto
Tenor
Bass

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Orchestra

S & C
A
T
B

mp
This child walks past the crum - bling house,
mp
This child walks past the crum - bling house,
mp
This child walks past the crum - bling house,
mp
This child walks past the crum - bling house,

5

mf
p

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8

S & C

A

T

B

bro - ken fenc - es and rust - ing car;

bro - ken fenc - es and rust - ing car;

mf *p*

ped. simile

11

S & C

A

T

B

f she can - not un - der -

f she can - not un - der -

mf *f*

14

S & C *p*
stand the tin roof's holes

A *p*
stand the tin roof's holes

T *mf*
filled with his sto -

B *mf*
yarns. with his sto -

(children)

16

S & C *mf*
she on-ly sees the grace of a swan,

A

T *mf*
ry, his days and yarns.

B *mf*
ry, his days and yarns.

16

mf *p*

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19 *f* *mp* *p*

S & C
 smells wa - ter - me - lon, ap - ples and cheese.

A
 smells wa - ter - me - lon, ap - ples and cheese.

T
 8 smells wa - ter - me - lon, ap - ples and cheese.

B
 smells wa - ter - me - lon, ap - ples and cheese.

19 *f* *p* *mp* *p*

Red. * Red.

23

S & C
f Her moth - er's blan - ket

A
f Her moth - er's blan - ket

T
 8 *f* Her moth - er's blan - ket

B
f Her moth - er's blan - ket

23 *mp* *f*

* Red. * Red.

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26 *mp* (children)

S & C *mp* pil - lows with cakes, pil - lows with ___ cakes,

A *mp* pil - lows with cakes,

T *mp* pil - lows with cakes, pil - lows with ___ cakes,

B *mp* pil - lows with cakes,

mp *p*

* Led. *

30 *f* *p*

S & C *f* Gum - nuts hus - tle ___ be - tween her toes. *p*

A *f* Gum - nuts hus - tle ___ be - tween her toes. *p*

T *f* Gum - nuts hus - tle ___ be - tween her toes. *p*

B *f* Gum - nuts hus - tle ___ be - tween her toes. *p*

f *p*

Led. * Led. *

33

S & C

A

T

B

33

ff

mp

p

Red. *

36

S & C

A

T

B

pp

pp

the prayer of a fa - ther, —

She does not hear the prayer of a fa - ther,

36

pp

Red. * Red. *sva* — — — *

38

S & C She does not hear the prayer of a fa - ther,

A She does not hear the prayer of a fa - ther,

T the prayer of a fa - ther, sit - ting by his bro - ken son's bed;

B *mp* she does not hear the prayer of a fa - ther, sit - ting by his bro - ken son's bed;

cresc. poco a poco

Leg. * *Leg.* * *Leg.* * *Leg.* *

40

S & C sit - ting by his bro - ken son's bed;

A sit - ting by his bro - ken son's bed;

T sit - ting by his bro - ken son's bed;

B sit - ting by his bro - ken son's bed; sit - ting by his bro - ken son's bed;

Leg. * *Leg.* * *Leg.* * *Leg.* *

42 *f*

S & C Hope is sun - light on hos - pi - tal win - dows,

A Hope is sun - light on hos - pi - tal win - dows,

T Hope is sun - light on hos - pi - tal win - dows,

B Hope is sun - light on hos - pi - tal win - dows,

f *sva* *sva*

f *sfz*

And. *

44 *rit.*

S & C heal - ing wish - es, ban - ished re - grets.

A heal - ing wish - es, ban - ished re - grets.

T heal - ing wish - es, ban - ished re - grets.

B heal - ing wish - es, ban - ished re - grets.

dim. *p* *rit.*

46 *a tempo*

S & C

A

T

B

46 *a tempo*

subito f

f

p

p

Ped. *

50 *mp*

S & C

And watched — by these — an - cient wa - ters,

A

mp

And watched — by these — an - cient wa - ters,

T

mp

And watched — by these — an - cient wa - ters,

B

mp

And watched — by these — an - cient wa - ters,

50 *mp*

p

Ped. *

53

S & C

A

T

B

en - cir - cled by fu - ture's a - ro - ma,

en - cir - cled by fu - ture's a - ro - ma,

mf

p

And. simile

56

S & C

A

T

B

This child is a but - ter -

This child is a but - ter -

f

f

mf

59 *mp*

S & C fly's sky - wide _____ as - cent,

A fly's sky - wide _____ as - cent,

T *mf* This child__ is a but - ter - fly's sky -

B This child__ is a but - ter - fly's sky -

59 *mf*

61 (children)

S & C _____ in - sist - ent with for - ev - er and to -

A _____

T wide as - cent, _____

B wide as - cent, _____

61

63

S & C
mor - row.

A

T

B

63

p *f* *p* *f*

pp *Red.* * *Red.*

66

S & C

A

T

B

66

p *ff* *mp*

* *Red.* * *Red.* * *Red.* *

70 *p*

S & C With for - ev - er and to - mor - row.

A *p* With for - ev - er and to - mor - row.

T *p* With for - ev - er and to - mor - row.

B *p* With for - ev - er and to - mor - row.

70 *p*

ped. * *ped.* * *ped.* *

72

S & C

A

T

B

72 *f*

f *ped.* * *ped.* *