

A SONG OF AUTUMN.

Herbstlied.

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Poco Allegretto.

Voice.

Piano.

mf *lusingando* *p*

poco rit. *a tempo*

dim. *pp*

mf *v*

"Where shall we go for our gar - lands glad At the
 Wo soll ich pflü - cken den Blu - men - strauss, Wenn der

fall - - - ing of the year When the
Herbst zieht in das Land, Wenn die

pp

ped. *

cresc.

burnt - up banks are yel - low and sad When the
dür - ren Blät - ter gelb sind und kraus, Und der

cresc.

boughs are yel - low and sere? When the
Bü - sche Grün ver - schwand? Und der

dim. *p*

p *dim.* *pp*

rit.

boughs are yel - low and sere?
Bü - sche Grün ver - schwand?

colla voce *cresc.*

mf a tempo

Where are the old ones that once we had And
 Wo sind die einst schmückten un- ser Haus, Und

mf a tempo

cresc.

when are the new ones near?
 wann sind die neu - en zur Hand?

cresc. *sf* *rf*

f cantabile

What shall we do for our gar - lands glad At the
 Wo soll ich pflü - cken den Blu - men - strauss, Wenn der

cantabile *dim.*

ad. *

p *dim.* *pp*

fall - ing, At the
 Herbst - zieht, Wenn der

p

ad lib.

fall - - - ing of the year?
Herbst - - - zieht in das Land?

pp colla voce

a tempo

pp *mf* *poco rit.*

ad. *

a tempo
poco agitato

"Child! can I tell where the gar - lands go? Can I
„Kind! kann ich sa - gen wo Blu - men blüh'n? Wo - hin

pp a tempo

say where the lost - leaves veer? On the
Blatt, wo - hin Blü - te - schwand? Ob sie

cresc.

brown burnt banks, when the wild winds blow When they
fie - len un - ter der Sonn' - ne Glüh'n, Ob die

cresc.

ff allargando

drift thro' the dead - wood_ drear? When they
Win - de sie streu - ten in's Land? Ob der

ff *dim.* *rit.*

rit.

Ed. *

dim. molto *p*

drift thro' the dead - wood_ drear?
Wind sie wohl streu - te in's Land?

pp colla parte

mf a tempo *cresc. molto* *rit.*

Girl! when the gar - lands of next year glow
Früh - ling bringt Blu - men für dich, mein Kind,

a tempo *cresc. molto*

f rit.

You may gath-er a - gain, — my dear; — But
Pflü-cke sie mit der weis - sen Hand; — Doch

largamente e cantabile *ten.*

I go where the last year's lost leaves go At the fall - ing of the
ich, ich wer - de ruh'n, wo die Blät - ter sind, Wenn der Herbst zieht in das

largamente *ff colla voce* *allarg.*

a tempo

year, — At the fall - ing of the
Land, — Wenn der Herbst — zieht in das

a tempo *stringendo* *p rit.* *p colla voce*

year." —
 Land:" —

pp *lento* *rit.*