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# FOUR YEARS OLD

SONG

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# THE ROAD OF LOOKING-FORWARD.

Song.

Words by  
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Music by  
HERMANN LÖHR.

*Andante ma con moto.*  
*mf*



Oh, the Road of Look-ing - For-ward Is the road that calls to



me, There's a swing a-bout the high-way And the wind blows strong and free. etc.

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F (compass C to F) E $\flat$  and G.

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## FOUR YEARS OLD.

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Give me no mansions ivory white,  
Nor palaces of pearl and gold;  
Give me a child for all delight—  
Just four years old.

Give me no gold and starry crown  
Nor harps, nor palm branches unrolled;  
Give me a nestling head of brown—  
Just four years old.

Give me a cheek that's like the peach,  
Two arms to clasp me from the cold,  
And all my heaven's within my reach—  
Just four years old.

Dear God, you give me from your skies  
A little Paradise to hold  
As *Mary* once *her* Paradise  
Just four years old!

KATHARINE TYNAN.



To Roy Kennerley Rumford.

## FOUR YEARS OLD.

## SONG.

Words by  
KATHARINE TYNAN.Music by  
HERMANN LÖHR.*Andante poco Adagio.*

Voice.

Piano.

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It begins with a tempo marking of *Andante poco Adagio*. The voice part starts with a whole note rest, followed by a 3/4 time signature change. The piano accompaniment begins with a *mf* dynamic, featuring a series of chords and moving lines. A *riten.* (ritardando) marking is placed over the piano part. The lyrics are: "Give me no man-sions iv-ory white, Nor pal-a-ces of pearl and gold; Give me a child for". The piano part continues with a *poco rit.* marking and a *p* (piano) dynamic. The final section of the score is marked *a tempo* and includes a *cresc.* (crescendo) and *mf* (mezzo-forte) dynamic. The piano part features a series of chords and moving lines.



*dim.* all de-light Just four years old. *p*

*mf* Give me no gold and star-ry crown. *riten.* Nor harps, nor palm branches un- *p a tempo*

- rolled; *cresc.* Give me a nest-ling head of brown *mf* *dim.*

- Just four years old. *p* *poco rit.*



*a tempo*  
*p* *largamente*

Give me a cheek that's like the peach, ——— Two

*p a tempo* *largamente*

*cresc.* *f*

arms to clasp me from the cold, ——— And all my heav'n's — with —

*cresc.* *f*

*dim.* *p rit.*

— in my reach ——— Just four years old. ———

*dim.* *p colla voce*



*mf a tempo*

Dear God, you give me from your skies — A lit - tle Pa - ra - dise to

*mf a tempo*

*f*

hold — As Ma - ry once — her — Pa - ra - dise —

*f*

*mf rit.*

— Just four years old!

*mf colla voce*

*rit.*

*pp*



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