

Oh Say to My Spirit Thy Bride Will I Be

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Andante assai

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The musical score is for the hymn 'The Rose Tree'. It is written for voice and piano. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The score consists of three systems. The first system shows the vocal melody with four measures of rests, followed by the lyrics '1. Though far from thy' and '2. The blossoms and'. The second system continues the vocal melody with four measures, followed by the lyrics '3. My soul is a'. The third system shows the vocal melody with four measures, followed by the lyrics 'G' and 'is a'. The piano accompaniment is written in the lower staves, featuring a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a more complex, flowing pattern in the left hand.

1. Though far from thy
2. The blossoms and
3. My soul is a

G

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pres - ence, An ex - ile__ I rove,_____ My heart to thee trem-bles,___ The
sun - shine Are dear - er__ to me,_____ Be - cause of their dai - ly_____ Com -
mir - ror,___ Where fond - ly__ I trace,_____ The smiles, that il - lu - mine___ Thy

G Em B Am/C G/B

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star of my love; And wher - ev - er my path - way, Thru
 mun - ion with thee; Like the mu - sic of foun - tains, Or
 beau - ti - ful face. For the thoughts of thy bos - om Were

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for - est or glen, A ha - lo en - cir - cles Our meet - ing a -
 war - bling of birds, Is the del - i - cate flow Of thine el - o - quent
 born in the skies, And an - gels might cov - et The wealth of thine

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gain, A ha - lo en - cir - cles Our meet - ing a - gain.
 words, Is the del - i - cate flow Of thine el - o - quent words.
 eyes, And an - gels might cov - et The wealth of thine eyes.

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31 *f* Chorus

The stars of the Heav-en, Have brides on the sea, Oh

8 *f* The stars of the Heav-en, Have brides on the sea,

f D7 G D7 G

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say to my spir - it, Thy bride will I be, Oh

8 Oh say to my spir - it, Thy bride will I be, Oh

D7 G D7 G

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The musical score is written for four parts: two vocal staves (Soprano and Alto) and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is common time (C). The lyrics are: "say to my spir - it, Thy bride will I be." The piano accompaniment features a melody in the right hand and chords in the left hand, with chord labels C, G, D7, and G.

say to my spir - it, Thy bride will I be.

say to my spir - it, Thy bride will I be.

C G D7 G