

# Lieder

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# 1.

## Feldeinsamkeit.

### In Summer Fields.

(Hermann Allers.)

English words by Paul England.

Johannes Brahms, Op. 86. No. 2.

**Pianoforte.**

**Langsam.**  
*Slowly.*

*p*

Ich ru - he still im  
Where noon - day sleeps up -

ho - hen grü - nen Gras und sen - de lan - ge mei - nen Blick nach  
on the gras - sy hill, I lie and watch the boun - dless blue a -

o - - - ben, nach o - - - ben, von  
bove me, a - - bove me, The

Gril - len rings um - schwirrt ohn' Un - ter - lass, von Him - mels - bläu - e  
 whirr of ti - ny wings is nev - er still, To won - drous vi - sions

wun - der - sam um - wo - ben, von Him - mels - bläu - e wun - der - sam um -  
 heaven's high glo - ries move me, To won - drous vi - sions heaven's high glo - ries

wo - - - - - ben.  
 move me.

Die schö - nen wei - ssen  
 As o'er me float, a -

Wol - ken ziehn da - hin durchs tie - fe Blau, wie schö - ne stil - le  
 long the a - zure dome, The faire with clouds, like dream lands si - lent

Träu - - - me, wie schö - ne, stil - le Träu - - me;  
le - - - gions, Sike dream lands, si - lent le - - gions,

*dolce*

Mir ist's als ob ich längst ge - stor - ben bin und  
My spi - rit seeks a - gain its long - lost home And

*p*

zie - he se - lig mit durch ew' - ge Räu - me, und zie - he se - lig  
floats with them through heaven's e - ter - nal re - gions, And floats with them through

mit durch ew' - ge Räu - - - me.  
heavens e - ter - nal re - - - gions.

*pp*

# 2. Sapphische Ode. Sapphic Ode.

(Hans Schmidt.)

English words by Paul England.

Johannes Brahms, Op. 94. No. 4.

Ziemlich langsam.  
Rather slowly.

Pianoforte.

*P m. v.*

Ro - sen brach ich Nachts mir am dunk - len  
Ro - ses pulled by night from the dark'ning

Ha - - ge;  
hedge - - rows

sü - sser hauch - ten  
Breath'd up - on me

Duft sie, als je am  
sweet - er than e'er by

Ta - - ge;  
day - - time;

doch ver -  
Though the

*pp*

streu - ten reich die be - weg - - ten Ae - - ste  
 show' - ring dew from the bran - - ches shak - - en,

Thau, der mich näss - - - te.  
 Rain'd on my fore - - - head.

Auch der Küss - se Duft mich wie nie be - - rück - - te  
 kis - ses soft - ly culled from thy lips' red gar - - land'

die ich Nachts vom Strauch dei - ner Lip - - pen pflück - - te;  
*Breath'd a dee - per spell t'rough the night's en - chant - - ment;*

doch auch dir, be - wegt im Ge - müth gleich  
*Though thine eyes, o'er - whelm'd by the ris - - ing*

je - - - nen  
*pass - - - ion,*

thau - - - - - ten die  
*Wept like the*

Thrä - - - - - nen.  
*ras - - - - - es.*

# 3. Nachtigall. Nightingale.

(C. Reinhold.)

English Text by Mrs John P. Morgan.

Johannes Brahms, Op. 97. No 1.

Langsam.  
Slowly.

Pianoforte.

*f* *espressivo*

Nach - ti - - gall, dein  
night - in - - gale, thy

sü - - sser Schall, er drin - - get mir durch  
plain - tive call, Hath wound, hath wound me

Mark und Bein.  
thro' and thro'?



Nein, trau - ter Vo - - gel, nein was in mir  
 No! dear - est bird - ling, No! No sweet pain

*p dolce* *cresc. poco a poco*

schaftt so sü - - sse Pein, das ist nicht dein,  
 thou hast wak'd a new, to thee I owe,

Das ist von an - - - - - dern  
 No, it is is oth - - - - - er

*pp* *cresc.*

Him - - mels - - schö - - nen,  
 heav - - en haunt - - ed,

nun längst für  
 Tones of the

*f*

mich ver - klun - ge - nen  
Long A - - go en

Tö - - nen,  
chant - ed,

in  
That

First system of musical notation. The treble staff contains a melody with a fermata over the final note. The bass staff features a triplet of eighth notes. Dynamics include piano (*p*) in both staves.

dei - - nem Lied - lein  
thro' thy song in

lei - - ser  
e - - cho

Wie - - - der -  
soft - - - ly

Second system of musical notation. The treble staff has a melodic phrase with a fermata. The bass staff includes a triplet of eighth notes. Dynamics include piano (*pp*) in both staves.

hall,  
fall,

*dim.*

Third system of musical notation. The treble staff contains a melodic line with a fermata. The bass staff has a simple accompaniment. Dynamics include decrescendo (*dim.*) in the bass staff.

ein lei - - ser  
in e - - cho

Wie - - - der - hall!  
soft - - - ly fall!

*dolce*

*pp*

Fourth system of musical notation. The treble staff has a melodic line with a fermata. The bass staff includes a triplet of eighth notes. Dynamics include dolce (*dolce*) in the treble staff and piano (*pp*) in the bass staff.

## 4.

## „Immer leiser wird mein Schlummer.“

Faint and fainter is my slumber.

(Hermann Lingg.)

English Text by Mrs John P. Morgan.

Langsam und leise.

Slow and soft.

Johannes Brahms, Op. 105. No 2.

Pianoforte.

*pp sempre e legato*

Im - - mer lei - - ser wird mein Schlum - - mer,  
 Faint and faint - er is my slum - - ber,

Nur wie Schlei - er liegt mein Kum - - mer  
 But a reil, my sor - - row's cum - - ber

zit - ternd ü - - ber mir,  
 Tremb - ling ov - er me,

ü - ber mir.  
 ov - er me.

*dim.*

Oft im Trau - me hör' ich dich ru - - fen  
 Oft in dream I hear thee Cal - - ling

draus vor mei - ner Thür, Nie - mand  
there be fore my door No one

*pp*

wacht und öff - net dir  
there to op - en more,

*dim.*

ich er - - wach' und wei - - ne bit - ter -  
I a - - wake and weep - - ing bit - ter -

*f*

lich, wei - - ne bit - ter - lich.  
ly, weep - - ing bit - ter - ly.

*p*

*pp*

Ja, ich wer - de ster - ben  
I must die, jea soon be

müs - - sen,  
miss - - ing,  
ei - ne An - dre wirst du küs - - sen,  
And an - oth - er though bett kiss - - ing

Wenn ich bleich und kalt,  
When I'm hall and cold,  
bleich pale and kalt.  
cold.

*dim.*

Eh' die Mai - en - luf - - te wehn, eh die  
Ere the May wirts reach the wold, Ere the

Dros - sel singt im Wald: Willst du  
 wood - land ma is tune: Wouldst thou

mich noch ein - mal sehn,  
 me once move be - hold,

komm, o kom - - me bald,  
 come, o come come soon,

komm, o kom - - me bald!  
 come, o come come soon.

## 5.

# Auf dem Kirchhofe. In the Church Yard.

(Detlev von Liliencron.)

English Text by Mrs John P. Morgan.

Johannes Brahms, Op. 105. No 4.

**Moderato.**  
*Mässig.*

Pianoforte.

The piano introduction is in 3/4 time, key of B-flat major. It begins with a forte (f) dynamic. The right hand features a series of ascending eighth notes, while the left hand plays a steady eighth-note accompaniment. The piece concludes with a repeat sign.

The first line of the song begins with the vocal melody in the right hand, accompanied by the piano in the left hand. The dynamic is mezzo-forte (mf). The lyrics are: "Der Tag ging / The day pass'd". The piano accompaniment consists of eighth notes in the right hand and a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the left hand. A triplet of eighth notes is marked with a '3'.

The second line of the song continues the vocal melody and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "re - gen - schwer / dark with rain", "und / and", "sturm - be - wegt / si - lent - ly,", and "ich / to". The dynamic is piano (p). The piano accompaniment features a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand and a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the left hand. A triplet of eighth notes is marked with a '3'.

war an manch' ver - - gess' - - nem Grab ge - -  
 ma - - my long for - - got - - ten graves I

(♩ = ♩)  
 we - - sen, ver - wit - tert Stein und Kreuz,  
 wan - der - ed, storm beat - en, stone and cross,

*p* *dim.*

die Krän - - ze alt die Na - men ü - - ber -  
 the gar - - lands old, the names wash'd out and

wach - sen, kaum zu le - - sen.  
 blurr'd, soar - ecto de - ci - - pher.

*sf*



*f*

Der Tag ging sturm - be - wegt und  
The day pass'd stop - mi - ly, in

*mf*

3

re - gen - schwer, auf al - - len Grä - - bern  
hea - vy rain, on all the graves the

*p*

3

fror das Wort: ge - - we - - sen.  
fro - - zen vord: De plo - - ved.

*f*

*p*

Wie stur - mes - todt die Sär - ge schlum - mer -  
 Like temp - est dead, the dead too slum - ber

*pp legato*

ten, auf al - - len Grä - - bern thau - - te  
 ed, on ev' - - ry grave it melt - - ed

still:  
 soft:

Ge - - ne - -  
 Res - - to - -

sen.  
 red.

*red.*

# 6. Ständchen. The Serenade.

(Franz Kugler.)

Translated into English by M<sup>rs</sup> John P. Morgan.

Johannes Brahms, Op. 106. No 1.

Anmuthig bewegt.  
*Moving gracefully.*

Pianoforte.

Der Mond steht ü - ber dem  
The moon hangs ev - er the

Ber - ge so recht für ver - lieb - te Leut;  
moun - tain, just right for lov - ers dear;

Gar - ten rie selt ein Brun - - nen sonst Stil - - le,  
gar - den mur - murs a foun - - tain And si - - lence

weit und breit.  
far and near.

*p*

Ne - ben der Mau - er im Schat - ten da steh'n der Stu - den - ten  
To - jon - der arch in the sha - dow, there stand three stu - dents

drei mit Flöt' und Geig' und Zi - ther, und  
nigh with flute and fi - dle and zi - ther, And

sin - gen und spie - len da - bei, sin - - gen und  
sing - ing and play - ing there by, sin - - ging and

*cresc.*

spie - - - len da - - bei.  
play - - - ing there by.

Klän - - ge schlei - chen der Schön - - sten sacht in den  
mu - - sic strags to the dear one, Light thro' - her

Traum hin - ein  
dream is wrought,

Sie  
She

schaut den blon - den Ge - lieb - ten und  
sees her fair haired lov - er and

lis - - - pelt:  
whis - - - pers:

„ver - giss  
“for get

nicht  
me

mein“  
not!”

# 7. Mädchenlied. Song of a maid.

(Paul Heyse.)

Translated into English by Mrs John P. Morgan.

**Leise bewegt.***Lightly.*

Johannes Brahms, Op. 107 No 5.

**Pianoforte.**

Auf die Nacht in der Spinn - stub'n da  
 Spinnt Je - des am Braut - schatz, dass der  
 At night at their spin - ning Maid's  
 Each spins bri - dal trea - sure, Her

sin - gen die Mäd - chen, da la - - chen die  
 Lieb - ste sich freut. Nicht lan - - ge so  
 sing as they trin - dle To vil - - lage' lads  
 dear - est to bring Eve long the glad

Dorf - bub'n wie flink gehn die Räd - - -  
 giebt es ein Hoch zeit ge -  
 smi - ling, How swift flies the spin -  
 church bell Her wed - ding the will - - ring.

*dolce*

chen!

dle.

Kein Mensch, der mir gut ist, will nach mir fra - gen; wie  
 Not one that me near - eth Care of me ow - ning; My

*più p*

bang mir zu Muth ist, wem soll ich's kla - -  
 tim - id heart fear - eth, Who'll hear my moan - -

*dolce*

gen?  
 ing?

Die  
 The

Thrä - - nen rin - nen mir ü - bers Ge - - sicht.  
 tears are run - ning, My face ov - er - - flow.

*dolce*



Wo - - für soll ich spin - nen?  
*O ny am I spinn - ing*

Ich weiss es nicht!  
*I do not know!*

Ich weiss es  
*I do not*

nicht.  
*know*

Ich weiss es  
*I do not*

*p dolce*

nicht!  
*know!*

*m.d.*