

Ca' the yowes

Words by
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Scottish Floksong
Arranged by Ralph Vaughan Williams
(1872-1958)

Lento
p

Tenor Solo

Ca' the yowes tae the knowes, Ca' them whar the hea-ther grows,

Lento

Piano
(for rehearsal only)

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Ca' them whar the burn - ie rows, My bon - nie dear - ie. _____

SOPRANO

ppp
Ca' the yowes

ALTO

ppp
Ca' the

TENOR

ppp
Ca' the

BASS

ppp
Ca' the

10

Musical score for measures 10-13. The score consists of four vocal staves (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is two sharps (F# and C#), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are:

Soprano: tae the knowes, Ca' them whar the hea - ther grows, Ca' them whar the
 Alto: yowes Ca' them whar the hea - ther grows, Whar the
 Tenor: yowes Ca' them whar the hea - ther grows, Whar_ the
 Bass: yowes_____ Ca' them whar the___ burn - -

The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords and melodic lines in both hands.

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Musical score for measures 14-17. The score consists of four vocal staves (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is two sharps (F# and C#), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are:

Soprano: burn - ie rows, My bon - nie dear - ie._____
 Alto: burn - ie rows, My bon - nie dear - ie._____
 Tenor: burn - ie rows, My bon - nie dear - ie._____
 Bass: - ie rows, My bon - nie dear - ie._____

The piano accompaniment continues with harmonic support, featuring chords and melodic lines in both hands.

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pp
half-closed lips

pp
half-closed lips

SOLO WITH CHORUS

mp cantabile

Hark the mav - is' e'en - in' sang, Sound - ing Clud-en's woods a - mang;
Fair and love - ly as thou art, Thou hast stown my ve - ry heart;

pp
half-closed lips

22

pp

pp

Then a - fauld - in' let us gang, My bon - nie dear - ie.
I can die, but can - na part,

pp

half-closed lips

26

ppp

Ca' the yowes tae the knowes, Ca' them whar the hea - ther grows,

ppp

Ca' the yowes, Ca them whar the hea - ther grows,

ppp CHORUS ONLY

8 Ca' the yowes, Ca' them whar the hea - ther grows,

ppp

Ca' the yowes, Ca' them whar the

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Ca' them whar the burn - ie rows, My bon - nie dear - ie.

whar the burn - ie rows, My bon - nie dear - ie.

8 whar the burn - ie rows, My bon - nie dear - ie.

burn - - ie rows, My bon - nie dear - ie.

51 2. *f dolce*

— While wa - ters wim - ple to the sea While day blinks in the lift sae hie Till

f dolce

— While wa - ters wim - ple to the sea While day blinks in the lift sae hie Till

f dolce

8 — While wa - ters wim - ple to the sea While day blinks in the lift sae hie Till

f dolce

— While wa - ters wim - ple to the sea While day blinks in the lift sae

2.

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death_ shall blin' my e'e_ Ye shall be my dear - ie.

pp

clay - cauld death shall blin' my e'e_ Ye shall be my dear - ie.

pp

8 death_ shall blin' my e'e_ Ye shall be my dear - ie.

pp

hie Till death shall blin' my e'e_ Ye shall be my dear - ie.

60

pp

Ca' the yowes tae the knowes, Ca' them whar the

pp

close lips gradually *closed lips*

pp

close lips gradually *closed lips*

pp

close lips gradually *closed lips*

pp

close lips gradually *closed lips*

63

hea - ther grows, Ca' them whar the burn - ie rows

66

My bon - nie dear - ie,

(pp) My bon - nie

(pp) My bon - nie dear - -

(pp) My bon - nie dear - - - - -

70

(pp) my bon - nie dear - - - - - ie.

dear - - - - - ie.

pp dear - - - - - ie.

- ie, my dear - - - - - ie.

- ie, my dear - - - - - ie.

ppp

ppp

ppp

ppp

ppp