

To Lucasta on Going to the Wars

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Lyrics by Richard Lovelace - (1618-1658)

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(1848 - 1918)

Allegretto.
♩ = 100

mf Tell me not,

4
sweet, I am un - kind That from the

7
P dolce nun - ne - ry Of thy chaste breast And

dolce

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It features a vocal line in the upper staff and piano accompaniment in the lower staves. The tempo is marked 'Allegretto' with a quarter note equal to 100 beats. The dynamics range from mezzo-forte (mf) to piano (p) dolce. The lyrics are: 'Tell me not, sweet, I am un-kind That from the nun-ne-ry Of thy chaste breast And'.

10

qui - et mind, To war, and arms I

f *poco rit.*

mf *poco rit.*

14

fly. True, a new mis-tress now I

a tempo *f* *Animato.*

a tempo *f* *Animato.*

18

chase, The first foe in the field; And with a

23

allargando

strong - er faith em - brace A sword, a horse, a

allargando

27

a tempo

shield.

a tempo f dim

31

Yet this in - con - stan - cy is such As you too shall a -

p cresc.

35 *f sostenuto*

- dore I could not love thee, dear, so

allargando *cresc.*

38 *p*

much, Loved I not ho - - - - - nour

p cresc.

43 *a tempo*

more.

a tempo p *p*