

97. St. Cecilia

Arranged by
Alan Gray (1855-1935)

The first system of the musical score consists of three staves. The top staff is a single treble clef line. The middle and bottom staves are grouped by a brace on the left and represent the piano accompaniment, with the middle staff in treble clef and the bottom staff in bass clef. The key signature has one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 4/2. The music begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The first two staves of the piano part play a steady accompaniment of chords and moving lines. The vocal line in the top staff features a series of quarter and half notes, ending with a half note on a whole rest.

The second system of the musical score consists of three staves, continuing the arrangement from the first system. The piano accompaniment continues with similar harmonic support. The vocal line in the top staff continues with quarter and half notes, concluding with a half note on a whole rest.

In the last verse the first two lines of the Descant may be omitted and the last two lines sung as follows:

A single treble clef staff containing the melody for the final verse. The key signature has one flat and the time signature is 4/2. The melody consists of quarter and half notes, ending with a half note on a whole rest. Below the staff, the lyrics are written: "A - rise, O morn-ing Star, A - rise, and nev - er set."

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