

# Cease sorrows now

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Soprano  
Cease sor-rows now, Cease sor-rows now, cease sor-rows now,

Alto  
Cease sor-rows now, cease sor-rows now,

Tenor  
Cease sor-rows now, cease sor-rows now,

S  
for you have done the deed. Lo care hath now con-sum'd my

A  
for you have done the deed. Lo care hath now con-sum'd my car-case

T  
for you have done the deed. Lo care hath now con-sum'd my

S  
car-case quite, lo care hath now con-sum'd my car-case

A  
quite, lo care hath now con-sum'd my car-case quite, lo

T  
car-case quite, lo care hath now con-sum'd me, lo

S  
quite, lo care hath now con-sum'd my car-case quite, my

A  
care hath now con-sum'd my car-case quite, con-sum'd my car-

T  
care hath now con-sum'd my car-case quite, con-sum'd my

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S car - case quite. No hope is left, no

A case quite. No hope is left, no

T car - case quite. No hope is left, no

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S hope is left, nor help can stand in-stand, in - stand,

A hope is left, nor help can stand in-stand, nor help can stand in-stand, in- stand, For

T hope is left, nor help can stand in-stand, can stand in - stand, For dole-ful

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S For dole-ful death, for dole - ful death doth cut off plea-sure\_

A dole-ful death, for dole - ful death, dole-ful death doth cut off\_ plea - sure

T death, for dole-ful death, for dole - ful death doth cut off\_ plea - sure

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S quite, off plea-sure\_ quite. Yet whilst I hear the knoll-ing

A quite, off plea- sure quite. Yet whilst I hear the knoll-ing of the

T quite, off plea- sure quite. Yet whilst I hear the knoll-ing of the bell, yet

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S of the bell, yet whilst I hear the knoll - ing of the bell, of the bell, Be-

A bell, yet whilst I hear the knoll-ing of the bell, of the bell,

T whilst I hear the knoll-ing of the bell, of the bell,

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S fore I die, be - fore I die, I'll sing my faint fare-well, I'll

A Be - fore I die, be - fore I die, I'll sing my faint fare -

T Be - fore I die, be - fore I die, I'll sing my faint fare-well,

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S sing my faint fare - well, my faint fare - well, my faint fare - well, I'll

A well, I'll sing my faint fare - well, I'll sing my faint fare -

T my faint fare - well, I'll sing my faint fare-well,

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S sing my faint fare - well, I'll sing my faint fare - well, my faint fare-well.

A well, I'll sing my faint fare - well, my faint fare - well, fare - well.

T I'll sing my faint fare-well, my faint fare - well, my faint fare - well.