

# Pine-Hill

from *The Harmonist's Companion* (1797)

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Soprano  
1. In the full choir a broken string Groans with a strange surprise:

Alto  
2. Seraph and saint, with dropping wings, Cease their harmonious breath:

Tenor  
3. Then all at once to living strains They summon every chord:

Bass  
4. I would begin the music here, And so my soul should rise;

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The rest in silence mourn their King, Who bleeds, and loves, and dies.  
No blooming trees nor babbling springs While Jesus sleeps in death.  
Break up the tomb, and burst his chains, And show their rising Lord.  
O for some heavenly notes, to bear My spirit to the skies!