

Amidst the Flowers

A Drunk's Song

Jan Schumacher und seinen Kollegen des Männerchors
'Camerata Musica Limburg' ganz herzlich zugeeignet.

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(701 - 762)

Rhythmically but also a bit shaky $\text{♪} = 69 \rightarrow 72$

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Tenor 1 *f*
A - midst the flo - wers a jug of wine, I poura - lone_ la - cking com - pa - nion- ship.

Tenor 2 *f*
A - midst the flo - wers a jug of wine, I poura - lone_ la - cking com - pa - nion- ship.

Bass 1 *f*
A - midst the flo - wers a jug of wine, I poura - lone_ la - cking com - pa - nion- ship,

Bass 2 *f*
A - midst the flo - wers a jug of wine, I poura - lone_ la - cking com - pa - nion- ship,

T. 1 *p* *mp* *mf*
la - cking com - pa-nion- ship, la - cking com pa-nion- ship. So rai - sing the_ cup,_ cup,

T. 2 *p* *mp* *mf*
la - cking com - pa-nion- ship, la - cking com pa-nion- ship. So rai - sing the_ cup,_ cup,

B. 1 *p* *mp* *mf*
la - cking com pa-nion- ship, la - cking com - pa-nion- ship. So rai - sing the_ cup,_ cup,

B. 2 *p* *mp* *mf*
la - cking com pa-nion- ship, la - cking com - pa-nion- ship. So rai - sing the_ cup,_ cup,

8 *f* *ff* Poco allargando *dim. molto e rall.* *p*

T. 1 rai - sing the cup, I in - vite, in-vite the Moon, Then turn to my sha-dow which makes three of us.
T. 2 rai - sing the cup, I in - vite, in-vite the Moon, Then turn to my sha-dow which makes three of us.
B. 1 *f* *ff* *dim. molto* *p*
B. 2 rai - sing the cup, cup, I in - vite, in-vite the Moon, Then turn to my sha-dow which makes three of us.

A tempo più tranquillo $\text{♪} = 60$

13 *p e legato* *mp*

T. 1 Be - cause the Moon does not know how to drink, My sha - dow mere-ly fol - lows the
T. 2 Be - cause, _____ does not know, _____ My sha - dow, _____ the
B. 1 *p e legato* Be -cause the Moon does not know how to drink, My sha - dow mere-ly
B. 2 Be -cause, _____ does not know, _____ My sha - dow, _____

16 *mf*

T. 1 move-ment of my bo - dy. The Moon has brought me sha-dow to keep me com-pa-ny a
T. 2 move ment, _____ The Moon _____ to keep _____
B. 1 fol - lows the move - ment of my bo - dy. The Moon has brought me sha-dow to keep me
B. 2 the move - ment, _____ The Moon _____ to keep _____

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T. 1 Poco cresc.

while, The practise should keep pace, should keep pace, should keep pace with
Poco cresc.

T. 2 — The practise of mirth should keep pace, should keep pace, should keep pace with
Poco cresc.

B. 1 compa ny a while, The prac tise _____ should keep pace, should keep pace, should keep pace with
Poco cresc.

B. 2 _____ The practise of mirth should keep pace, should keep pace, should keep pace with

22 *mf*

A tempo ♩ = 69 à 72

T. 1 spring. I start a song and the moon be-gins to reel,

T. 2 spring. I start a song and the moon be-gins to reel,

B. 1 spring. I start, a song the moon, to reel,

B. 2 *ff* Moon, Then turn to my— sha-dow, I, I start, start a song the moon to reel,

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T. 1 I rise and dance and the sha-dow moves gro tes - que-ly. While I'm still con-scious,con-scious

T. 2 I rise and dance and the sha-dow moves gro tes - que-ly. While I'm still con-scious,con-scious

B. 1 I rise and dance and the, grotesque-ly. While I'm still con-scious,con-scious

B. 2 I rise and dance and the grotesque-ly. While I'm still con-scious,con-scious

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T. 1 *mp* > > *mf* > > *f* > >

let's, let's re-joice, re-joice with, with one an-o-ther, an-o-ther, Af-ter I'm drunk let each one

T. 2 *mp* > > *mf* > > *f* > >

let's, let's re-joice, re-joice with, with one an-o-ther, an-o-ther, Af-ter I'm drunk let each one

B. 1 *mp* > > *mf* > > *f* > >

let's, let's re-joice, re-joice with, with one an-o-ther, an-o-ther, Af-ter I'm drunk let each one

B. 2 *mp* > > *mf* > > *f* > >

let's, let's re-joice, re-joice with, with one an-o-ther, an-o-ther, Af-ter I'm drunk let each one

Largo $\text{J} = 58$

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T. 1 *ff sempre* > > >

go, each one go his way, go his way Let us bind for pas-sion-less jour-ney-ings

T. 2 *ff sempre* > > >

go, each one go his way, go his way Let us bind for pas-sion-less jour-ney-ings

B. 1 > > > *ff sempre* > > >

go, each one go his way, go his way our-selves, for pas-sion-less jour-ney-ings

B. 2 > > > *ff sempre* > > >

go, each one go his way, go his way. our-selves for e-ver for pas-sion-less jour-ney-ings

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T. 1 *mp* <= *p* *mf* <= *mp* <= *pp* <=

to meet a-gain far, far in the Mil-ky far in the Mil-ky Way.

T. 2 *mp* <= *p* *mf* <= *mp* <= *pp* <=

Let us swear to meet a-gain far, far in the Mil-ky far in the Mil-ky Way.

B. 1 *mp* <= *p* *mf* <= *mp* <= *pp* <=

Let us swear a-gain far, fat in the Mil-ky, far in the Mil-ky Way.

B. 2 *mp* <= *p* *mf* <= *mp* <= *pp* <=

Let us swear a-gain far, far in the Mil-ky, far in the Mil-ky Way. 3'13"