Poem: Wilfred Owen

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Music: James Crawford

1914: Choral Edition with Piano (S,A,T,B)

Soprano
Alto
Tenor
Baritone
Piano

ff War broke and
ff War broke and
ff War broke and
ff War broke and

S. mff now winter of the world perishing darkness closes
A. mp now winter of the world perishing darkness
T. f now winter of the world with perishing darkness
Bar. fff now the winter of the world with perishing great darkness closes

fff War broke and

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The foul tornado centered at Berlin is

...over all the width of Europe whirled, rending the sails of progress rent or furled are...
S. 

\( \text{mp cresc.} \quad ff \quad \text{verse wails.} \)

A. 

\( \text{mp cresc.} \quad ff \quad \text{verse wails.} \)

T. 

\( \text{cresc.} \quad ff \quad \text{Now begin} \)

Bar. 

\( \text{cresc.} \quad ff \quad \text{Now begin} \)

Pno. 

\( \text{dim.} \quad p \quad \text{Now begin} \)

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S. 

\( \text{f} \quad \text{cresc.} \quad \text{love's wine's thin the grain of human Autumn} \)

A. 

\( \text{f} \quad \text{cresc.} \quad \text{love's wine's thin the grain of human Autumn} \)

T. 

\( \text{cresc.} \quad \text{famines of thought and feeling, the grain of human Autumn} \)

Bar. 

\( \) 

Pno. 

\( \text{dim.} \quad p \quad \text{Now begin} \)

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Allargando

For after Spring had bloomed in early Greece, and

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