

Whence

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Charles Hubert Hastings Parry

(1848 - 1918)

Largemente.
♩ = 95

Will he come to us out of the

west With hair all blow - ing free? Will he come, the last and

best, O - - ver the flow - ing sea,

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13 *p sostenuto* *cresc.*

Pro-phet of days _____ to be ?

p *f a tempo* *f*

17 *f Animato.*

Aye, he will come; _____ the un - seen choir At -

cresc. *f*

21 *mf stringendo*

tend his steps with song, _____ And on his breast a deep-toned lyre, And

mf

26 *cresc.*

on his lips a word like fire To burn _____ the an - cient

cresc.

30 *Animato.*

wrong.

f *cresc.*

34 *f grandioso* *f*

Bay crowned and good-lier than a king, With voice both strong and

f *f*

39 *cresc.* *f allargando* *cresc.*

sweet The song of free-dom he will sing And I from out of ther

ff

44 *p* *slower* *rit.* *p*

crowd shall fling My rose-wreath at his feet.