

3 SHAKESPEARE CHORUSES

I. Over hill, over dale

William Shakespeare

Amy Beach

Allegro vivace.

Soprano 1
O-ver hill, o-ver dale, Tho-rough bush, tho-rough

Soprano 2
O-ver hill, o-ver dale, Tho-rough bush, tho-rough

Alto 1
O-ver hill, o-ver dale, Tho-rough bush,

Alto 2
O-ver hill, o-ver dale, Tho-rough bush,

Piano
(for rehearsal only)

Allegro vivace.

S1
brier, O-ver park, o-ver pale, Tho-rough flood, tho-rough

S2
brier, O-ver park, o-ver pale, Tho-rough flood, tho-rough

A1
tho-rough brier, O-ver park, o-ver pale, Tho-rough flood,

A2
tho-rough brier, O-ver park, o-ver pale, Tho-rough flood,

Piano

Allegro vivace.

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S1 *f* fire, *p dolce* I do wan - der ev' - ry where, Swift - er than the

S2 *f* fire, *p dolce* I do wan - der ev' - ry where, Swift - er than the

A1 *f* tho - rough fire, *p dolce* I do wan - der ev' - ry where, Swift - er than the

A2 *f* tho - rough fire, *p dolce* I do wan - der ev' - ry where, ev' - ry

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S1 *cresc.* moon's sphere; And I serve, *pp* And I serve the fai - ry

S2 *cresc.* moon's sphere; And I serve, *pp* And I serve the fai - ry

A1 moon's sphere; *mf* And I serve the *pp*

A2 *cresc.* where, And I serve the fai - ry queen, *pp* I serve the

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S1
queen,— I serve the fai-ry queen, To dew her

S2
queen,— I serve the fai-ry queen, To dew her

A1
fai-ry queen, I serve the fai-ry queen, To dew her orbs u-pon the green, her

A2
fai-ry queen, the fai - ry queen, To dew her orbs u-pon the green, her

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S1
orbs u - pon the green: The

S2
orbs u - pon the green: The

A1
orbs u - pon the green: The

A2
orbs u - pon the green: The

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S1 cow - slips tall her pen - sion-ers be;— In their gold coats *cresc.*

S2 cow - slips tall her pen - sion-ers be;— In their gold coats *cresc.*

A1 cow - slips tall her pen - sion-ers be;— In their gold coats *cresc.*

A2 cow - slips tall her pen - sion-ers be; In their gold *cresc.*

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S1 *dim.* spots you see;— *rit.* Those be ru - bies, fai - ry *pp a tempo*

S2 *dim.* spots you see; *rit.* Those be ru - bies, fai - ry *pp a tempo*

A1 *dim.* spots you see; *rit.* Those be ru - bies, fai - ry *pp a tempo*

A2 *dim.* coats spots you see; *rit.* Those be ru - bies, fai - ry *pp a tempo*

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cresc. *mf*

S1 fa - vours, In those freck - les live their sa - vours:

S2 fa - vours, In those freck - les live their sa - vours:

A1 fa - - - - vours, I must

A2 fa - vours, live their sa - - - - vours:

mf

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pp *mf*

S1 I must go seek some dew - drops here And hang a pearl in

S2 I must go seek some dew - drops here And hang a pearl in

A1 go seek some dew - drops here And hang a pearl in

A2 I must go seek some dew - drops here And hang a

pp *mf*

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S1 *mf*
ev' - ry cow - slip's ear, And hang a

S2 *mf*
ev' - ry cow - slip's ear, And hang a

A1 *cresc.* *mf*
ev' - ry cow - slip's ear, And hang a pearl in ev'-ry cow - slip's

A2 *cresc.* *mf*
pearl in ev'-ry cow - slip's ear, And hang a pearl in ev'-ry cow - slip's

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S1 *f* *rall.*
pearl _____ in ev' - ry cow - - slip's ear.

S2 *f* *rall.*
pearl _____ in ev' - ry cow - - slip's ear.

A1 *f* *rall.*
ear, _____ in ev' - ry cow - - slip's ear.

A2 *f* *rall.*
ear, _____ in ev' - ry cow - - slip's ear.

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