

For Jo Williamson & Le Voci

# THE BLACKSMITH

arr. Robert Peate

Plaintive  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 42-50$

Soprano *pp* < *mf* *dim. a niente* SOLO/SMALL GROUP *mp*  
oh \_\_\_\_\_ A black-smith bur-ted

Alto *pp* < *mf* *dim. a niente*  
oh \_\_\_\_\_

Piano *mf* *sf* *p*  
Ped. \_\_\_\_\_

8  
S me, nine months and bet-ter; he fair-ly won my heart, wrote

13  
me let-ter; With his ham-mer in his hand, he looked so cle-ver

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18 rit. . . . a tempo *mf*

S And if I were with my love, I would live for-ev - er.

22 rit. . . . a tempo **SMALL GROUP** *mf*

S Oh who is my love, with his

S *p* *mf* *pp* oh, oo,

A *p* *mf* *pp* oh, oo,

*mf* *sf* *sim.*

28

S cheek ke ses? He's gone a-cross the sea, gath - 'ring prim-ro - ses.

S oo, oo,

A oo, oo, oo,



48

S news is car - ried Strange news flies up and down that my love is mar - ried.

A news is car - ried Strange news flies up and down that my love is mar - ried.

5

53

S Oh I wish them both much joy, though they can't hear me

A Oh I wish them both much joy, though they can't hear me

rit.

58

S Un po' meno mosso

A And may God re - ward him well for the sligh - ting of me.

And may God re - ward him well for the sligh - ting of me.

Tempo primo

63

S *pp*  
ah,

S *pp*  
ah,

A *mp*  
What did you pro-mise me when you

A *mp*  
What did you promise me when you

68

S *ah,* not de -

S *ah,* not de -

A lay be-side me? You said you'd ma-rry me and not de - ny me.

A lay be-side me? You said you'd ma-rry me and not de - ny me.

poco rit. . . . . Meno mosso

73

S -ny Her lips grew pale and wan, it made a poor heart trem-ble, For to

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A Her lips grew pale and wan, it made a poor heart trem-ble oh

A Her lips grew pale and wan, it made a poor heart trem-ble oh

*fp* *p* *mf* *p* *pp*

A tempo

*dim. a niente*

78

S think that she loved one, And proved de- ceit - ful.

S think that she loved one, And proved de- ceit - ful.

A And he proved de- ceit - ful.

A And he proved de- ceit - ful.

*pp* *p* *dim. a niente*

rit. . . . .

*p* *sf*