

69

WIFE
love her And lay her snug in bed for the

HUSBAND
hug her and kiss her and love her And lay her snug in bed for the

Vln. *f*

Vc. *f*

71 **J** ♩ = 69

WIFE
night.

PAULINE
mf Her eyes welled with wa - ter, Burn-ing her face as it fell, She

LUCINDA
mf Her eyes welled with wa - ter, Burn-ing her face as it fell, She

KELLY
mf Her eyes welled with wa - ter, Burn-ing her face as it fell, She

HUSBAND
night.

Fl. *mf*

Vln.

Vc.

Pno. *ff*

75

WIFE

SM

PAULINE

LUCINDA

KELLY

HUSBAND

Fl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

78 $\text{♩} = 88$

WIFE

SM

PAULINE
tears fell on the fi-gure in snow, And to her sur - prise, Be -

LUCINDA
tears fell on the fi-gure in snow, And to her sur - prise, Be -

KELLY
tears fell on the fi-gure in snow, And to her sur - prise, Be -

HUSBAND

Fl.
f *mf* 5

Vln.
gliss. *mf* 5

Vc.
gliss. *mf* 5

Pno.
mf 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5

Ped.

80

PAULINE
fore their wear - y, blear - y eyes, The girl be - gan to grow._____

LUCINDA
fore their wear - y, blear - y eyes, The girl be - gan to grow._____

KELLY
fore their wear - y, blear - y eyes, The girl be - gan to grow._____

Fl.
5 5 5

Vln.
5 5 5 5

Vc.
5 5 5 5

Pno.
6 6 6 6 6 7 7 7 7 7

82 **K** ♩ = 100

WIFE
Do I be - lieve what I

HUSBAND
Do my eyes de - - ceive me?

Pno.
ff ♩ = 100

Ed.

84

WIFE

see?

SM

Ah! *f*

Ah!

PAULINE

LUCINDA

KELLY

HUSBAND

Do you see what I see, wife?

Fl.

mf

Vln.

mf

Vc.

Pno.

87

WIFE

I can hard - ly con-ceive it!

SM

Ah!

PAULINE

LUCINDA

KELLY

HUSBAND

An in - an - i - mate ob - ject brought to life!

Fl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

90 *f*

SM
Ah, I wak - en from such a slum - ber. My sen - ses un - sheathe.

Fl.

Vln. arco *sfp*

Vc. *sfp*

Pno. *f*



94

SM
I nev - er no - ticed my heart - beat be - fore, flut - ter so wild - ly.

Fl.

Vln. *sfp*

Vc. *sfp*

Pno. *f*

Ped.

97 ♩ = 60

WIFE
No place.

SM
From whence did I come? Oh. And

HUSBAND
You formed from snow.

Vln. *tr* (to D) *mp*

Pno. ♩ = 60 (to B) *mp*
Ped. (hold down until m. 100)



101

WIFE
We do not know.

SM
what am I called? Oh. And who are you to me?

HUSBAND
No name.

Fl. *tr* to (F#) *mp*

Vln. *tr*

Vc. *tr* (to G#) *mp*

Pno. *tr*

105 **L** ♩ = 100

WIFE
We are your mo-ther and fa - ther. —

SM
Ah! — Last night I dreamt I

HUSBAND
We are your mo-ther and fa - ther. —

Fl.
(tr) (to Ab) tr

Vln.
pizz. *mf*

Vc.
pizz. *mf*

Pno.
(tr) **L** ♩ = 100 *mf*

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111

SM
danced a - mong the trees. Though the bran-ches were bare, — the

Fl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

114

WIFE

SM
ice hang - ing there Spark - led as the sun

Fl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.



116

WIFE

SM
rose. When sud - den - ly, I was a - ware I'd been

Fl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

Heroic
M ♩ = 69

arco p arco ff arco p arco ff

Heroic
M

119 **Freely**

WIFE

SM
seen by a wo-man in want of re-prose, Weep-ing with sor-row, a fear of to-mor-row. When she

HUSBAND

Fl.
arco *p* arco *ff* arco *p* arco *ff*

Vln.
p arco *ff* arco *p* arco *ff*

Vc.
p *ff* *p* *ff*

Pno.

Freely

123 **rit.** $\text{♩} = 100$

WIFE

SM
saw me, she froze. I chose to laugh: Ha ha ha ha, ha ha ha ha. Ha ha ha ha,

HUSBAND

Fl.
mf *mf*

Vln.
pizz. *mp* pizz. *mp* pizz. *mp*

Vc.
mp *mp*

Pno.
rit. $\text{♩} = 100$

128

rit. ♩ = 69

WIFE

SM
ha ha ha ha. so to cheer her. In - stead, I fear, I failed: Her sad - ness pre

HUSBAND

Fl.
sfp

Vln.
sfp arco

Vc.
sfp

Pno.
rit. ♩ = 69

133 ♩ = 100

WIFE

SM
vailed. Are you the wo-man I saw?

HUSBAND

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.
♩ = 100
ff

137

WIFE
Yes. Ah! How?

SM
Ah! *port.* Mo-ther, do not cry. I am here now.

HUSBAND

Fl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

8^{va}-----



N Grandly ♩. = 50

139

WIFE

SM

HUSBAND
mf Mir - a - cles hap - pen. Why should we ques-tion what God has de - li - vered?

Fl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.
mf

8^{va}-----

Ped.

145

WIFE
wares. Ah, joy!

SM
Ah, joy!

PAULINE

LUCINDA

KELLY

HUSBAND
Ah, joy!

Fl.
f

Vln.
arco f

Vc.
arco f

Pno.
ff

O ♩. = 69

147

WIFE *f*
We will teach you to sew, _____ to sew, _____ To thread a

SM *f*
To sew. _____

HUSBAND *f*
We will teach you to sew, _____ to sew. _____ To thread a

Fl. *f*

Vln. *f*

Vc. *mf*

O ♩. = 69

150

WIFE
nee - dle, _____ darn our socks. We'll spin you a yarn, _____ a yarn, _____

SM
A yarn. _____

HUSBAND
nee - dle, _____ darn our socks. We'll spin you a yarn, _____ a yarn. _____

Fl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno. *Red.* *simile*

153

WIFE
Like the one of the bears and Gold-i-locks, Ah! Or the

SM
Like the one of the bears and Gold-i-locks, Ah! Or the

HUSBAND
Like the one of the bears and Gold-i-locks, Ah! Or the

Fl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

Red.

157

WIFE
gi-ant man_with the big, blue. ox. We will teach you to sing And laugh when life is

SM
gi-ant man_with the big, blue. ox. You will teach me to sing And laugh when life is

HUSBAND
gia-ant man_with the big, blue. ox. We will teach you to sing And laugh when life is

Fl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.
dim. *mf*
Red.

162 **rall.**

WIFE
low. Your smile will glow so bright!

SM
low. Your smile will glow so bright!

HUSBAND
low. Your smile will glow so bright!

Fl.
Vln.
Vc.

Pno.

165 **more deliberate**

WIFE
Then, we will hug you and kiss you And lay you snug in bed_____ for the

SM
Then, you will hug me and kiss me And lay me snug in bed_____ for the

HUSBAND
Then, we will hug you and kiss you And lay you snug in bed_____ for the

Fl.
Vln.
Vc.

Pno.

INTERLUDE

1 **P** ♩ = 100 2

WIFE
night.

SM
night.

HUSBAND
night.

Fl.

Vln.

Vc.

P ♩ = 100

Pno. *ff*

Red.

5

Fl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.