

At the Water's Edge

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I. Top of the Hill

Slowly, with expression $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 52$

pp *poco rall.*

Soprano

Oo

Keyboard
(for rehearsal only)

pp *poco rall.*

5 *a tempo* *p - mp*

S — I love the stee-pled town, The riv - er wind - ing down, The slow salt tide that
p - mp high a - bove them all U - pon my broad-backed hill, Far from shrill voic - es

A I love the stee-pled town, The riv - er wind - ing down, The slow salt tide that
p - mp high a - bove them all U - pon my broad-backed hill, Far from shrill voic - es

T I love the stee-pled town, The riv - er wind - ing down, The slow salt tide that
p - mp high a - bove them all U - pon my broad-backed hill, Far from shrill voic - es

B I love the stee-pled town, The riv - er wind - ing down, The slow salt tide that
p - mp high a - bove them all U - pon my broad-backed hill, Far from shrill voic - es

a tempo *p*

II. Boat Song

Gently flowing ♩ = 104

S *p* Oh, rest your oars and

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A *p* Oh, rest your oars and

Piano or Harp *p*

ped.

7

mf let me drift _____ While all the stars come out to see! _____ The

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pp *p* *pp* *p*

III. In Restless Waves

Slowly ♩ = c. 66
mp

S
God bless them all who die at sea! If they must sleep in

A
God bless them all who die at sea! If they must sleep in

T
God bless them all who die at sea! If they must sleep in

B
God bless them all who die at sea! If they must sleep in

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mp *cresc. poco a poco*
rest - less waves, ———— Oh, make them dream they are a -

mp *cresc. poco a poco*
rest - less waves, ———— Oh, make them dream they are a -

mp *cresc. poco a poco*
rest - less waves, Oh, make them dream they are a -

mp *cresc. poco a poco*
rest - less waves, Oh, make them dream they are a

IV. The Eagle Trees

With quiet strength ♩ = c. 66

S

A

T *p*

B *p*

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Great pines that watch the riv-er go Down to the sea all night all day, Firm-

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5

mp cresc.

mp cresc.

mp cresc.

mp cresc.

Strong limbed and proud they si-lent

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8 root-ed near its ebb and flow, Bow-ing their heads to winds at play, Strong limbed and proud they si-lent

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