

### 3. Just as the Tide was Flowing

*Allegro vivace* *mf risoluto*

Sopranos  
 Altos  
 Ténors  
 Basses

Down by some roll - ing riv - er,  
 Down by some roll - ing riv - er,  
 One morn - ing in the month of May, Down by some roll - ing riv - er, A  
 One morn - ing in the month of May, Down by some roll - ing riv - er, A

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When I be - held my lov - er.  
 When I be - held my lov - er. Ah  
 jol - ly sai - lor, I did stray, When I be - held my lov - er. She care - less - ly a -  
 jol - ly sai - lor, I did stray, When I be - held my lov - er. She care - less - ly a -

11 *mf*

And sweet-ly sang her roun - de - lay, Just

*mf*

Ah And sweet-ly sang her roun - de - lay, Just

8 - long did stray. A - pick - ing of the dais - ies gay; And sweet-ly sang her roun - de - lay, Just

- long did stray. A - pick - ing of the dais - ies gay; And sweet-ly sang her roun - de - lay, Just

16 *mf* *leggerio*

as the tide was flow - ing. O! her dress it was so white as milk, Ah

*mf* *leggerio*

as the tide was flow - ing. O! her dress it was so white as milk, Ah

8 as the tide was flow - ing. And *mf* *leggerio*

as the tide was flow - ing. And

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Her shoes were made of the crim-son silk. Ah

Her shoes were made of the crim-son silk. Ah

8 jew - els did a - dorn her. Just like some la-dy of

jew - els did a - dorn her. Just like some la-dy of

25 *p* *leggerio* *poco f*

Her cheeks were red, her eyes were brown Her hair in ring-lets hang - ing down; She'd a

*p* *leggerio* *poco f*

Her cheeks were red, her eyes were brown Her hair in ring-lets hang - ing down; She'd a

8 hon - our. She'd a love - ly

hon - our. She'd a love - ly

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love - ly brow with - out a frown. Just as the tide was flow - ing. I

love - ly brow with - out a frown. Just as the tide was flow - ing. I

*poco f* brow with - out a frown. Just as the tide was flow - ing. I

*poco f* brow with - out a frown. Just as the tide was flow - ing. I

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made a bow and said "Fair maid, How came you here so ear - ly; My heart by you it

made a bow and said "How came you here so ear - ly; My heart it

made a bow and said "How came you here so ear - ly; My heart it

made a bow and said "How came you here so ear - ly; My heart it

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is be - tray'd For I do love you dear - ly. I am a sai - lor come from sea If

is be - tray'd For I do love you dear - ly. I am a sai - lor come from sea If

is be - tray'd For I do love you dear - ly. I am a sai - lor come from sea If

is be - tray'd For I do love you dear - ly. I am a sai - lor come from sea If

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you will ac-cept of my com - pa - ny To walk and view the fish - es

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you will ac-cept of my com - pa - ny To walk and view the fish - es play." Just as the tide was



59 *rit.* *a tempo*, *ff*

flow - ing. No more we said, but

*rit.* *a tempo*, *ff*

ing. No more we said, but

8 *rit.* *a tempo*, *ff*

flow - ing. No more we said, but

*rit.* *a tempo*, *ff*

- ing, was flow - ing. No more we said, but

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on our way We gang'd a - long to - ge - ther; The small birds sang, and the lambs did play, And

on our way We gang'd a-long to - ge - ther; The small birds sang, and the lambs did play, And

8 on our way We gang'd a - long to - ge - ther; The small birds sang, and the lambs did play, And

on our way We gang'd a - long to - ge - ther; The small birds sang, and the lambs did play, And

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plea - sant was the wea - ther. When we were wea-ry we did sit down, Be - neath a tree with

plea - sant was the wea - ther. Ah Ah Ah

plea - sant was the wea - ther. Ah Ah Ah

plea - sant was the wea - ther. When we were wea-ry we did sit down, Be - neath a tree with

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bran - ches round; For my true love at last I'd found, Just as the tide was flow - ing.

For my true love at last I'd found, Just as the tide was flow - ing.

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*molto rall.*

*molto rall.*

*molto rall.*

*molto rall.*

bran - ches round; For my true love at last I'd found, Just as the tide was flow - ing.