

ART SONG TRANSPPOSITIONS

Art Songs and Arias in Any Key

Franz Joseph Haydn (1732-1809)

Sailor's song

Hob.XXVIa:31 | Poet: Anne Hunter (1742-1821)

in G-flat major



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Allegretto

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It begins with a piano introduction in the key of B-flat major, 2/4 time, marked 'Allegretto'. The piano part features a rhythmic accompaniment of eighth and sixteenth notes, with dynamic markings of *f* and *p*. The vocal line enters at measure 6 with the lyrics: "High on the gid - dy bend - ing mast, the sea - man furls the". The piano accompaniment continues with chords and moving lines. At measure 12, the vocal line continues: "rend - ing sail, and, fear - less of the rush - ing blast, he". The piano part provides harmonic support with chords and melodic fragments. At measure 16, the vocal line concludes: "care - less whis - tles to the gale." The piano accompaniment ends with a final cadence in the key of B-flat major.

41

-bur - ly, war nor death can him dis -

f *p*

46

-please, can him dis - please, can him dis - please.

f

50

The hos - tile foe his ves - sel seeks, high bound - ing o'er the

p

54

rag - ing main, the roar - ing can - non loud - ly speaks, 'tis

f *p*

59

Bri-tain's glo - ry we main - tain, 'tis Bri - tain's glo

f

64

ry we main - tain.

p

69

Rat - tling ropes and roll - ing seas,

72

hur - ly - bur - ly, hur - ly - bur - ly, war nor

f

77

death can him dis - please, can him dis - please,

p *f* *p*

81

hur - ly - bur - ly, hur - ly - bur-ly, hur-ly-bur-ly, hur-ly -

85

-bur - ly, war nor death can him dis -

f *p*

90

-please, can him dis - please, can him dis - please.

f