

Songs in the Night

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SATB and Piano*

Adapted from texts by
William Blake (1757–1827) and
Henry Wadsworth Longfellow (1807–1882)
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Music by
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Soprano Alto Tenor Bass

Serenely (♩ = ca. 72)

p

4 SA *poco rit.* *p*
The

poco rit.

7 *a tempo*
sun de-scend-ing in the west, the eve-ning star does

a tempo

Performance time: ca. 3:40

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10 SA
shine;
TB *p*

The birds are si - lent in their nest, _____ and

13 *mp*

The moon, in its
mp

I must seek for mine. _____

mp

16

or - bit, sits in heav'n _____ on high, with

19

si - lent de-light gent-ly smiles on the night.

22 *poco rit.* Gently moving (♩ = 88)

poco rit. And the night shall be filled with

Gently moving (♩ = 88)

poco rit.

25

mu - sic, and the night will

8va - 7 loco

28

ech - o — with song. — And the

31 *f*

cares of the day — shall si - lent - ly fade a -

34 *mp* *poco rit.*

way, — as mu - sic fills — the

37

a tempo

poco accel. mf

night. Such

a tempo *poco accel. mf*

a tempo *poco accel.*

Moving ahead (♩ = 92-96)

39

songs have pow'r to qui - et the rest - less pulse of

Moving ahead (♩ = 92-96)

mf flowing

42

care, and come like a ben - e - dic - tion that