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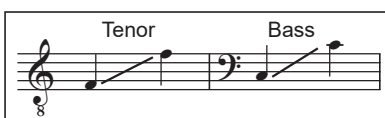


The Rocky Road to Dublin

TB and Piano* with Opt. Fiddle**

Traditional Irish Folk Song

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With jubilant gusto! (♩ = ca. 104)

mf

5 T *mf* In the mer - ry month of May, *mf*
B from my home I start - ed.

8 Left the girls be - hind, Sa - lut - ed fa - ther dear,
near - ly bro - ken - heart - ed.

Performance time: ca. 2:35

*Also available: Accompaniment mp3 (CGE615a).

**Fiddle part is available for free download. Visit www.choristersguild.org and search for CGE615.

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fright - ened all the dogs — on the rock - y road to Dub - (buh) - lin.

22

One, two, three, four, five. Hunt the hare, and turn her down the rock - y road,

25

all the way to Dub - (buh) - lin. Hey! Fo - lol - de -

*fo - lol - deh - rah (nonsensical phrase)

35

8

ra! Hey! *Fo - lol - de - ra!* Hey! *Fo -*

sang a-long the way, to keep my heart from sink-ing. That's the best I know,

38

8

lol - de - ra! See the lass - ies smile, sing - ing all the while,

sing - ing as I go. —

f

41

8

this, my cur - ious style t'would set your heart a - bub - blin'. They

50

f

all the way to Dub - (buh) - lin. Hey! Fo - lol - de - ra! _____

f

f

53

mf

In Dub - lin next ar-rived, _____

mf

In Dub - lin next ar-rived, I thought it such a pit - y,

mf

56

soon to be de - prived. _____

soon to be de - prived a view of that fine cit - y.

64



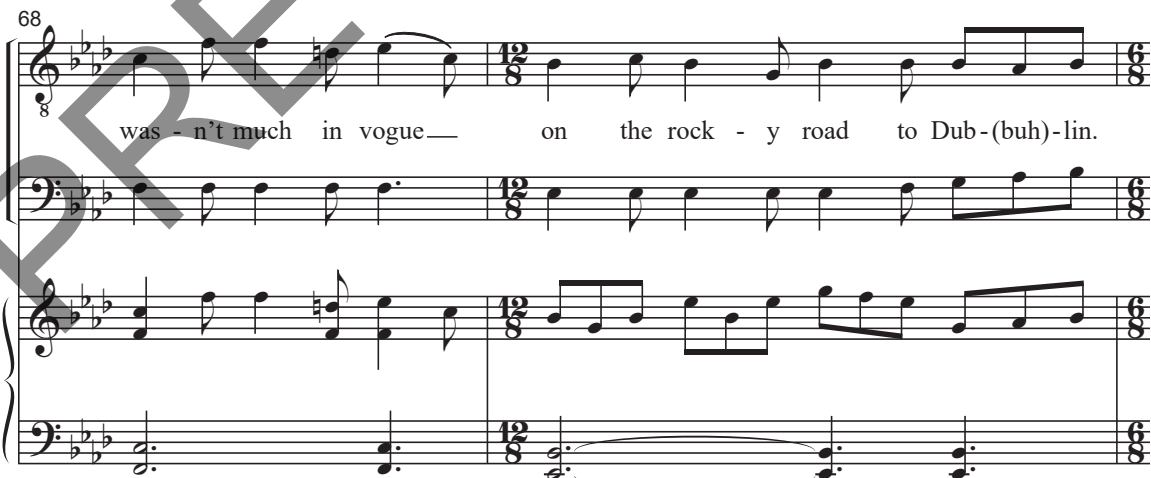
bun - dle I could find up - on the stick a - wob-(buh) - lin'.

66



Ask - ing for the rogue, they said my *Con - naught brogue

68



was - n't much in vogue— on the rock - y road to Dub-(buh)-lin.

**Kon-hant*

70

One, two, three, four, five. That's the best I know,

73

sing - ing as I go, this my cu - rious style would set your heart a - bub - (buh) - lin'.

76

See the lass - iessmile, laugh - ing all the while. They, my heart be - guiled —



79

on the rock - y road to Dub-(buh)-lin. Hey! Fo-lol - de - ra!

82

mp cresc. Hey! Fo-lol - de-ra, fo - de -

p cresc. Hey! Fo-lol - de-ra, fo - de -

84

ra! Hey! Fo - lol - de - ra!

ra! Hey! Fo - lol - de - ra!