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Looking for a Sunset Bird in Winter

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SSA and Piano*

Words by Robert Frost (1874-1963), alt.
from *New Hampshire*

Music by
Douglas E. Wagner

Soprano I Soprano II Alto

Gently (♩ = ca. 58)

mp

pedal harmonically

4 **SI, SII**
rit. *a tempo* *mp*

A
rit. *a tempo* *mp*

The
mp

The

7
west was get - ting out of gold, the
west was get - ting out of gold, the

Performance time: ca. 3:40

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16

sum - mer when I passed the place I

sum - mer when I passed the place_____ I

18

had to stop_____ and lift my face;_____ A

had to stop_____ and lift my face;

20

bird with an an - gel - ic gift was

A bird with an an - gel - ic gift_____ was

30 *rit.* *mp*

in go-ing 'round the tree. From

go-ing twice — a-round the tree. From

rit. *mp*

33 **Tempo I** (♩ = ca. 58)

my ad-van-tage on a hill I judged — that such a crys-tal

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Tempo I (♩ = ca. 58)

36

chill — was on - ly add - ing frost to snow — as

chill was on - ly add-ing frost to snow



46

north to south a - cross the blue; A

from north or south a - cross, a - cross the blue; A

48

pierc - ing lit - tle star was through. *mp*

pierc - ing lit - tle star was through. *mp*

51 *rit.* **Slower and freely**

A lit - tle star was through. #8

rit. A lit - tle star was through.

Slower and freely