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Allegretto moderato.

PIANO. *mf*

p meno mosso

An aged Vi - king dy - ing

poco a poco dim. e rit. *meno mosso* *p*

Tempo Imo *mf*

lay..... A brave old chief was

pp Tempo Imo *mf*

mp

he..... He thought of his com - rades

dim. *p*

ten. *cresc.*

far a - way On the o - cean wild and free, On the o - cean

ten. *cresc.*

wild and free..... "Oh,

f *p*

f *p*

And *

bu - ry me deep in the sea, he said, deep in the sea, When the tempest

cresc.

cresc.

rends the

And * *And* *

ff
sky..... For a

ff
Red. *

Vi - king's grave is the o - cean's bed, where the

f
Red. *

o - cean's he - roes lie?.....

Red. *

They

dim. *p rit.*
Red. * Red. * Red. *

meno mosso

told him of his fa - ther's grave. Neath the cas - tle's

meno mosso

pp *cresc.*

si - lent walls, Whose soul was now with the

cresc.

mf

might - y brave In bright Val - hal - la's

mf

p

halls, The dy - ing chief - tain shook his head, And

ten. *p*

cresc. e poco accel. *ten.* *f* *Tempo Imo*

firm was his re - ply: "Oh, a Vi - king's grave is the

cresc. e poco accel. *f* *Tempo Imo*

*Ad. **

o - cean's bed, Where the o - cean's he - roes

lie"

*Ad. * Ad. * Ad. **

p

*Ad. * Ad.*

p

Dark was the night, and the wind blew loud 'mong the

p

poco riten.

p

pine - trees on the shore, They bore his bier thro' a

p poco riten.

a tempo cresc.

mourn - ing crowd, Where the an - gry break - ers

a tempo cresc.

f

p

ten.

roar. Far in the deep they sunk their

p legato ten.

cresc.

Dead, While the tem-pest raged.....

cresc.

..... on high.....

f *ff*

ff

marcato

..... For a Vi-king's grave is the o - ceans bed, Where the

marcato

rit. al fine *ten.*

o - cean's he - roes lie, Where the o - cean's he - roes lie.....

rit. al fine *ten.* *p*