



PLEADING

SONG

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The music by

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Will you come homeward from the hills of Dreamland,
Home in the dusk, and speak to me again ?
Tell me the stories that I am forgetting,
Quicken my hope, and recompense my pain ?

Will you come homeward from the hills of Dreamland ?
I have grown weary, though I wait you yet ;
Watching the fallen leaf, the faith grown fainter,
The memory smoulder'd to a dull regret.

Shall the remembrance die in dim forgetting—
All the fond light that glorified my way ?
Will you come homeward from the hills of Dreamland,
Home in the dusk, and turn my night to day ?

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Andante. *dolce* *p*

Will you come homeward from the hills of Dream-land,

mf *p*

Ped. *

Home in the dusk, and speak to me a-gain? Tell me the sto-ries that I

affrettando *rit. e dim.*

am for-get-ting, Quicken my hope and re-compense my pain?

dim.

affrettando *mf* *dim.* *colla parte*

Lento. dolce

Will you come home-ward from the hills of Dream-land?

p *rit.*

pp *Ped.* *

Andante. a tempo

I have grown wea - ry, though I wait you yet;

mf *rit.* *pp ten.*

a tempo *mf* *colla parte* *pp* *ten.*

rit. e dim.

Watch - ing the fal - len leaf, the faith grown faint - er,

dim. colla parte *Ped.* *

ad lib.

The mem'ry smoul-der'd to a dull re - gret.

mf *rit.* *a tempo* *rit.* *a tempo* *cresc.* *Ped.* * *Ped.* *

f *P*

Shall the re - mem - brance die in dim for - get - ting -

f *sf* *P*

Ped. * Ped. *

molto allargando *f* *ff* *rit.* *a tempo*

All the fond light that glo - ri - fied my way?

f *colla parte* *sf* *rit.* *a tempo*

can Ped. *Ped.* *

Lento molto espress. *pp*

Will you come home - ward from the hills of Dream - land,

Ped. * *Ped.* * *Ped.* * *Ped.* *

cresc. *rit.* *rit. e dim.*

Home in the dusk, and turn my night to day?

cresc. *f* *pp*

Ped. *

SIX RUSSIAN SONGS

1. A BALL-ROOM MEETING (COUNT A. TOLSTOI) *P. Tchaikovsky.*
 2. REGRET (D. RATHAUS) - - - *P. Tchaikovsky.*
 3. SILENT SORROW (A. KOLTSOV) - - - *A. Dargomijsky.*
 4. AN EASTERN SONG (A. POUCHKIN) - - - *A. Dargomijsky.*
 5. A ROSE IN AUTUMN (N. AKSAKOV) - - - *M. Balakirev.*
 6. DEAREST LITTLE MAIDEN (Folk-Song) - *A. Dargomijsky.*
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