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My sea-side Home

Ballad

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Music by B.F. Baker.

Andante.

1. O swel - - ling seal thou deep blue sea! How rest - - less, free and
grand thou art! How dear to me thy murmurs are, At
thought o thee, how thrills my heart! Nor gurgling
brook nor birds' sweet lay, So dear assound of thee, O seal
colla voce.

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Detailed description: This is a musical score for a song. It consists of four systems of music. Each system has a vocal line on a single treble clef staff and a piano accompaniment on a grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 3/4. The tempo is marked 'Andante'. The lyrics are written below the vocal line. The first system starts with '1. O swel - - ling seal thou deep blue sea! How rest - - less, free and'. The second system continues with 'grand thou art! How dear to me thy murmurs are, At'. The third system has 'thought o thee, how thrills my heart! Nor gurgling'. The fourth system concludes with 'brook nor birds' sweet lay, So dear assound of thee, O seal' and ends with a double bar line. The piano accompaniment features a steady, rhythmic pattern in the right hand and a more melodic line in the left hand. The overall mood is serene and nostalgic.

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1. And then when sadness pierced my breast, When those I dear-ly

Musical notation for the first system, including vocal line and piano accompaniment.

2. From child-hood's hour, I've loved to roam, 'Mong rocks and cliffs where

loved proved false, Thy bounding bil-lows sang of him, Who

Musical notation for the second system, including vocal line and piano accompaniment.

sea birds come; And then, re-treat from waves that laved My

spoke the tem-pest in-to peace. Ah! pines my

Musical notation for the third system, including vocal line and piano accompaniment.

ti-ny feet with moss and foam, Ah! those were

heart at thought of thee, And of my home just by the sea.

Musical notation for the fourth system, including vocal line and piano accompaniment.

joy-ous days to me, When on thy beach I played, O seal

colla voce.

5. And when de - - - vo - - - tion's twi - light hour, Al - - - lured me on thy

3. When hap - - pi - - ness my ho - som swelled, My wil - - - ling feet were

shore to stray, Thy pear - ly beach and roll - - ing surf, In - - -

turned to thee, And in thy spark - - - ling, crested waves Was

spired my soul and helped me pray. Ah! thrills my

sure of love and sym - - - pa - - - thy Nor hill, nor

heart when thought of thee, Up - - - lifts to God, Thy God, O sea!

dell, nor lawn nor tree, So dear as glimpse of thee, O sea

colla voce.