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Love is like the Morning Dew.

In every song, I'll sing to thee.

The Flowers of the Forest.



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MY LOVE.

MEIN LIEBCHEN.

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Allegretto.
molto leggiero.

1. My
2. My
3. My
1. Mein
2. Mein
3. Mein

love is like the mor-ning dew, That on the meadows green descends Yet
love is like the ten-der light, Of sil-ver moon in nights of May; The
love is like the sun-set gleams That shines and glistens through the leaves Or
Lieb-chen gleicht dem Mor-gen thau, der frisch und hell die Flur erquickt, doch
Lieb-chen gleicht dem sü-ssen Licht des Monds in ei-ner Mai-ennacht, dem
Lieb-chen gleicht dem A-bendroth, das bli-tzend durch die Zwei-ge glüht, auf

she is like the heav-en blue, Which o'er the dale so gen- - - tly
ze-phyr which through woodlands bright, A-mid the leaf-y trees doth
like a boat on pla-cid stream, That dreami-ly the cur- - - rent
gleicht es auch dem Him-melsblau, das lieb-lich mild her-nie - - - der
Lüft-chen, wel-ches ko-send bricht im Lenz in grü-ne Wal-des - -
blau-em See dem schlan-ken Boot, das träumend stil-le Bah- - - nen

p *molto crescendo.*

bends And like the golden sun as well Which caus-es Earth to wake and
 play And like the O-cean's ceaseless flow, Whose rest-less tide is with-out
 cleaves The night-ingale whose ten-der song, On thoughts of love doth e-ver
 blickt. Es gleicht dem goldenen Son-nen-strahl, der Le-ben weckend uns um-
 pracht. Es gleicht der tie-fen Mee-res-fluth, un-end-lich, wie die E-wig-
 zieht. Der Nach-ti-gall und ih-rem Lied, das lie-be-ath-mend

mf *poco ritardando.* *tranquillo.*

sing And like the flow-ers in the dell Which tell us of re-
 end Yet like the warm and rud-dy glow Which in the southern.
 brood The crys-tal brook which plays a-long Through mos-sy dell and
 -fließt, und gleicht den Blümchen all im Thal, mit de-nen uns der
 -keit, und gleicht auch wie-der je-u-er Gluth, die uns des Sü-dens
 schallt, dem Was-ser, das vom Fel-sen sprüht im grü-nen mähr-chen-

ritenuto. *dim.* *D.C.*

- turn - ing spring, Which tell us of re - turn - ing, re - turn - ing Spring.
 fruits doth blend, The glow which in the ripe southern fruits doth blend.
 sha - dy wood, Through dell and sha - dy wood Through sha - dy wood.
 Früh - ling grüsst, mit de - nen uns der Früh - ling, der Früh - ling grüsst.
 Trau - be heut, der Gluth, die uns die Trau - be, die Trau - be heut.
 - duff' - gen Wald, im mährchen - duff' - gen Wald,..... im grü - nen Wald.

sostenuto. *f*

Like pre - cious stone of beau - - ty rare Held fast in rim of
 Mein Lieb - chen gleicht dem E - - del - stein, ge - fasst in leuchtend

fin - - - est Gold Yes, more than that as
 lich - - - tes Gold, ja, mehr als das, den

an - - - gel fair, So pure so love - - ly to be -
 En - - - ge - lein so rein, so lie - be - süß und

legg.

- hold hold. My love is like a Par - a - dise, A
 Mein Lieb - chen gleicht dem Pa - ra - dies, wo

legg.

rest - ing place for saints a - bove, On all the Earth is
 Sel' - ge vor den Göt - tern stehn. In al - ler Welt ist

p *a tempo.*

rit. *mf*

nought I prize, So high, so dear, as her I love. On
 nichts so süß, als wie mein Lieb - chen, nichts so schön, in

all the Earth is nought I prize, So high, so dear as her I
 al - ler Welt ist nichts so süß, als wie mein Lieb - chen, nichts so

ritenuto. *a tempo.*

rit.

love.
schön!

vivace.

p

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