

THE FAIREST ROSE.

DU, DER ROSEN ROSE.

FRANZ ABT.

Allegretto.

PIANO. *f*

1. O the Earth is bright and green, Dark the for-est shadows; Flowers crown the
 2. O wie ist die Er-de grün, O wie keimt's im Wal-de, Blumen auf dem

sun-ny hills, Flowers strew the meadows. All the wealth of springtime floats On
 Crugen blüh'n Blumen an der Hal-de. Lenzhauch rings das All besielt,

o - dor la - den breezes. But a flow'r more fair I know, But a flow'r more
 Duft steigt aus dem Moose. Ab - er ein - e Blume fehlt, Ab - er ein - e

cres. *p*

cres. *p*

cres. *p*

Shines not now up-on me, From my love I wan-der far, From my love I
In der Zahl der Sterne, Denn du Liebste bist mir fern, Denn du Liebste

cres. *p*

f rit. *p rit.*

wander far; Thou, of stars the brightest, Thou of stars the bright-est.
bist mir fern, Du, der Stern der Ster-ne, Du, der Stern der Ster- ne.

f rit. *p rit.*

f a tempo. *dim.* *pp*

From my love I wander far, Thou, of stars the brightest.
Denn du Liebste bist mir fern, Du, der Stern der Sterne.

f a tempo. *dim.* *pp*

f *dim.*

Eve-ry breast with joy is fill'd, Larks in mid-air sing-ing,
Wonne jede Brust durchdringt, Lerchen jubelnd singen,

pp *dim.*

poco meno.

Murm'ring rills in rapture leap, Maybells clear are ring-ing, But, A-las! in
 Hoch empor die Quelle springt Und die Glocken klingen. A-ber ach! in

cres.

my lone heart sings no nightin-gale , Fair-est flow'r I long for thee,
 meiner Brust Schläft die Phi-lo-me-le, Dein entbehr' ich, süsse Lust,

p *f rit.* *p rit.*

Brightest star I long for thee, Thou, of pearls the rarest, Thou of pearls the rar-est,
 Dein entbehr' ich, süsse Lust, Per-le meiner Per-le, Per-le meiner Per-le.

f a tempo. *f rit.* *dim.* *p*

Fairest flow'r I long for thee, Thou, of pearls the rar - - est.
 Dein entbehr' ich, süsse Lust, Per-le meiner Per - - le.

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