

# Take heed, ye shepherd swains

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*moderato* = 100

Soprano I

**p** Take heed, ye shep - herd swains, be - ware!

Soprano II

**p** Take heed, ye shep-herd swains, take heed, be - ware!

Alto

**p** Take heed, ye shep-herd swains, Take heed, ye

Tenor I

**p** Take heed, ye shep-herd swains, take heed, be -

Tenor II

**p** Take heed, ye shep - herd

Bass

**p** Take heed, ye

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S I

Take heed, ye shep - herd swains, ye shep-herd swains, be - ware! *cresc.*

S II

Take heed, ye shep - herd swains, ye shep-herd swains, be - ware! *cresc.*

A

shep - herd swains, ye shep-herd swains, be - ware! Take heed, ye *cresc.*

T I

ware! Take heed, ye shep - herd swains, be - ware! ye *cresc.*

T II

swains, be - ware! Take heed, be - ware! ye *cresc.*

B

shep - herd swains, be - ware! Take heed, ye *cresc.*

S I      *cresc.*      [10] *dim.*  
 Take heed, ye shep - herd swains, ye swains, take, take heed!  
 S II      *cresc.*      *dim.*  
 Take heed, ye shep - herd swains, ye swains, take heed! be -  
 A  
 shep - herd swains, be - ware!  
 T I  
 8      shep - herd swains, take heed, take heed, ye swains! **f** In  
 T II      *dim.*  
 8      shep-herd swains, ye shep-herd swains, ye swains, **f** be -  
 B  
 shep-herd swains, take heed, ye shep-herd swains. **f** In yon-der

S I      [15]  
**f** In yon-der grove the fair Si - re - na lies.  
 S II  
 ware! **f** In yon-der grove the fair Si - re - na lies.  
 A  
**f** In yon-der grove the fair Si - re - na lies.  
 T I  
 8      yon - der grove the fair Si - re - na lies. **p o!**  
 T II  
 8      ware! In yon-der grove Si - re - na lies. **p o!** wake her  
 B  
 grove the fair Si - re - na lies.

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S I      there,      **p** ven-\_\_\_\_\_ ture there: **f** For Cu-pid lives\_\_\_\_\_ with -

S II      there,      **p** ven-\_\_\_\_\_ ture there: **f** For Cu-pid lives\_\_\_\_\_ with -

A      - > **p** wake \_\_\_\_\_ her not nor ven - ture there: **f** For Cu - pid lives with -

T I      - > **p** wake \_\_\_\_\_ her not, \_\_\_\_\_ nor ven-ture there: **f** For' Cu - pid lives with -

T II      - > **f** For Cu - pid lives with -

B      **p** O! wake her not, nor ven - ture there: **f** For Cu - pid lives with -

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S I      in her eyes, **p** For Cu - pid lives with - in her eyes.

S II      in her eyes, **p** For Cu - pid lives with - in her eyes.

A      in her eyes, **p** For Cu - pid lives \_\_\_\_\_ with - in

T I      in her eyes, **p** with - in her eyes. And

T II      in her eyes, **p** with - in her eyes.

B      in her eyes, **p** with - in her eyes.

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S I      And if she o - pen

S II      And if she o - pen them on

A      her eyes. And if she

T I      if she o - pen them on you, and if she o - pen them on

T II      And if she o - pen them on you, And if she

B      And if she o - pen them on you,

S I

them on you, **f**Your hearts will quick be pier -

you, **f**Your hearts will quick be pier - ced, your

**A** o - pen them, **f**Your hearts will quick be pier-ced through, your

**T I** you, **f**Your hearts will quick be pier - ced, your hearts,

**T II** o - pen them, **f**Your hearts will quick be pier - ced,

**B** **f**Your hearts will quick be pier - ced, your hearts will quick be

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S I

ced, your hearts will quick be pier - ced, pier - ced through and

hearts will quick be pier - ced through, be pier-ced through and

hearts will quick be pier - ced through, be pier-ced through and

your hearts will quick be pier - ced through, be pier-ced through and

your hearts will quick be pier - ced through and

pier - ced through, your hearts will quick be pier - ced through and

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S I      through. **p** So cold is she, and yet so fair, So cold, so

S II      through. **p** So cold is she, So cold and yet so

A      through. **p** cold \_\_\_\_\_

T I      through. **p** cold \_\_\_\_\_ is she, yet so fair, cold

T II      through. **p** cold \_\_\_\_\_ is she, and yet, yet so fair,

B      through. **p** So cold is she, and yet so fair,

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S I      cold and yet so fair; That all who see, do bow the *cresc.*

S II      fair; *mf* all, all who

A      and yet so fair; That all who see, do bow the

T I      is she, cold and yet so fair; That all who see, do bow the *cresc.*

T II      and yet so fair; That all who see, do

B      and yet so fair; *mf* That all who

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dim.

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S I      knee;      **f**And wor-————— ship,————— wor-

S II      see,      **f**do bow the knee;      And wor - ship,————— wor-

A      knee;      **f**And wor-————— ship, and wor—

T I      knee;      **f**And wor -————— ship,      wor-—————

T II      bow,      **f**do bow the knee; And wor - ship, and wor—

B      see,      **f**do,————— do bow the knee; And wor-————— ship,

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S I      ————— ship in————— des - pair.

S II      ————— ship in————— des-————— pair.

A      ————— ship in————— des - pair.

T I      ————— ship in————— des-————— pair.

T II      ship, wor - ship in————— des - pair.

B      wor-————— ship in————— de - pair.