

Light

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Allegro ♩ = 112

mf

Soprano

Not with drums Light comes. Light comes not with

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Piano

For rehearsal only

4

S

drums. It knocks up - on no door; From

A

mf

Not with drums Light comes. Light comes not with

T

B

Pno.

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7

S no dim pane It stirs the dust Or

A drums. It knocks up-on no door. From no dim

T *mf*
Not with drums

B

Pno.

11

S sweeps the skein That is the spi - der's

A pane It stirs the dust Or

T *mf*
Light comes. Light comes not with drums. It

B Not with drums

Pno.

14

S
air - y fane. That is the

A
sweeps the skein That is the spi - der's

T
8
knocks up - on no door; From no dim

B
Light comes. Light comes not with drums. It

Pno.

17

S
spi - der's air - y fane. It

A
air - y fane. That is the spi - der's

T
8
pane It stirs the dust Or sweeps the skein

B
knocks up-on no door; From no dim pane It

Pno.

21

S turns no locks. It turns no

A air - y fane. That is the spi - der's air - y

T That is the spi - der's air - y fane. It

B stirs the dust Or sweeps the skein That is the spi - der's

Pno.

26

S locks. It turns no locks.

A fane. It turns no locks. It

T turns no locks. It turns no locks. It has no language

B air - y fane. It turns no locks.

Pno.

31 *mf*

S It has no lang-uage to im-plore the just, No

A has no lang-uage to im-plore the just, No thun-der to a -

T to im-plore the just, No thun-der to a - wake The

B *mf*

Pno. It has no lang-uage to im-plore the

35

S thun-der to a - wake The slug-gard and the rake.

A wake The slug-gard and the rake.

T slug-gard and the rake.

B just, No thun-der to a - wake The slug-gard and the

Pno.

A Little Slower ♩ = 106

39

S It weilds no ins-tru - ments of doom

A It weilds no ins-tru - ments of doom

T To raise the som-bre *rit.*

B rake. To raise the som-bre *rit.*

Pno.

Andante ♩ = 96

43

S It spins no strat-a - gems with mirth. But

A It spins no strat-a - gems with mirth. But

T siege of gloom; It spins no strat-a - gems with mirth. But

B siege of gloom; Its spins no strat-a - gems with mirth. But

Pno.

Allegro ♩ = 112

48 *rit.* *mp*

S to the wide, clear - win - dowed room It is re-birth.

A *rit.* *mp*

A to the wide, clear - win - dowed room It is re-birth.

T *rit.* *mp*

T to the wide, clear - win - dowed room It is re-birth.

B *rit.* *mp*

B to the wide, clear - win - dowed room It is re-birth.

Pno.

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