

Sweet as a flower in May

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allegretto ma non troppo $\text{♩} = 84$

Soprano
f Sweet as a flower in May _____ is my heart's trea-sure.

Alto
f Sweet as a flower is my heart's trea-sure. See! See! she

Tenor
f Sweet as a flower is my heart's trea-sure. _____ See! she com-eth, she

Bass
f Sweet as a flower is my heart's trea-sure. See! she com-eth,

Accomp. *f*

S
See! she com-eth fresh _____ and gay, To taste the spring;

A
com - eth gay, fresh and gay, To taste the spring; Ev'-ry

T
com-eth fresh and gay, fresh and gay, To taste the _ spring; Ev'-ry liv - ing

B
fresh _____ and gay, fresh and gay, To taste _____ the spring;

S
Ev' - ry liv - ing thing doth ho-nour to her charms!

A
liv - ing thing, ev'-ry thing doth ho-nour to her charms!

T
thing, doth ho-nour to her charms! All, all that

B
Ev' - ry liv - ing thing doth ho-nour to her charms!

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S
All, all that bloom - eth through -

A
All, all that bloom - eth through - out na - ture,

T
bloom - eth through - out na - ture,

B
All, all that bloom - eth through - out na - ture,

S out na - ture, Longs to deck the love-ly crea - ture; *p* The

A Longs _____ to deck the love-_____ ly crea - ture;

T Longs to deck the love-_____ ly crea-_____ ture;

B Longs to deck the love-_____ ly crea - ture;

15 S birds do sing, The flowers do bring, do bring Their *fp* per - fume rich to

A *p* The birds do sing, The flowers do bring, do *fp* bring Their per - fume

T *p* The birds do sing, The flowers do bring Their *fp* per - fume rich to greet

B *p* The flowers do bring Their *fp* per - fume rich to

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S
greet her, Their rich per - fume to greet

A
rich to greet her, do bring Their rich per-fume

T
her, do bring Their per-fume rich to

B
greet her, do bring Their rich per-fume to

S
her. Say, have you seen her smile? There's no-thing sweet - er,

A
to greet her. Say, have you seen her smile? There's no-thing

T
greet her. She

B
greet her. Say, have you seen her smile?

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

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S *cresc.*
She is so fair, _____ *f*so wond-rous fair, That

A *cresc.*
sweet - er, She is so fair, so fair, _____ *f*so wond-rous fair,

T *cresc.*
is so fair, _____ so wond- _____ rous fair, _____ *f*so wond-rous fair,

B *cresc.* *cresc.*
She is so fair, so wond- _____ rous fair, _____ *f*so wond-rous fair, That

cresc. *f*

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S
earth_and air A - like are charmed, are _____ charmed to meet _____ her.

A
That earth and_ air A-like are charmed, are charmed _____ to meet her.

T
That earth_and air A - like are _____ charmed to meet _____ her.

B
earth and air Alike _____ are charmed, _____ are charmed _____ to meet her.