

The Miller of Dee

With jovial irony

Trad., set by Philip Le Bas

mf $\text{♩} = 70$

TENOR 1
1. There was a jol - ly mil - ler once lived on the ri - ver Dee; ___

TENOR 2
1. There was a jol - ly mil - ler once lived on the ri - ver Dee; ___

BASS 1
mf
he worked and sang from

BASS 2
mf
he worked and sang from

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And this the bur - den of his song for e - ver used to be: ___ I

And this the bur - den of his song for e - ver used to be: ___ I

morn to night, no lark more blithe than he. ___ And this the bur - den of his song for e - ver used to be: ___ I

morn to night, no lark more blithe than he. ___ And this the bur - den of his song for e - ver used to be: ___ I

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pp lightly and cheerfully
care for no - bo - dy, no, not I, if no - bo - dy cares for me ___ Dum - be - dum - be dum - be - dum - be

mp
care for no - bo - dy, no, not I, if no - bo - dy cares for me ___ 2. I

pp lightly and cheerfully
care for no - bo - dy, no, not I, if no - bo - dy cares for me ___ Dum - be - dum - be dum - be - dum - be

f *pp* lightly and cheerfully
care for no - bo - dy, no, not I, if no - bo - dy cares. I care for no - bo - dy. Dum - be - dum - be dum - be - dum - be

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dum - be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum. Dum-be - dum - be dum-be-dum-be
live by my mill, she is to me like par-ent, child and wife; I would not change my sta - tion for
dum - be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum. Dum-be - dum - be dum-be-dum-be
dum - be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum. Dum-be - dum - be dum-be-dum-be

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dum be-dum - be dum be-dum. No law - yer or doc - tor e'er had a goat, a goat from me. I
a - ny o-ther in life. No law-yer, sur-geon or doc - tor e'er had a goat from me. I
dum be-dum - be dum be-dum, No law-yer, sur-geon or doc tor e'er had a goat from me. I
dum be-dum - be dum be-dum. No law - yer, doc - tor had a goat from me. I

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care for no - bo-dy, no, not I, if no - bo-dy cares for me. 3. When
care for no - bo-dy, no, not I, if no - bo-dy cares for me. No-bo-dy cares for
care for no - bo-dy, no, not I, not I I care for no-bo-dy, no-bo-dy cares for
care for no - bo-dy, no, not I, not I, not I, no-bo-dy cares for

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spring be-gins its mer-ry ca-reer, oh! how his heart grows gay._____

me. No Summer drought a-

me. No sum-mer

me. When spring be-gins its mer-ry ca-reer, his heart grows gay.

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No. fore-sight mars the mil-ler's joy, who's wont to sing and

larms his fears, nor win-ter's sad de-cay._____ No. fore-sight mars the mil-ler's joy, who's wont to sing and

drought a-larms, nor win-ter's sad de-cay.

The jol-ly mil-ler, oh! so

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poco rit. , **a tempo**

say: Let o-thers toil from year to year; I live from day to day._____

say: Let o-thers toil from year to year; I live from day to day._____ I

Let o-thers toil from year to year; I live to-day. Let o-thers toil, I

joy-ful. Let o-thers toil from year to year; I live from day to day._____ I

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mf

4. Then like the mil-ler, bold and free, let us re-joice and

live from day to day. Be-dum-be dum-be-dum - be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be

live from day to day. Be-dum-be dum-be-dum - be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be

live from day to day. Be-dum-be dum-be-dum - be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be

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mp *mf*

sing. — Dum-be-dum - be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum. The song shall pass from

dum-be-dum. Dum-be-dum - be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum. The song shall pass from

dum-be-dum. The days of youth were made for glee, and time is on the wing. — The song shall pass from

dum-be-dum. Dum-be-dum - be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum-be dum-be-dum. The song shall pass from

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molto rit. *f a tempo* *mf*

me to thee, and round this jo - vial ring. — And all in heart and voice a - gree, a - gree, a - gree, a -

me to thee, and round this jo - vial ring. — And all in heart and voice a - gree,

me to thee, and round this jo - vial, jo - vial ring. And all in heart and voice a - gree, — a -

me to thee, and round this jo - vial, jo - vial ring. And all in heart and voice a - gree, a - gree, a - gree, a -

72 *ff*

gree, a-gree, to sing "Long live the King, the King", to sing "Long live the King." Be-dum!

ff

to sing "Long live the King", to sing "Long live the King." Be-dum!

ff

gree, a-gree, to sing, to sing "Long live the King", to sing "Long live the King." Be-dum!

ff

gree, a-gree, to sing "Long live the King, the King", to sing "Long live the King." Be-dum!

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