

The Song of the Red Dove

SATB Chorus, divisi, a cappella
performance time: c. 5:20

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♩ = 64 (poco rubato)

mp Soprano
There is a red dove fly-ing, Cry-ing... Through the dy-ing light... *f* *mp*

mp Alto
There is a red dove fly-ing, Cry-ing... Through the dy-ing light... *f* *mp*

mp Tenor
8 There is a red dove fly-ing, Cry-ing... Through the dy-ing light... *f* *mp*

mp Bass
There is a red dove fly-ing, Cry-ing... Through the dy-ing light... *f* *mp*

Keyboard (rehearsal only)
♩ = 64 (poco rubato)

6 *mf* *poco rit.*

S Ah, what can turn a dove, can turn a dove, what can turn a dove, a dove to

A Ah, what can turn a dove, can turn a dove, what can turn a dove to

T 8 Ah, what can turn a dove, can turn a dove, a dove to

B Ah, what can turn a dove, what can turn a dove to

mf *poco rit.*

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ritard (ma non troppo) *mf a tempo* *f* *mf* *p*

S red, A dove that once was white? War is ea-sy. Peace is hard.

A red, A dove that once was white? War is ea-sy. Peace is hard.

T red, A dove that once was white? War is ea-sy. Peace is hard.

B red, A dove that once was white? War is ea-sy. Peace is hard.

ritard (ma non troppo) *mf a tempo* *f* *mf* *p*

ritard (ma non troppo) *mf a tempo* *f* *mf* *p*

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mp *poco a poco cresc.*

S Simp - ler to wield, simp-ler to wield the shield, simp-ler to wield the

A Simp-ler to wield, simp-ler to wield the shield, simp-ler to wield the

T Simp - ler to wield the shield and sword,

B Simp-ler to wield, to wield the shield and sword,

mp *poco a poco cresc.*

mp *poco a poco cresc.*

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S shield,—the shield—and sword, simp-ler the shield—and sword Than— tend and

A shield,—the shield—and sword, simp-ler the shield—and sword Than— tend and

T the—shield—and sword, the shield—and sword

B the shield—and sword, the shield and sword Than—

f

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S cher - - - ish, tend—and cher - - - ish—the dove. *p*

A cher - - - ish, tend cher - - - ish the dove. *p*

T Than— tend—and cher - ish the dove. *p*

B tend—and and— cher - ish the dove. *p*

poco a poco dim. *ritard*

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S sword, simp-ler the shield— and sword Than— tend and cher - ish, *f* *poco a poco dim.*

A sword, simp-ler the shield— and sword Than— tend and cher - ish, *f* *poco a poco dim.*

T the— shield— and sword, the shield— and sword— Than— tend— *f* *poco a poco dim.*

B the shield— and sword, the shield and sword Than— tend— *f* *poco a poco dim.*

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S tend— and cher - - - ish— the dove. *ritard* *p* *a tempo (sempre p)* There— is a red dove fly-ing...

A tend cher - - - ish the dove. *ritard* *p* *a tempo (sempre p)* There— is a red dove fly-ing...

T and— cher - ish the dah *ritard* *p* *a tempo (sempre p)*

B and— cher - ish the dah *ritard* *p* *a tempo (sempre p)*

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S Cry-ing... A mourn-ing-dove in flight. Ah, what can turn a dove, a white

A Cry-ing... A mourn-ing-dove in flight. Ah, what can turn a dove, a white

T mourn-ing-dove in flight. Ah, what can turn a dove,

B mourn-ing-dove in flight. Ah, what can turn a dove,

mp *(sempre p)*

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S dove, what can turn a white, a white dove red... Or turn a red dove white?

A dove, what, a white dove red... Or turn a red dove white?

T can turn a dove, a white, a white dove red... Or turn a red dove white?

B what can turn a white dove red... Or turn a red dove white?

molto rit. *ritard* *pp* *Slower*