

Motet

My soul, there is a country

Words:
Henry Vaughan
1622 – 1695

Music:
C. Hubert Parry
1848 – 1918

Slow (♩ = 64)

S
My soul, _____ My soul, _____ there is a

A
My soul, _____ My soul, _____ there is a

T
My soul, _____ My soul, _____ there is a

B
My soul, _____ My soul, _____ there is a

coun-try far be-yond the stars, where stands a wing - - ed sen - try, A

coun-try far be-yond the stars, where stands _____ a winged sen - try, All

coun-try far be-yond the stars, where stands a wing - ed sen - try, All

coun-try far be-yond the stars, where stands a wing - ed sen - try, All

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Daintily

poco rit. *p*
 sen - try, All skil - ful in the wars: There, above noise and
poco rit. *p*
 skil - - - ful in the wars: There, above noise and
poco rit. *p*
 skil - ful, all skil - ful in the wars: There, above noise and
poco rit. *p*
 skil - - - ful in the wars: There, above noise and

dan - ger, Sweet Peace sits crowned with smiles — And One, born - in a
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Slower

p *p*
 man - ger Com-mands the beau - teous files. He is thy gra - - cious
p *p*
 man - ger Com-mands the beau - teous files. He is thy gra - cious
p *p*
 man - ger Com-mands the beau - teous files. He is thy gra - - cious
p *p*
 man - ger Com-mands the beau - teous files. He is thy gra - cious

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Animato

Slower

friend, And O my soul a-wake! Did in pure

friend, And O my soul a-wake! Did in pure

friend, And O my soul a-wake! Did in pure

friend, And O my soul a-wake! Did in pure

pp *espr.*

love des-cend To die here for thy sake.

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love des-cend To die here for thy sake.

pp *dim.*

Tempo

p dolce

cresc.

If thou canst get but thi-ther, There grows the flow'r of Peace, The

If thou canst get but thi-ther, There grows the flow'r of Peace, The

If thou canst get but thi-ther, There grows the flow'r of Peace, The

If thou canst get but thi-ther, There grows the flow'r of Peace, The

p dolce *cresc.*

f

Rose that can - not wi - ther, Thy for - - - tress, and thy ease. _

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Rose that can - not wi - ther, Thy for - - - tress, and thy ease. _

Rose that can - not wi - ther, Thy for - - - tress, and thy ease. _

Animato

f *p*

Leave then thy fool-ish ran - ges, For none can thee se-cure But

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Leave then thy fool-ish ran - ges, For none can thee se-cure But

cresc.

One who ne-ver chan - ges, *mf* One who ne-ver chan - ges, *mf* Thy

One, One who ne-ver chan - ges, One who ne-ver

One, One who ne-ver chan - ges, One who ne-ver

One who ne-ver chan - ges, *cresc.* But One who ne-ver chan - ges, who

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God, thy life, thy cure

chan - ges, Thy God, thy life, thy

chan - ges, who - ne - ver chan -

ne - ver chan -

mf cresc. One who ne - ver chan - ges, *cresc.* One who ne - ver

cure One who ne - ver chan - ges, *mf*

ges, *cresc.* Thy God thy life

ges, *cresc.* Thy God,

chan - ges, One who ne - ver chan -

One who ne - ver chan - ges, One who ne - ver

thy cure One who ne - ver chan -

thy life, thy cure One who ne - ver

ges,
chan ges,
ges, who ne-ver chan ges,
chan ges, One who ne-ver chan-ges,

f *allargando* *poco rit.*
f *p*
None can thee se-cure But One who ne-ver chan-ges,
f *p*
None can thee se-cure But One who ne-ver chan-ges,
f *p*
None can thee se-cure But One who ne-ver chan-ges,
f *p*
None can thee se-cure But One who ne-ver chan-ges,

mf *f* *ff* *Slower*
Thy God Thy life Thy cure.
mf *f* *ff*
Thy God Thy life Thy cure.
mf *f* *ff*
Thy God Thy life Thy cure.
mf *f* *ff*
Thy God Thy life Thy cure.