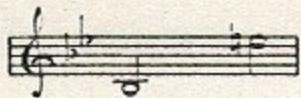
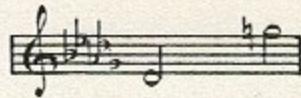


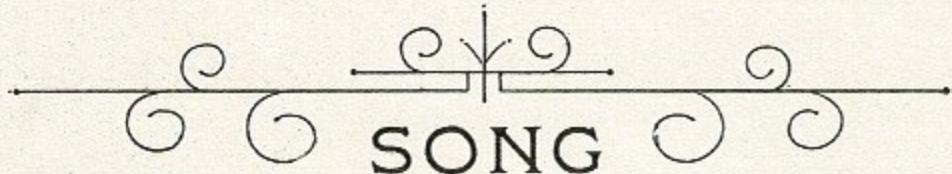
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# LIKE TO THE DAMASK ROSE.

Gleich wie der roten Rose Pracht.

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Allegro.

The musical score consists of six staves of music for voice and piano. The top staff shows the piano part in G minor, 4/4 time, with dynamic markings *f*, *risoluto*, and *p*. The second staff continues the piano part. The third staff begins the vocal line in G minor, 4/4 time, with dynamic *ff* and *sf*. The fourth staff continues the vocal line with dynamic *sf*. The fifth staff shows the vocal line with dynamic *cresc.* and *fed.* The sixth staff concludes the vocal line with dynamic *cresc.* and *p*. The lyrics are written below the vocal line in both English and German. The piano accompaniment features various dynamics and performance instructions like *affrettando* and *marcato*.

Piano.

*f risoluto*

*ff sf*

*cresc. fed.*

*affrettando*

*cresc.*

*marcato*

Like to the da-mask rose you see, Or like a blossom  
*Gleich wie der ro-tcn Ro - se Pracht, Und gleich der Blüt' die am*

on a tree, Or like a dain - ty flow'r of May, Or  
*Zwei - ge lacht, Gleich wie die Blu - me bei dem Hag, Gleich*

*vfallargando*  
 like the morn-ing of the day, — Or like the sun, — or like the  
 wie der Mor-gen von dem Tag, — Gleich wie die Sonn', — dem Schatten

*collo voce*  
*f* *p*

*v cresc. e stringendo*  
 shade, — Or like the gourd which Jo - - nas  
 gleich, — Und wie die Wel - - le auf — dem

*cresc. e stringendo*  
*f* *ff*

*dim. e rit.*  
 had, E'en such is man— whose thread is  
 Teich: So, Mensch, bist du, dess Fa - - den

*colla voce* *p* *tranquillo*  
*tranquillo*

*spun, Drawn out and cut, and so is*  
*spann der Par - - ze Hand, dess Zeit ver -*

*rit. dolce*  
*colla voce*

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*più lento*

done. The rose withers, the blos - som blast - eth,  
 ran. Die Ro - se stirbt, die Blüt' nicht wei - let,

*più lento*

*pp rit.* *mf* *stringendo*

The flower fades, the morn-ing hast-eth, The sun sets, the  
 Die Blu-me welkt, der Mor - gen ei - let, Die Son - ne sinkt, der

*pp colla voce* *stringendo*

*p ad lib.* *pp*

shad - ow flies, The gourd con - sumes — the man he  
 Schat - ten flieht, Die Wel - le schmilzt, der Mensch ver -

*dies!*  
*geht.*

*pp* *f* *f*

*pianissimo lento*

done.  
ran.

The rose withers, the blos - som blast - eth,  
*Die Ro - se stirbt, die Blüt' nicht wei - let,*

*pianissimo lento*

*pianissimo rit.*

The flower fades, the morn-ing hast-eth, The sun sets, the  
*Die Blu-me welkt, der Mor - gen ei - let, Die Son - ne sinkt, der*

*pianissimo colla voce*

*mf stringendo*

*p ad lib.*

shad - ow flies, The gourd con - sumes - the man he  
*Schat - ten flieht, Die Wel - le schmilzt, der Mensch ver -*

*pp*

*dies! geht.*

*pp*

*f f*

*mf affrettando*

Like to the grass that's  
Gleich wie des Gra - ses

*v cresc.*

new - ly sprung, Or like a tale that's new be-gun, Or  
neu - es Blatt, Der Tat gleich, die be - gon - nen hat, Und

*cresc.*

*p*

*v cresc.*

like a bird that's here to - day, Or like the pearl-ed dew of  
gleich dem Vo - gel auf der Au, Dem Tro - pfen gleich von Mai-en-

*cresc.*

*mf allargando*

May, — Or like an hour, — or like a span, — Or like the  
tau, — Der Span - ne Zeit, — der Stun - de gleich, — Des Schwanes

*collo voce*

*cresc.*

*v p*

*cresc.*

*pp*

*dolciss.*

sing - - - ing of \_\_\_\_\_ a swan, E'en such is  
 Sin - - - gen auf \_\_\_\_\_ dem Teich: So, Mensch, bist

*vdim. e rit.*

*colla voce* **p**

**p** *tranquillo*

man - who lives by breath, Is  
 du: dess Fett - - - er sprüht, Dess

*rit. v*

here, now there, in life and  
 Feu - - - er sinkt, bis es ver -

*dolce* **pp**

*colla voce*

*più lento*

death. The grass withers, the tale is end - ed,  
 glüht. Das Gras ist welk, die Tat began - gen,

*più lento* **p**

