

Sing Me a Song

13 Poetic Songs for Solo Singers for Recitals, Concerts, and Contests

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1. BREAK, BREAK, BREAK

Words by
SIR ALFRED LORD TENNYSON (1809-1892)

Music by
RUTH MORRIS GRAY

Fervently (♩ = ca. 108)

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Break, break, break, on thy cold gray stones, O sea! And I

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cresc.

would that my tongue could utter the thoughts that arise in me.

cresc.

9 *f* *mf*

Break, break, break, on thy cold gray stones, O sea! O,

12 *mf*

well for the fish - er - man's boy, that he shouts with his sis - ter at play! O,

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well for the sail - or lad, that he sings in his boat on the bay, on the

16 17 *f* *2nd time to Coda (p. 5)*

bay! Break, break, break, on thy cold gray stones, O

2nd time to Coda (p. 5)