

NO!

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Quietly ♩ = 58

SOPRANO

TENOR



mp You may have our Lives

mp You may have our Lives It is no



It is no great feat, no feat to

great feat to slay us.



slay to slay us flesh and bone.

We are simply flesh and bone; flesh and bone.

The first system consists of three staves. The top two staves are vocal lines, and the bottom staff is a grand staff for piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "slay to slay us flesh and bone." and "We are simply flesh and bone; flesh and bone." The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

$\text{♩} = 48$ *mp*

Here my

p Here is my wife my chil-dren

pp rit. p

The second system begins with a tempo change to $\text{♩} = 48$ and a dynamic marking of *mp*. It contains two vocal lines and a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "Here my", "Here is my wife my chil-dren". The piano accompaniment includes a *pp rit.* section followed by a *p* section.

mf

chil - dren, my chil - dren

mf Here is the

our home Here is the kind - ling

The third system continues the vocal and piano parts. It features two vocal lines and a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "chil - dren, my chil - dren", "our home", "Here is the", "Here is the kind - ling". The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines in both hands.

kind-ling, here the kind-ling, the kind-ling, the flame. *cresc.*

— there — the rea - dy flame. —

A little faster $\text{♩} = 66$ *mp*

With your con -

cresc. *ff* *mp*

- tempt to feed and fan the heat

mp

With your con -

mf

we will quick - ly

- tempt to feed and fan the heat

f

fall to ash, and our name soon

mf we will quick - ly *f* fall to ash and our home soon

$\text{♩} = 48$

van - ish, from the vill - age.

van - ish, from the vill - age.

pp

p cresc.

But to buy breath _____ with de - nial _____

p cresc.

To buy breath with de - nial

p cresc.

_____ would be shab - bi - er _____ *ff* **dat**

would be shab - bi - er _____ *ff* death! _____

ff

8 - - - - 7

$\text{♩} = 58$

p

Strike the match then, *p*

pp Quietly Strike the

if that is your de - sire.
match, that is your de - sire.

This system contains two vocal staves and a piano accompaniment. The vocal staves have lyrics: "if that is your de - sire." and "match, that is your de - sire." The piano accompaniment consists of a right-hand melody and a left-hand bass line.

What shall we fear — who know the un - dy - ing
What shall we fear — who know — the un - dy - ing

This system contains two vocal staves and a piano accompaniment. The vocal staves have lyrics: "What shall we fear — who know the un - dy - ing" and "What shall we fear — who know — the un - dy - ing". The piano accompaniment consists of a right-hand melody and a left-hand bass line.

f fi - re.
f fi - re.

This system contains two vocal staves and a piano accompaniment. The vocal staves have lyrics: "*f* fi - re." and "*f* fi - re.". The piano accompaniment consists of a right-hand melody and a left-hand bass line. The system concludes with a double bar line.