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The Awakening

for S.A.T.B. voices and piano

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con rubato e delicato

Andante sostenuto

Piano *ppp*

con pedal

⑥ Soprano *poco rit. a tempo*

Alto

Tenor *unis. ppp*

Bass

I dreamed a

a tempo

poco rit.

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⑩ *poco rit.* *a tempo unis.*

dream, _____ I dreamed a

a tempo
poco rit.

⑭ *rit.* *p molto espressivo* ✓

dream, I dreamed a dream, a si-lent dream of a

T. div. *p*

rit. *p molto espressivo*

⑲ *rit. unis. mp*

land not far a - way. Where

poco stringendo *rit.*

22 Slower *poco a poco dim.*

no bird sang, *pp* not rushed ⁵ and tear-drops fell like rain.

unis. p

Slower no stee-ples rang

mp *dim.* *pp*

25

rit. mf

I

delicato

ppp *poco accel.* *rit.*

28

flowing steadily

dreamed a dream, a si - lent dream.

mf

I dreamed a dream,

flowing steadily

mf

31

I dreamed a dream of a land so
a silent dream.

34 *rit.* *dim. poco a poco* *sospirando*

filled with pride that ev-ry song, both

rit. *dim. poco a poco* *sospirando*

37 *morendo* *rit.*

with-ered weak and strong, with-ered and died.

morendo *rit.* *pppp*

40

Slowly *p*

I dreamed a dream,...

Slowly *p*

poco accel.

46

a tempo *rall.*

a tempo *rall.*

molto cresc.

50

allargando *ff* *> molto appassionato*

ff No al - le - lu - ia, not one ho -

allargando *ff* *v* *molto appassionato*

v

53

mf

san - na, no song of love,

mf

mf

56

mp

no lul - la - by.

mp

mp

poco a poco dim.

59

tenderly with freedom

p *ten.*

And no choir sang to change the world.

p

I dreamed a dream,

rit. *p* *ten.*

62

smorzando

ten. I dreamed a dream, I dreamed a dream,

No pip-ers played;no danc-ers twirled.

ten.

smorzando

65

rall.

a si-lent dream; a si-lent dream.

unis.

unis.

a si-lent dream.

rall.

rit.

69

whispered ppp

Si-lent.

rit.

pppp

Si-lent.

pp

rit.

73

Sop.

Alto

Tenor

Bass

mp

A-wake! A-wake!

*with great energy
gradually building*

sfz

77

mp

A - wake! A - wake!

mf

A - wake! A - wake!

mf

79

wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake! A -

A - wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake!

A - wake! A -

81

wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake! A -

A - wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake!

wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake! A -

So - li

83

De - o Glo - ri -
wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake! A -
A - wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake!
wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake! A -
wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake! A - wake!

NB

85

a. A - wake! A - wake!
wake! A - wake! A - wake!
A - wake! A - wake!
wake! A - wake! A - wake!

88 Sop. and Alto *unis. f with great rejoicing*
Tenor and Bass *unis. f* A - wake, a - wake, my soul, and

rall. *f*

91 sing! The time for praise has *unis.*
unis.

93 come. The si - lence of the night has

95

passed; a new day has be -

97

gun. Let mu - sic nev - er die in me! For -

100

ev - er let my spir - it sing! Wher -

unis. mf

unis. mf

102

poco a poco crescendo stringendo

ev - er emp - ti - ness is found, let

poco a poco crescendo stringendo

mf

104

there be joy and glo - rious

106

rall. () *f* *a tempo*

sound. Let mu - sic nev - er

a tempo

rall. *f*

108

die in me! For - ev - er let my spir - it sing! Let -

unis. mf

unis. mf

111

poco a poco crescendo stringendo

all our voic - es join as one to

poco a poco crescendo stringendo

mf

113

praise the Giv - er of the

115

poco rall. **f** *a tempo*

song. **f** A - wake! A - wake!

f *poco rall.* *a tempo*

118

Let mu - sic live! Let mu - sic

121

live! *allargando* **ff** Let mu - sic live!

unis. ff *allargando* **ff**

