

THE OLD, SWEET STORY.

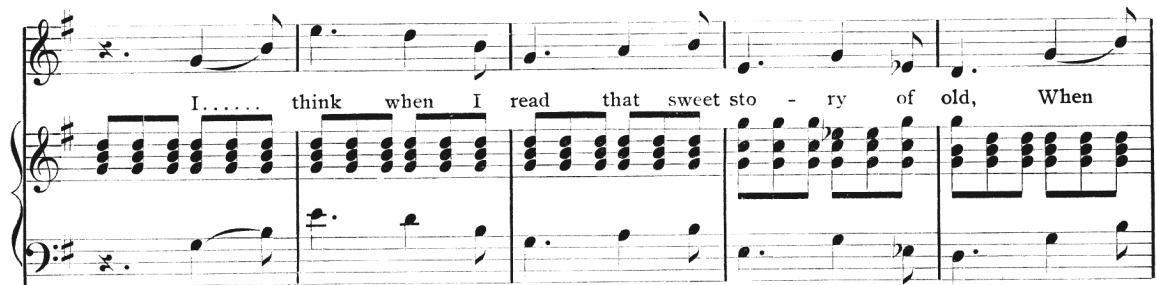
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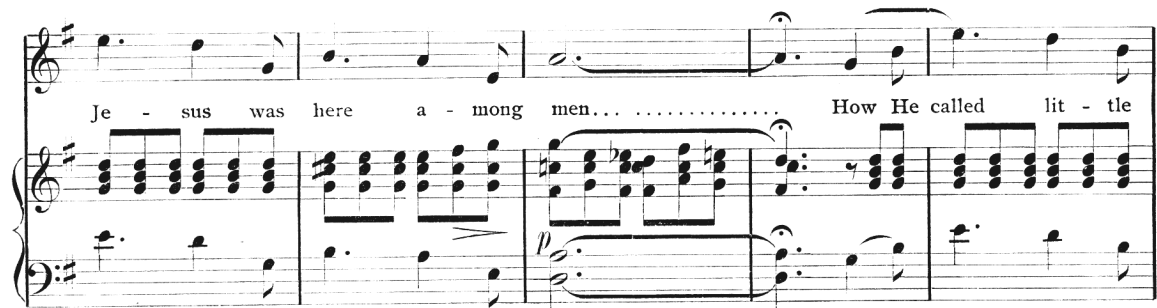
Moderato.

The first system of the score is a piano introduction in 6/8 time, marked *Moderato.* It consists of six measures. The right hand begins with a whole rest, followed by a series of eighth and sixteenth notes, and ends with a triplet of eighth notes. The left hand plays a simple bass line of eighth notes.



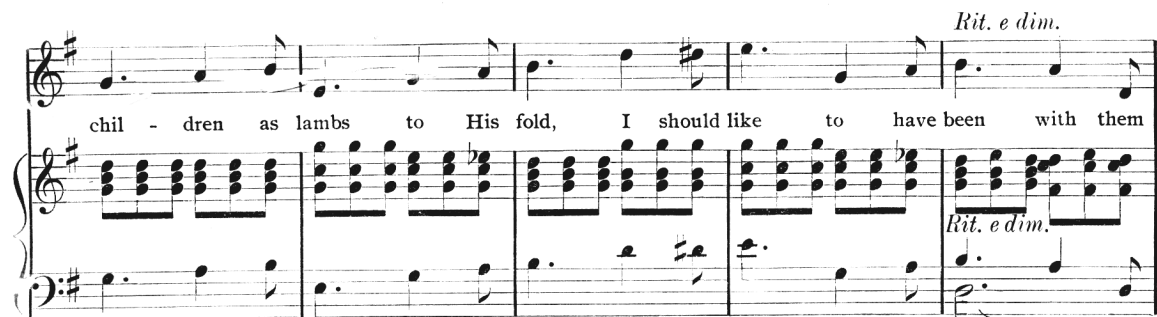
I think when I read that sweet sto - ry of old, When

The second system contains the vocal entry. The vocal line starts with a whole rest, then sings the lyrics. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand.



Je - sus was here a - mong men How He called lit - tle

The third system continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The piano part includes a dynamic marking of *p* (piano) in the left hand.



chil - dren as lambs to His fold, I should like to have been with them

Rit. e dim.

The fourth system concludes the piece. The tempo and dynamics are marked *Rit. e dim.* (Ritardando e Diminuendo). The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand.

then..... I wish that His hands had been placed on my

head, That His arm had been thrown a - round me,..... And that

cresc. *f* *mp*

cresc. *f*

I might have seen His kind look when He said, Let the lit - tle ones

f *colla voce.*

come, let them come un - to me.....

Rit. *p* *Rit.* *pp*

The piano introduction consists of six measures. The right hand begins with a series of chords and eighth notes, while the left hand provides a steady bass line with eighth notes and chords.

In that beau - ti - ful place, He has gone to pre - pare, For

The vocal melody is in the treble clef, and the piano accompaniment is in the grand staff. The piano part features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes in the right hand and a steady bass line in the left hand.

all who are washed and for - giv'n..... And ma - ny dear

The vocal melody continues in the treble clef, with a long note on 'for - giv'n'. The piano accompaniment maintains the same rhythmic pattern.

chil - dren shall be with Him there, "For of such is the king - dom of

The vocal melody concludes the phrase. The piano accompaniment ends with a final chord. The tempo and dynamics marking *Rit - e - dim.* is written above the final measure of the vocal line and below the final measure of the piano line.

Heav'n'..... But thous - ands and thous - ands who wan - der and

The first system of the musical score features a vocal melody in the treble clef and piano accompaniment in the grand staff. The key signature has one sharp (F#). The piano part consists of chords and moving lines in both hands.

fall Nev - er heard of that Heav - en - ly home,..... Oh I

The second system continues the melody and accompaniment. It includes dynamic markings: *cresc.* (crescendo) above the vocal line and *ff* (fortissimo) below the piano line. The system ends with a *mp* (mezzo-piano) marking.

wish they could know there is room for them all, And that Je - sus has

The third system continues the musical progression. It features a *f* (forte) dynamic marking and the instruction *colla voce.* (in voice) for the piano part.

bid them, has bid..... them to come

The fourth system concludes the piece. It includes the markings *p* (piano) and *Rit.* (ritardando) for both the vocal and piano parts.