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He Wishes for the Cloths of Heaven

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Moderato e espressivo ♩ = 65
mp

S Had I the heav-ens' — em-broi-dered cloths, Had

A

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mp

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mf legato

S I the heav-ens' — em-broi-dered cloths, Had I the heav-ens' — em -

A *mp* Had I the heav-ens' em-broi-dered cloths, *mf legato* Had I the heav-ens' — em -

T *mf legato* Had I, had I the heav-ens' em -

B *mf legato* Had I the heav-ens' — em -

mf legato

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[8] A tempo ♩ = 65

poco rit.

broi - dered_ cloths, En-wrought with gold - en and sil - ver light,

poco rit.

broi - dered_ cloths, En-wrought with gold - en and

poco rit.

broi - dered, em - broi - dered cloths, En -

poco rit.

broi - dered cloths, A tempo ♩ = 65 En -

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[11] Più mosso

mp

gold - en and sil - ver light, The blue and the

mp

sil - ver light, gold - en and sil - ver light, The blue and the

mp

wrought with gold - en and sil - ver light, The blue and the

mp

wrought with gold - en and sil - ver light, The blue and the

mp

Più mosso

dim, and the dark, and the dark, and the dark cloths Of

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Meno mosso 18 Più mosso

night and light and the half - light. I would spread the

night and light and the half - light. I would spread the

night and light and the half - light. I would spread the

night and light and the half - light. I would spread the

Meno mosso Più mosso

rit. mf

I would spread the cloths un-der your

mf rit.

I would spread the cloths, spread the cloths, un-der your feet,

mf rit.

cloths, I would spread the cloths un-der your feet, un-der your

mf rit.

cloths, spread the cloths un-der your feet, un-der your

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feet But I be - ing poor, but

un-der your feet But I be - ing poor, but

feet But I be - ing poor, *mf*

feet But I But I

A tempo, agitato ♩ = 65

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I be-ing poor have on - ly my dreams, have

I be-ing poor have on - ly my dreams, have

But I be-ing poor have on - ly my dreams, have

be-ing poor Have on - ly my dreams, have

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on - ly, on - ly my dreams, have on - ly my

on - ly, on - ly my dreams, have on - ly my,

on - ly my dreams, have on - ly my

on - ly my dreams, have on - ly my

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rit. *f* **47** **A tempo** $\text{♩} = 68$

spread my dreams, I have spread my

dreams, my dreams, I have spread my

I have spread my dreams, I have spread my

spread my, I have spread, I have

spread my dreams. I have spread my

cresc. rit. *f* **A tempo** $\text{♩} = 68$

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poco rit. *poco rit.* *poco rit.* *poco rit.*

dreams, un - der your feet, un - der your

dreams, un - der your feet, un - der your

dreams, un - der your feet;

spread my dreams un - der your

dreams un - der your feet;

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[illegible]

59 *mp* *sub. mp*
 be - cause you tread on my,
mp *mf* *sub. mp*
 be - cause you, be - cause you tread on my
mf *sub. mp*
 be - cause you tread on my
mf *sub. mp*
 be - cause you tread on my

62 *rit.*
 Had I the heav - ens' em - broi - dered cloths.
rit.
 *drea - (m) (m)s.
rit.
 *drea - (m) (m)s.
rit.
 *drea - (m) (m)s.

rit.

*Sing on the vowel of "dreams" until measure 63 and then hum on "m" until the concluding "s."