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I Shall Not Care

for SATB Chorus with divisi & Soli

When I am dead and over me bright April
Shakes out her rain-drenched hair,
Tho' you should lean above me broken-hearted,
I shall not care.

I shall have peace, as leafy trees are peaceful
When rain bends down the bough,
And I shall be more silent and cold-hearted,
Than you are now.

Text by Sara Teasdale

Music by Jeffrey Derus

Tempo: ♩ = 74

Soprano
When I am dead and o - ver me

Alto
When I am dead and o - ver me

Tenor
When I am dead and o - ver me

Bass
When I am dead and o - ver me

For Rehearsal Only

subito mf *rit.* $\text{♩} = 74$ *mf*

S. *bright* A - pril *bright* *bright* A - pril

A. *bright* A - pril *bright* *bright* A pril

T. *bright* A - pril *bright* *bright* A - pril

B. *bright* A - pril *bright* *bright* A - pril

Pno.



f *rit.*

S. *Shakes* out, *Shakes* out, her

A. *Shakes* out, *Shakes* out, her

T. *Shakes* out, *Shakes* out, her

B. *Shakes* out, *Shakes* out, her

Pno.

12 ♩ = 54 rit. ♩ = 54

Solo I
her

Solo II
her

S.
rain drenched hair, her

A.
rain drenched hair, her

T.
rain drenched hair, her

B.
rain drenched hair, her

Pno.

15 *f* *rit.* *mf*

Solo I
rain _____ drenched hair _____ her rain drenched hair,

Solo II
rain _____ drenched hair _____ her rain drenched hair,

S.
rain _____ drenched hair, _____

A.
rain _____ drenched hair, _____

T.
rain _____ drenched hair, _____

B.
rain _____ drenched hair, _____

Pno.
rit.

18 $\text{♩} = 54$
p *mp* *p*
 S. Though you should lean a - bove me
 A. you should lean a - bove me
 T. you should lean a - bove me
 B. you should lean a - bove me
 Pno. $\text{♩} = 54$

23 *rit.* *mf* $\text{♩} = 60$ *p*
 S. Solo I
 bro - - ken heart - - - ed, I
 A. Solo II
 bro - ken heart - - - ed, I
 T. *mf*
 bro ken heart - - - ed,
 B. *mf*
 bro - ken *rit.* heart - - - ed, $\text{♩} = 60$
 Pno. $\text{♩} = 60$

26 $\text{♩} = 74$

Solo I *mp* *mf*
shall not care. I shall have peace, as leaf-y tress are

Solo II *mp* *mf*
shall not care. I shall have peace, as leaf-y tress are

S. *p* *mp*
I shall have peace, as leaf-y trees are

A. *p* *mp* *p*
I shall have peace, as leaf-y trees are

T. *p* *mp* *p*
I shall have peace, as leaf-y trees are

B. *p* *mp* *p*
I shall have peace, as leaf-y trees are

Pno. $\text{♩} = 74$

rit. ♩ = 74

Solo I

peace - ful, peace - ful, trees are peace-ful When

Solo II

peace - ful, peace - ful, trees are peace-ful When

S.

peace - ful, peace - ful, trees are peace-ful When

A.

peace - ful, peace - ful, peace - ful, trees are peace-ful When

T.

peace - ful, peace - ful, trees are peace-ful When

B.

peace - ful, peace - ful, trees are peace-ful When

Pno.

peace - ful, peace - ful, trees are peace-ful When

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36 *f* *rit.*

Solo I
rain, rain,

Solo II
rain, rain,

S.
rain, rain, bends

A.
rain, rain, bends

T.
rain, rain, bends

B.
rain, rain, bends

Pno. *rit.*

♩ = 54

rit.

♩ = 54

9

Solo I

39

Add Soloist

bends

f

Solo II

bends

f

S.

mf

down the bough; bends

f

A.

mf

down the bough; bends

f

T.

mf

down the bough; bends

f

B.

mf

down the bough; bends

f

Pno.

♩ = 54

rit.

♩ = 54

down _____ the bough;

Solo I

down _____ the bough; _____ bends _____ down the bough;

Solo II

S.

A.

T.

B.

Pno.

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45 $\text{♩} = 54$

S. *p* *mp* *p*
And I shall be more si - lent and

A. *p* *mp* *p*
I shall be more si - lent and

T. *p* *mp* *p*
I shall be more si - lent and

B. *p* *mp* *p*
I shall be more si - lent and

Pno. $\text{♩} = 54$

50 *mf*

S. *mf*
cold heart - - - ed, Than

A. *mf*
cold heart - - - ed, Than

T. *mf*
cold heart - - - ed, Than

B. *mf*
cold heart - - - ed, Than

Pno.

53 $\text{♩} = 60$

f

Solo I
Than you are now.

f

Solo II
Than you are now.

f

S.
you are now.

f

A.
you are now.

f

T.
you are now.

f

B.
you are now.

$\text{♩} = 60$

Pno.

rit.

56

Solo I

I shall not care.

Solo II

I shall not care.

S.

A.

T.

B.

Pno.

rit.

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