

What is this Lovely Fragrance

Lyrics: Translated from the original French by Ysobel

Traditional French Carol
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Andante ♩ = 84

The musical score is arranged in three systems. The first system features a Tenor part with lyrics "What is this love - ly" and a Piano accompaniment. The second system features a Tenor part with lyrics "fra - grance waft - ing like to the scents of flow'rs in spring? Shep-herds, O" and a Bass part with lyrics "Shep-herds, O". The Piano accompaniment continues throughout. The score is in 3/4 time, key of B-flat major, and marked Andante with a tempo of 84 beats per minute.

Tenor

Bass

Piano

T

B

Pno.

What is this love - ly

fra - grance waft - ing like to the scents of flow'rs in spring? Shep-herds, O

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14

T
8

B

Pno.

tell us whence such beau - ty hear you not heav'n - ly car - ol -

20

T
8

B

Pno.

ing? What is this love - ly fra - grance waft - ing like to the scents of

27

T
8

B

Pno.

flow'rs in spring? What is this light so fair, so ten - der

34

T
break - ing up - on our wond' - ring eyes? Nev - er the Morn - ing Star so

B

Pno.

41

T
ra - dant fol - lowed his course o'er east - ern skies. What is this light so

B

Pno.

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48

T

fair, so ten - der break - ing up - on our wond' - ring eyes?

B

Pno.

54

T

Shep - herds, O

B

Pno.

The image shows two systems of a musical score. The first system, starting at measure 48, features a vocal line for Tenor (T) and Bass (B) with lyrics: "fair, so ten - der break - ing up - on our wond' - ring eyes?". The piano accompaniment (Pno.) is in the lower register. The second system, starting at measure 54, features a vocal line for Tenor (T) and Bass (B) with lyrics: "Shep - herds, O". The piano accompaniment (Pno.) continues in the lower register. The score is written in a key signature of three flats and a common time signature.

60

T

haste with ea - ger foot - steps seek the Sa - viour, born to -

B

Pno.

66

T

day. Low at His feet we lay our trea - sure, heart's ad - o -

B

Pno.

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72

T

ra - tion, love for aye. Shep-herds, O haste with ea - ger

B

Pno.

78

T

foot - steps seek the Sa - viour, born to - day.

B

Pno.