

Linden Lea

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Andante con moto *mp*

Voice

With-in the wood-lands, flow'r-y

Piano

mp 8a *rit.*

glad-ed, By the oak trees' moss-y moot; The shin-ing grass blades, tim-ber sha-ded, Now do

Pno.

f *mf*

qui-ver un-der foot; And birds do whis-tle o-ver-head, And wa-ters bub-bling in its

Pno.

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mp

bed; And there for me, The Ap-ple tree Do lean down low in Lin-den Lea.

Pno.

colla voce *mp* 8a

mf

When leaves, that late - ly were a - spring - ing, Now do

Pno.

rit.

fade with-in the copse, And paint-ed birds do hush their sing - ing, Up up - on the tim - ber

Pno.

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tops; And brown Leaved fruit's a - turn - ing red, In cloud - less sun - shine o - ver -

Pno.

head, With fruit for me, the ap - ple tree Do lean down low in Lin - den Lea.

Pno.

mp *8a*

Animato ***f***

Let o - ther folk make mo - ney fas - ter; In the

Pno.

rit. ***f***

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mf

air of dark-room'd towns; I don't dread a peev-ish mas - ter, Though no man may heed my

Pno. *mf*

risoluto *pp* *poco rall.* *a tempo*

frowns. I be free to go a - broad, Or take a - gain my home - ward road, To where, for

Pno. *f* *pp* *a tempo*

p *rall.*

me, The ap - ple tree Do lean down low in Lin - den Lea.

Pno. *pp*