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Allegro ma non troppo.

PIANO

dolce.

3

3

3

*La. * La. **

mf

A - way from the roar and the rat - tle, The dust and the din of the

mf

town! Where to live is to brawl and to bat - tle, Till the

strong treads the weak man down; A - way to the bonnie green hills, Where the

f

p

sun shine sleeps on the brae, And the heart of the green - wood

p *dolce* *3*

thrills..... To the hymn of the bird on the spray. A -

sf *p* *mf* *riten.* *mf*

way from the smoke and the smoth - er, The veil of the dun and the brown, The

a tempo

push and the plash and the poth - er, The wear and the waste of the town! A

riten. *a tempo* *riten.*

way where the sky shines clear, *p* And the light breeze wanders at will, And the

dark pine-wood nods near..... To the light plum'd birch on the hill. A -

- way from the whirling and wheel - ing And steaming a - bove and be - low, Where the *dolce*

heart has no leisure for feel - ing, And the thought has no quiet to grow. A -

poco riten

way where the clear brook purls, And the hy - a - cinth drops in the

poco riten

a tempo

shade, And the plume of the fern un - curls Its grace in the

a tempo

riten *a tempo* **f**

depth of the glade, in the depth of the glade. Then a - way from the roar and the

riten *a tempo* **f**

rat - tle, The dust and the din of the town, Where to

live is to brawl and to bat_tle, Till the strong treads the weak man down A -

- way where the green twigs nod In the fragrant breath of the May, And the

mf *p*

mf *dolce*

*La. **

sweet growth spreads on the sod, And the blithe birds sing on the spray.

p ritard.

p ritard. *a tempo.*

*La. ** *La. ** *La. ** *La. ** *La. **

mf *dim* *p*

*La. ** *La. ** *La. ** *La. **