

There are lonely hearts to cherish

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The first system of musical notation consists of two staves, treble and bass clef, in a 3/4 time signature with a key signature of three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat). The melody in the treble clef begins with a quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B-flat4, and C5. The bass clef accompaniment features a steady eighth-note pattern in the left hand and chords in the right hand. A fermata is placed over the final measure of the system, which contains a whole note G4.

The second system of musical notation continues the piece from measure 6 to 15. The treble clef melody moves through various intervals, including a half note G4, a quarter note A4, and a quarter note B-flat4. The bass clef accompaniment maintains a consistent rhythmic pattern with chords. Measure 15 ends with a fermata over a whole note G4.

The third system of musical notation covers measures 16 to 20. The treble clef melody features a half note G4, a quarter note A4, and a quarter note B-flat4. The bass clef accompaniment continues with its characteristic eighth-note accompaniment and chords. The system concludes with a fermata over a whole note G4.

There are lonely hearts to cherish,
While the days are going by;
There are weary souls who perish,
While the days are going by;
If a smile we can renew,
As our journey we pursue,
Oh, the good we all may do,
While the days are going by.

Refrain

Going by (going by)
Going by (going by)
Going by (going by)
Going by (going by)
Oh, the good we all may do,
While the days are going by.

There's no time for idle scorning,
While the days are going by;
Let your face be like the morning,
While the days are going by;
Oh, the world is full of sighs,
Full of sad and weeping eyes;
Help your fallen brother rise,
While the days are going by.

Refrain

All the loving links that bind us,
While the days are going by;
One by one we leave behind us,
While the days are going by;
But the seeds of good we sow,
Both in shade and shine will grow,
And will keep our hearts aglow,
While the days are going by.

Refrain

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