

# The River

**Moderato** ♩=100

SOP. *mp* The gol - den leaves are fall - ing,

ALTO *mp* The gol - den leaves are fall - ing,

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*mp*

6

S. — fall - ing — in the sun - light.

A. — fall - ing — in the sun - light.

Pno.

11

S. The mi - grant birds are cry - ing in the emp - tied trees. The

A. The mi - grant birds are cry - ing in the emp - tied trees. The

Pno.

16

S. mov - ing wa - ters glist - en, glim - mer in the sun - light, mov - ing,

A. mov - ing wa - ters glist - en, glim - mer in the sun - light, mov - ing,

Pno.

21

S. chang - ing, flow - ing as if they'd ne - ver freeze. Who can know the

A. chang - ing, flow - ing as if they'd ne - ver freeze. Who can know the

Pno.

*mf* rit. // **Meno mosso** *f*

*mf* // **Meno mosso** *f*

25

S. riv - er, the un - known riv - er? Buoy - s and charts are words on the

A. riv - er, the un - known riv - er? Buoy - s and charts are words on the

Pno.

30 *subito p*

S. riv-er of the mind, and a po - em is a cryst - al, ice from the

A. riv-er of the mind, and a po - em is a cryst - al, ice from the

Pno. *subito p*

35

S. riv - er, formed when theyearn - ing of the heart is de - fined.

A. riv - er, formed when theyearn - ing of the heart is de - fined.

Pno.


40 **A tempo** *mf*

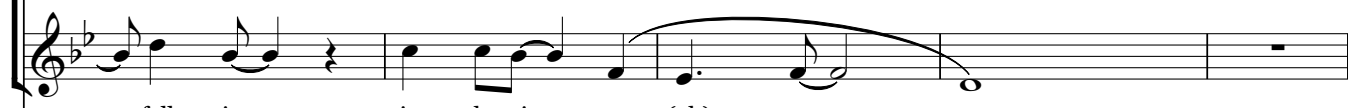
S. The gol - den rhymes are fall - ing,


A. The gol - den rhymes are fall - ing,

Pno. *mf*


45


S.    
 fall - ing in the riv - er. (ah)


A.    
 fall - ing in the riv - er. (ah)

Pno. 

50

S.    
 The me - ters and the rhy - thms are sink - ing out of sight. The

A.    
 The me - ters and the rhy - thms are sink - ing out of sight. The

Pno. 

55

S.    
 Word of God is form - ing, freez - ing on the riv - er. I reach

A.    
 Word of God is form - ing, freez - ing on the riv - er. I reach

Pno. 

60 **rit.** ..... **A tempo**

S. *// meno*  
— and try to grasp it, but I break it in my fright.

A. *// meno*  
— and try to grasp it, but I break it in my fright.

Pno. **rit.** ..... **A tempo**  
*// meno* *mp*

65 *mp*

S. *mp*  
The gol - den leaves are fall - ing, fall - ing.

A. *mp*  
The gol - den leaves are fall - ing, fall - ing.

Pno.

69 *diminuendo to end* **rit.** . . .

S. *diminuendo to end*  
are fall - ing, fall - ing.

A. *diminuendo to end*  
are fall - ing, fall - ing.

Pno. *diminuendo to end* **rit.** . . . *pp*