

for my darling Deborah in
celebration of our marriage
13.8.2000

A Birthday

Nicholas Korth

(Christina Rossetti)

$\text{♩} = c.56$
C series

mf

Soprano

My heart is like a sing - ing - bird Whose nest is in a

Violin

C series

mf

Horn
(actual pitch)

4

S.

water-ed shoot; My heart is like an ap - ple tree Whose

G series

Vln

G series

8

S.

boughs - are bent with thick - set fruit; My

sul IV

Vln

quasi gliss.

11 E series

S. heart is like a rain - bow shell That

Vln E series
8^{va} sul I

13 B^b series

S. pad - dles in a hal - cyon sea; My heart is

Vln B^b series
loco *mp*

16

S. glad - der than all these Be - cause my love my

Vln

19 **C series** *mf cresc.* 3

S. *f*

love is come to me.

Vln **C series** *mf cresc.*

Hn **G series** G horn* *p <*

22

S.

Vln **G series** *f* *trem.* *f*

Hn *singing* *mf*

26 **G series** *mp*

S. *mp*

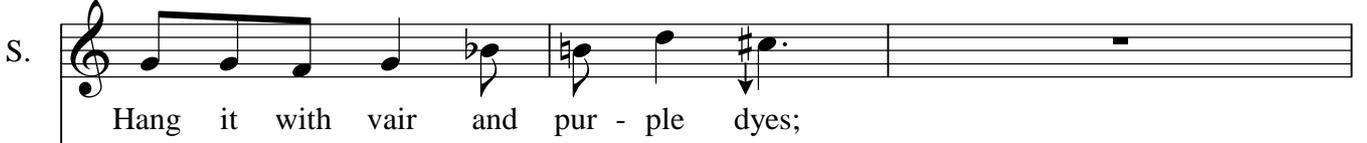
Raise me a dais of silk and down;

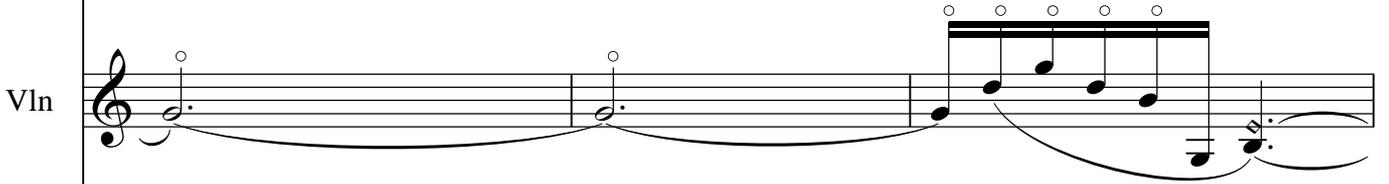
Vln *ord.* *p sub.* *sul IV*

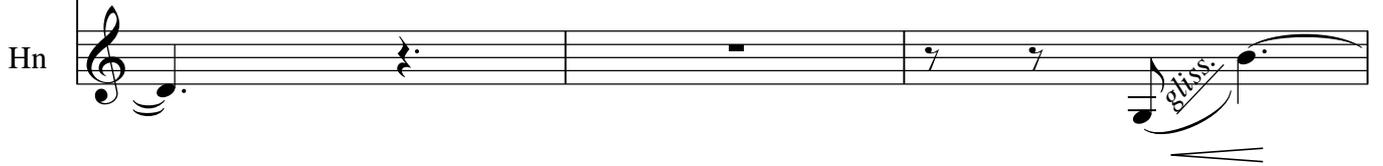
Hn *mp*

*continue to play on indicated horn until instructed to change; do not adjust intonation

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S.  Hang it with vair and pur - ple dyes;

Vln 

Hn 

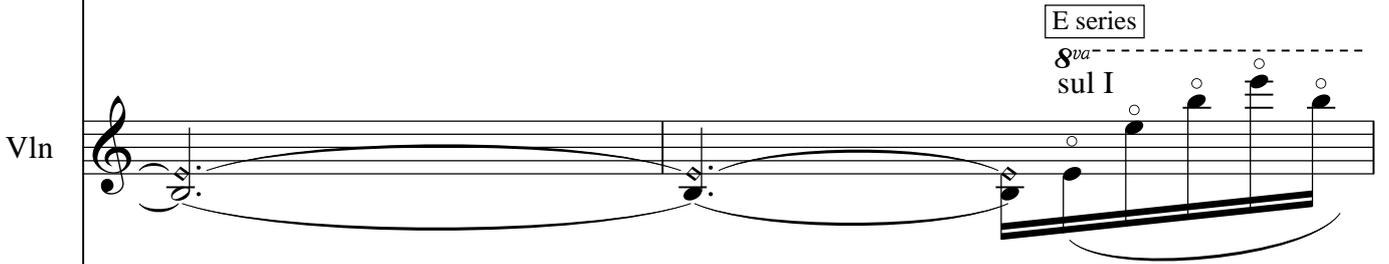
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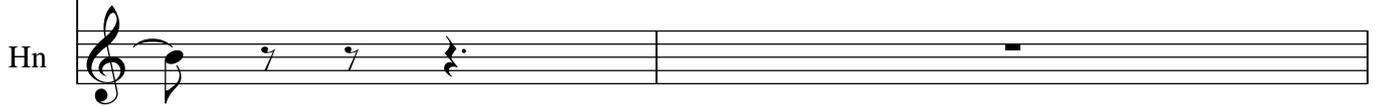
E series

S.  Carve it in doves and po - me - gran - ates And

E series

8va sul I

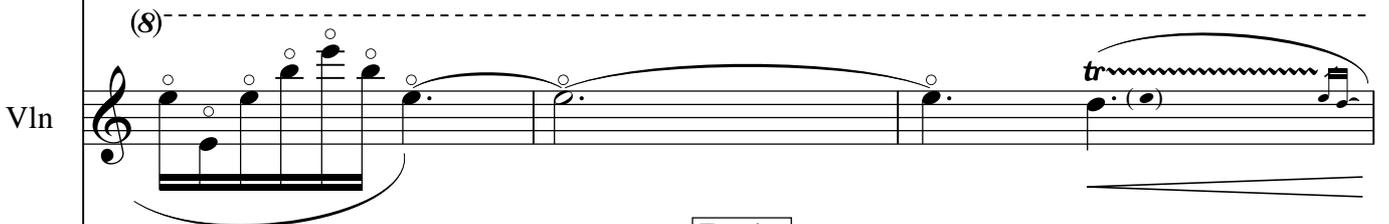
Vln 

Hn 

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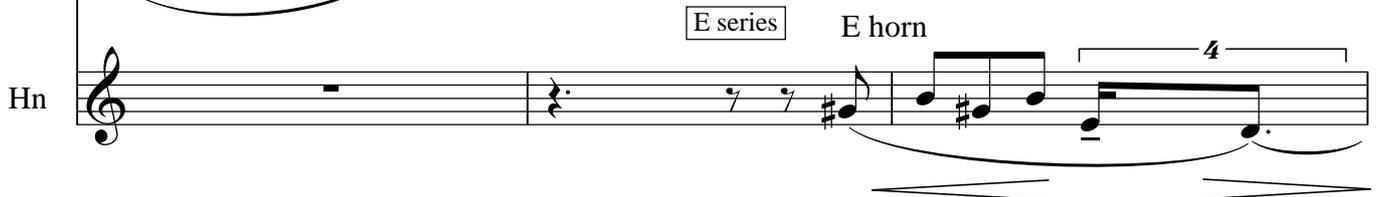
S.  pea - cocks with a hun - dred eyes;

(8)

Vln 

E series

E horn

Hn 

37 B^b series

S. Work it in gold and sil - ver grapes, In leaves and sil - ver

B^b series (8) loco

Vln *p sub.*

Hn

40 C series

S. fleurs - de - lys; Be - cause the

C series

Vln

Hn B^b series B^b horn C series C horn gliss.

42 *mp cresc.*

S. birth - day of my life Is come, my

Vln *mp cresc.*

Hn

44 *mf cresc.* *f*

S. love is come to me.

Vln *mf cresc.*

Hn *mp cresc.*

47

S.

Vln *f*

Hn *mf* *cresc.*

50

S.

Vln *cresc.* *tr* *ff*

Hn *f* *flz.*