

# ....As the Circling Bird

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$\text{♩} = 78$   
*mystically*

Voice

*pp*

Ped.

*freely*  
*mp*

4

Let me be to Thee \_\_\_\_\_ as the circ-ling bird or bat

9

with ten - der and air cri - sping

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*p* ♩ = 78

15

wings \_\_\_\_\_ that shapes in half light \_\_\_\_\_

15

*pp*

19

(8<sup>va</sup>) his de - part - ing rings. \_\_\_\_\_

19

23

from both of whom a change-les note is heard \_\_\_\_\_

23

26

26

*stringendo*

*mf*

*p*

*cresc.*

*mf*

*simile*

31

31

*f*

*f*

34

*mf*

I have found my mu-sic in a com-monword try-ing each pleas-er - a - ble

34

*mf*

37

throat that sings. And ev' - ry prais-ed se - quence of

39

sweet strings And know in - fall-ib - ly

*freely*

*m.s.*

41

which I pre-ferred. The au then - tic ca - dence was dis

*rit.* *p*

*pp*