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THE SLEEPER.
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INTRODUCTION.

Moderato.

AIR.
1 Oh! lightly lightly tread. A holy thing is sleep: On

ALTO.
2 Oh! lightly lightly tread. Revere the pale still brow: The

TENOR.
3 Her soul is far away. In childhood's land perchance: Where

BASS.
4 A Murmur of the sea. A laughing tone of streams. Long

The Sleeper.
the worn spirit shed. And eyes that wake to weep. A holy thing from heav'n, a meekly drooping head. The long hair's willowy flow. Ye know not what ye do. That her young sisters play. Where shines her mother's glance. Some old sweet native sound. Her may her sojourn be. In the music-land of dreams. Each voice of love is there. Each gracious dewy cloud. A covering mantle given. The weary to enshroud. Call the slumberer back. From the world unseen by you. To life's dim faded track. Spirit happily weaves. A harmony profound. Of woods with all their leaves. Gleam of beauty fled. Each lost one still more fair. Oh! lightly lightly tread.

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CHORUS.

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