

5. A Gnarled Old Crab-apple Tree

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Country Waltz ♩ = 72

Soprano *f* *rall.* *a tempo*

Alto *f*

Tenor *f*

Bass *f*

Piano *f* *a tempo* *con pedale*

A GNARLED OLD CRAB - AP - PLE TREE ANS - WERS JOYCE KIL - MER.

4 *solo mf*

I'll bow my trunk _____ to true__ sim - pli - ci - ty But not to folk - sy simp'-rings that

pp

Oo _____

4 *mp*

8

drool. _____ Po - ems are made _____ by trees like me.

Oo _____

11

By trees like me.

p *tutti mf*

mf I'll bow my

I'll bow my

Po - ems are made by trees like me.

p *mf*

14

trunk to true sim - pli - ci - ty But not to folk - sy simp'-rings that drool.

p

Oo

Oo

14

18

Po - ems are made by trees like me. Po - ems are made by trees like

mp

Oo Po - ems are made by trees like me. Po - ems are made by trees like

Oo Po - ems are made by trees like

18

21

me. I'll bow my trunk to true__ sim -

me. I'll bow my trunk to true__ sim -

me. I'll bow my trunk to true__ sim -

me. I'll bow my trunk to true__ sim -

21

24

pli - ci - ty But not to folk - sy simp'-rings that drool.__

pli - ci - ty But not to folk - sy simp'-rings that drool.__

pli - ci - ty But not to folk - sy simp'-rings that drool.__

pli - ci - ty But not to folk - sy simp'-rings that drool.__

24

This musical score is for a song titled "Poems are made by trees like me". It features four vocal staves (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a piano accompaniment consisting of two grand staff systems (treble and bass clef). The key signature has three sharps (F#, C#, G#), indicating D major or B minor. The time signature is 8/8.

The lyrics are as follows:

Po-ems are made _____ by trees like me, _____ But on - ly God _____ can make a

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Po-ems are made _____ by trees like me, _____ But on - ly God _____ can make a

fool. _____ Po-ems are made _____ by trees like me, _____ But on - ly God _____

fool. _____ Po-ems are made _____ by trees like me, _____ But on - ly God _____

fool. _____ Po-ems are made _____ by trees like me, _____ But on - ly God _____

fool. _____ Po-ems are made _____ by trees like me, _____ But on - ly God _____

The score includes dynamic markings such as *mf* (mezzo-forte) and performance instructions like *divisi* and *unison*. Measure numbers 27, 30, and 33 are indicated at the beginning of their respective systems.

34 *mp*

_____ can make a fool. _____ But on - ly God _____

_____ can make a fool. _____ But on - ly God _____

8 God _____ can make a fool. _____ But on - ly God _____
But on - ly

on - ly God can make a fool. _____

34 *mp*

37 *poco rit.*

_____ can make a fool. _____

_____ can make a fool. _____

8 God _____ can make a fool. _____

But on - ly God can make a fool. _____

37 *poco rit.*