

Do not stand at my grave and weep

Do not stand at my grave and weep;
I am not there. I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow.
I am the diamond glints on snow.
I am the sunlight on ripened grain.
I am the gentle autumn rain.
When you awaken in the morning's hush
I am the swift uplifting rush
Of quiet birds in circled flight.
I am the soft stars that shine at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry;
I am not there. I did not die.

(Mary Elizabeth Frye)

Contemplative
♩ = 44

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ppp

Soprano 1
Do not, do not stand at my grave, at my grave and weep,

ppp

Alto 1
Do not, do not stand at my grave, at my grave and weep.

ppp

Tenor 1
Do not, do not stand at my grave, at my grave and weep,

ppp

Bass 1
Do not, do not stand at my grave, at my grave and weep,

ppp

Soprano 2
Do not, do not stand, do not do not

ppp

Alto 2
Do not, do not stand, do not, do not

ppp

Tenor 2
Do not, do not stand, do not, do not

ppp

Bass 2
Do not, do not stand, do not, do not

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S1 do not, I am not there, I do not

A1 do not, I am not there, I do not

T1 do not, I am not there, I do not

B1 do not, I am not there. I do not

S2 stand at my grave. I am not there, not there,

A2 stand at my grave. I am not there, not there,

T2 stand at my grave. I am not there, not there.

B2 stand at my grave. I am not there, not there.

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S1 sleep, do not sleep, I am a thou sand winds

A1 sleep, do not sleep. I am a thou sand winds

T1 sleep, do not sleep. I am a thou sand winds

B1 sleep, do sleep. I am a thou sand winds

S2 I do not sleep. I am a thou-sand winds, a thou sand winds that

A2 I do not sleep I am a thou-sand winds, a thou sand winds that

T2 I do not sleep I am a thou sand winds, a thou sand winds that

B2 I do not sleep. I am a thou-sand winds, a thou sand winds that

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pp *p* *mp* *p*

S1 that blow. I am the dia - mond glints on snow.

A1 that blow. I am the dia - mond glints on snow.

T1 that blow. I am the dia - mond glints on snow.

B1 that blow. I am the dia - mond glints on snow.

S2 blow. I am the dia - mond glints on snow. - on snow.

A2 blow. I am the dia - mond glints on snow, on snow.

T2 blow. I am the dia - mond glints on snow, on snow.

B2 blow. I am the dia - mond glints on snow, on snow.

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mf *little faster*

S1 am the sun - light, sun light on a ri - pened

A1 I am the sun - light, sun - light on a ri - pened

T1 I am the sun - light, the sun - light on a ri - pened

B1 I am the sun - light, the sun - light on a ri - pened

S2 I am sun - light on a ri - pened

A2 I am sun light on a ri - pened

T2 I am sun - light on a ri - pened

B2 I am sun - light on a ri - pened

accel. $\text{♩} = 56$

30 *mp* *p* *f* *mp* *p*

S1 grain. I am the gen - tle au-tumn rain, the gen-tle, gen - tle au-tumn, gen-tle au-tumn rain, —

A1 grain. I am the gen - tle au-tumn rain, the - gen-tle, gen - tle au-tumn, gen-tle au-tumn rain, —

T1 grain. I am the gen - tle au-tumn rain, the gen-tle, gen - tle au-tumn, gen-tle rain, —

B1 grain. I am the gen - tle au-tumn rain, the gen-tle, gen - tle au-tumn, gen-tle rain, —

S2 *mp* *p* *f* *> mp* *p*

grain. I am the gen-tle rain, the gen - tle, gen-tle au-tumn, gen - tle rain, the

A2 *mp* *p* *f* *> mp* *p*

grain. I am the gen-tle rain, the gen - tle, gen-tle au-tumn, gen - tle rain, the

T2 *mp* *p* *f* *> mp* *p*

grain. I am the gen-tle rain, the gen - tle, gen-tle au-tumn, gen - tle rain, — the

B2 *mp* *p* *f* *> mp* *p*

grain. I am the gen-tle rain, the gen - tle, gen-tle au-tumn, gen - tle rain, the

rit. $\text{♩} = 48$

34 *pp* *p* *pp*

S1 au - tumn rain. When you a - wa - ken, when you a -

A1 *pp* *p* *pp* *p* *> pp*

au - tumn rain. When you a - wa - ken, a - wa - ken, when you a -

T1 *pp* *p*

au - tumn rain. a -

B1 *pp*

au - tumn rain.

S2 *pp* *pp* *p* *pp*

gen - tle rain. a -

A2 *pp* *pp* *p* *pp*

gen - tle rain. When you a - wa - ken, when you a -

T2 *pp* *p* *pp*

gen - tle rain. a - wa - ken, when you a -

B2 *pp*

gen - tle rain.

43 *p* *pp* *mp* *ppp*

S1 wa - ken, when you a - wa - ken in the mor - ning's hush, hush,

A1 wa - ken, when you a - wa - ken in the mor - nings hush, hush,

T1 wa - ken when you a - wa - ken in the mor - ning's hush, hush,

B1 a wa - ken in the mor - ning's hush, hush,

S2 *p* *pp* *mp* *ppp*

S2 wa - ken, when you a - wa - ken in the mor - ning's hush, hush,

A2 *p* *pp* *mp* *ppp*

A2 wa - ken when you a - wa - ken in the mor - ning's hush, hush,

T2 *p* *pp* *mp* *ppp*

T2 wa - ken when you a - wa - ken in the mor - ning's hush, hush,

B2 a - wa - ken in the mor - ning's hush, hush,

52 *mf* *pp* *f* $\text{♩} = 60$

S1 I am the swift up-lif - ting rush of qui - et birds in cir - cled flight.

A1 I am the swift up-lif - ting rush of qui - et birds in cir - cled flight.

T1 I am the swift up-lif - ting rush of qui - et birds in cir - cled flight cir - cled flight, cir - cled

B1 I am the swift up-lif - ting rush of qui - et birds in cir - cled flight, cir - cled flight, cir - cled

S2 *mf* *pp* *f*

S2 I am the swift up-lif - ting rush of qui - et birds in cir - cled flight.

A2 *mf* *pp* *f*

A2 I am the swift up-lif - ting rush of qui - et birds in cir - cled flight.

T2 *mf* *pp* *f*

T2 I am the swift up-lif - ting rush of qui - et birds in cir - cled flight, cir - cled flight, cir - cled

B2 *mf* *pp* *f*

B2 I am the swift up-lif - ting rush of qui - et birds in cir - cled flight, cir - cled flight, cir - cled

59 *p* *mp* *accel.*

S1 *p* *mp* Do not stand at my grave, at my grave and cry;

A1 *p* *mp* Do not stand at my grave, at my grave, I'm not there.

T1 *ff* *mp* *p* *mf* flight. Do not stand at my grave, do

B1 *p* *mp* *mf* flight. Do not stand at my grave, at my grave, I'm not there.

S2 *p* *mf* Do

A2 *ff* *mp* *p* *mf* Do not stand at my grave, do

T2 *p* *mp* *mf* flight. Do not stand at my grave, at my grave, I'm not there.

B2 *p* *mp* *mf* flight. Do not stand at my grave, at my grave and cry;

67 *a little more lively* *mf* *accel.* $\text{♩} = 72$ *f*

S1 *mf* *f* do not stand at my grave at my grave and cry; do not

A1 *mf* *f* Do not stand at my grave at my grave I'm not there. Do not

T1 *mp* *f* not stand at my grave, do not

B1 *mf* *f* Do not stand at my grave at my grave I'm not there. Do not

S2 *mp* *f* not stand at my grave, do not

A2 *mp* *f* not stand at my grave, do not

T2 *mf* *f* Do not stand at my grave, at my grave, I'm not there. Do not

B2 *mf* *f* do not stand at my grave at my grave and cry; do not

74 *accel.* $\text{♩} = 88$ *accel.* 7

S1 stand at my — grave and cry; I am not there. I did not die. I am not there.

A1 stand at my — grave and cry; I am not there. I did not die. I am not there.

T1 *mf* stand at my grave and cry, — at my — *f*

B1 stand at my — grave and cry; I am not there. I did not die. I am not there.

S2 *mf* stand at my grave and cry, — at my — *f*

A2 *mf* stand at my grave and cry, — at my — *f*

T2 stand at my — grave and cry; I am not there. I did not die. I am not there.

B2 stand at my — grave and cry; I am not there. I did not die. I am not there.

80 $\text{♩} = 112$ *ff*

S1 I am not there. I did not die. I did not die. Do not stand at my grave and cry; I

A1 I am not there. I did not die. I did not die. Do not stand at

T1 grave and cry; I am not there. — I — *ff*

B1 I am not there. I did not die. I did not die. Do not stand at my grave and cry; I *ff*

S2 grave and cry; I am not there. — I — *ff*

A2 grave and cry; I am not there. — I — *ff*

T2 I am not there. I did not die. I did not die. Do not stand at my grave and cry; I *ff*

B2 I am not there. I did not die. I did not die. Do not stand at

rit. $\text{♩} = 44$ ***fff*** ***ppp***

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S1 am not there. I did not die, I did not die. I am the soft

A1 my grave. I did not die. I am the soft

T1 did not die. I am the

B1 am not there. I did not die, I did not. I am the soft

S2 did not die. I am the soft

A2 did not die. I am the soft

T2 am not there. I did not die, I did not. I am the soft

B2 my grave. I did not die. I am the

fff ***ppp***

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S1 stars, I am the soft stars that shine, that shine at

A1 stars, I am the soft stars that shine, that shine at

T1 soft stars, I am the soft stars that shine, that shine

B1 stars, I am the soft stars that shine, that shine

S2 stars, I am the soft stars that shine, that shine at

A2 stars, I am the soft stars that shine, that shine at

T2 stars, I am the soft stars that shine, that shine

B2 soft stars, I am the soft stars that shine, that shine

rit.

99 $\text{♩} = 52$ *f* *p* *rit.* 9

S1 night. Do not stand at my grave and

A1 night. Do not stand at my grave and

T1 at night. Do not stand at my grave and cry; *mf* *mp* *p*

B1 at night. Do not stand at my grave and cry; *f* *mf* *mp* *p*

S2 night. Do not stand at my grave and cry; *f* *mf* *mp* *p*

A2 night. Do not stand at my grave and cry; *f* *mf* *mp* *p*

T2 at night. Do not stand at my grave and cry; *f* *p*

B2 at night. Do not stand at my grave and cry; *f* *p*

106 $\text{♩} = 40$ *pp* *ppp* *rit.*

S1 cry; I am not there. I did not die. *pp* *ppp*

A1 cry; I am not there. I did not die. *pp* *ppp*

T1 I am not there. I did not die. *pp* *ppp*

B1 I am not there. I did not die. *pp* *ppp*

S2 I am not there. I did not die. *pp* *ppp*

A2 I am not there. I did not die. *pp* *ppp*

T2 and cry; I am not there. I did not die. *pp* *ppp*

B2 and cry; I am not there. I did not die. *pp* *ppp*