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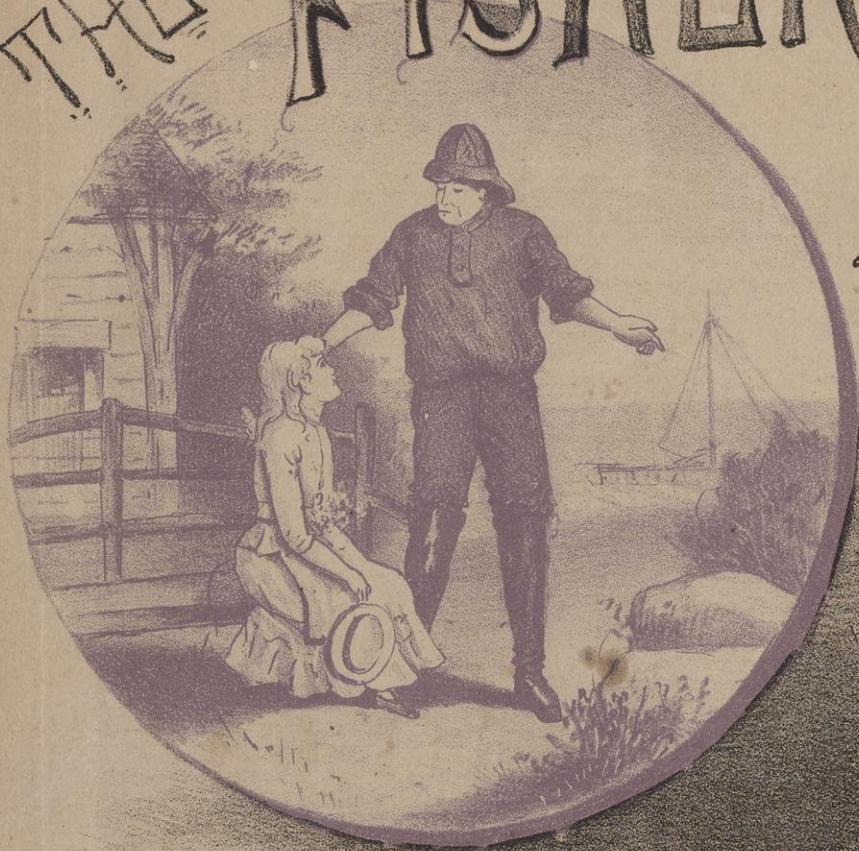
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THE FISHERMAN AND HIS CHILD.

SONG.

Also arranged in C as a Quartet for mixed voices, and in E \flat for male voices.

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Author of "Only a Dream of Home," "Sunrise," etc.

INTRODUCTION.

ALLEGRO MODERATO. CON ESPRESS.

1. "The fish - er - man and his child are drown'd!" Came ring - ing thro' the town. The
2. The fish - er - man saw his boat was lost; He tried to save his child; He
3. And when the storm ceased, the sea went down; Brave men were on the shore; The

1 fa - ther and child lay un - der the tide, And friends did mourn a - round; And the
2 bat - tled the waves with all hu - man pow'r, But the wind was howl - ing wild; Then he
3 tide had gone out, they search'd all a - bout, From the sea two forms they bore. Their

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1 poor wife and moth - er prayed a - loud, Oh, God! it can - not be, For
 2 spoke to his child, she an - swered not; He raised her ti - ny head; He
 3 fa - ces were calm, their hands were raised As if in si - lent prayer; The

1 in yon - der mist I see them still, Their milk - white sails I see;..... For
 2 cried in de - spair, "Thy will be done;" The child he loved was dead;..... He
 3 fa - ther in life had clasped his child, In death they found her there;..... The

f *ad lib.*
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f *ad lib.*

REFRAIN *A little slower.*

pp 'Twas the voice of their God That they heard as they sank in the deep: Come to

me,..... I love thee,.... and thy pre - cious souls I'll keep; Come to

me,..... I love thee;..... Thy pre - cious souls I'll keep.

Sua

