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THE

Sailor's Grave

Sung by

Mr. Graham

at the

Musical Festivals &c. &c.

the Poetry by

THE REV^d H. F. LYTE,

Composed & humbly Dedicated by Special Permission,

to Her

Most Gracious Majesty,

The

Queen of England

BY

Mrs. Henry Shelton,

*Professor of Music in Ch. Penham under the immediate
Patronage of Her Royal Highness, the Duchess of Kent.*

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THE SAILORS GRAVE.

Sung by Mr. Braham.

Composed by Mrs H. Shelton.

*Moderato
ma con
Anima.*

There is in the lone lone sea, A spot unmark'd but ho-ly, For

there the gallant and the free, In his ocean bed lies lowly.

Down, down beneath the deep, That oft in tri - - - umph bore him, He

Animato. ad lib.

sleeps a sound and peaceful sleep, With the salt waves dashing dash-ing

The first system of music features a vocal line in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). The lyrics are "sleeps a sound and peaceful sleep, With the salt waves dashing dash-ing". The piano accompaniment is in a grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The music includes a triplet of eighth notes in the vocal line and a triplet of eighth notes in the piano accompaniment.

o'er him. *gva* *loco*

The second system continues the vocal line with the lyrics "o'er him." followed by a fermata. The piano accompaniment features a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand and a triplet of eighth notes in the left hand. The tempo marking *loco* is indicated above the piano part.

He sleeps, he sleeps, se-rene and safe, From tem-pest and from

The third system shows the vocal line with the lyrics "He sleeps, he sleeps, se-rene and safe, From tem-pest and from". The piano accompaniment is marked *p* (piano) and features a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand.

billow, Where storms that high a-bove him chafe, Scarce rock his peaceful

The fourth system continues the vocal line with the lyrics "billow, Where storms that high a-bove him chafe, Scarce rock his peaceful". The piano accompaniment features a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand.

pillow The sea and him in death, They

f *p*

did not dare to sever, It was his home when he had breath, 'Tis

con esp: *3*

now his home for e - - - ver. *3* *gva* *3*

p

Sleep

loco

on, sleep on, thou mighty dead, A glorious tomb they've found thee, The

p *3*

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broad blue sky a - bove thee spread, The boundless ocean round thee.

colla voce. *ff*

No vul - gar foot treads here, No hand pro - - fane shall

p

con Anima.

move thee, But gal - - lant hearts shall proud - ly steer, And

f

war - riors shout a - bove thee.

ff Maestoso.

And

tho' no stone may tell, Thy name, thy worth, thy glory. They

p

rest in hearts that lov'd thee well, And they grace Britannia's story.

Cadenza ad lib

p cres.

ff

f ff



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