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# THE CRIMSON CHAIN

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OR SET ME FREE AND LET ME GO BACK TO MY HOME

WORDS BY

Louis W. Pritzkow Emma Carus

MUSIC BY

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# THE CRIMSON CHAIN,

or

I WANT TO GO BACK TO MY HOME.

Song and Chorus.

Words by Louis W. Pritzkow.

Music by Emma Carus.

Andante espressivo.

The musical score consists of three staves of music. The top staff is for the piano, featuring a treble clef, a bass clef, and a key signature of two flats. It includes dynamic markings 'mf' and 'p'. The middle staff is for the vocal part, with a treble clef and a key signature of two flats. The bottom staff is also for the piano. The lyrics are integrated into the vocal line:

1. He came home at evening and  
2. He drew close beside her and

found her in weeping, And said, "Darling, tell me what grieves your poor heart? 'Twas smooth'd back her tresses, And said, as he kiss'd her, "I'll love you the same! What

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on - ly this morning I left you in gladness, And with a sweet smile from your  
need that you weep, when I of - fer you riches, A pure noble heart and a

side did de-part. Come, tell me, my lov'd one, pray tell what has griev'd you, You  
love with-out blame?" But she turn'd away as she whisper'd, in sad-ness, "I

know I would give all to make you my wife!" But she turn'd a-way as she  
know that you love me as dear as your life, But there is an-oth- er, and

murmur'd so sad-ly, "You know, Jack, an-oth - er has claim'd me for life!"  
tho' we have parted, You know I'm his bride, Jack, yes, his promis'd wife!"

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- I want to go back to my home a - gain, I
- want to hear my moth - er's voice, I
- want to press my fa - ther's kind - ly hands. And
- make his poor old heart re - joice; I

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 want to break this crim - son chain. Oh, set me  
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