

Barcarolle (Night of Stars and Love)

Offenbach

Soprano

Alto

Night of stars and night of love, fall

5

gent - ly o'er the wa - ters Heav'n a-round, be - low, a-bove, no

9

Floa-ting thus in sil - ver light, sing

more we'll heed the shore Floa-ting thus in sil - ver light, sing

13

on! Oh earth's fairdaugh - ters Love had ne'er an hour so bright, in

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17

fa - bled days of yore The cadenc'd oar will rhyme

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2
21

to the mea-sure we sing 'til ev-en charm-ed time
rhyme as we sing 'Til ev-en charm-ed

25

fold a mom-ent hiswing wan-der on! 'Til the
time will fold hiswing wan-der on 'til the dawn 'til the

30

rall. **A tempo**
dawn! Ah! Night of stars and night of love, fall gent-ly o'er the
rall. **A tempo**
dawn! Ah! Night of stars and night of love, fall gent-ly o'er the

35

sf >
wa-ters Heav'n a-round, be-low, a-bove, no more we'll heed the shore
sf >
wa-ters Heav'n a-round, be-low, a-bove, no more we'll heed the shore

40

cresc. **f**
Ah! Gent-ly fall o'er the wa-ters
f
Night of stars and of love Gent-ly fall on the

44 *dim.* *pp*

- ers! Heav'n a - round be - low a - bove ah! Ah!

dim. *pp*

wat - ers 'Tis_ Heav'n a round, be - low, a - bove Ah!

49 *ppp*

Ah! Ah! Ah! Ah!

ppp

Ah! Ah! Ah! Ah!

54

Ah! Ah

Ah! Ah!

The musical score is written for a voice and piano. The key signature has one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The score is divided into three systems. The first system (measures 44-48) shows a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line has a 'dim.' marking and a 'pp' marking. The piano accompaniment has a 'dim.' marking and a 'pp' marking. The second system (measures 49-53) continues the vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line has a 'ppp' marking. The piano accompaniment has a 'ppp' marking. The third system (measures 54) shows the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line has a 'ppp' marking. The piano accompaniment has a 'ppp' marking. The score ends with a double bar line at measure 54.