

The Poet's Heart

(Des Dichters Herz)

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Allegro molto ed agitato *mp*

Voice

The in - fi-nite course of the
Be - greifs du des Mee - res

Piano

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waves who can tell? You know not the soul that in mu - sic doth dwell; The
Wo - gen - drang? den Geist der Tö - ne im Sai - ten - klang? Be -

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feel - ing con - ceal'd in the breath of flow'rs, The blaze of the sun a-against
-greifst du der Blu - me Bal - sam - duft, der Son - ne Flam - men gen

T
dim. -

dim. -

10

T
dim.-----

a tempo
mf

storm - - y pow'rs The joy of birds in their
 Sturm und Luft, der Vö - - gel Zwit - schern in

dim. *mf*

Red.

12

cresc.-----

car - ols ex - press'd, Then how know the heart in a
 seh - nen - der Lust, und glaubst zu be - grei - fen die

cresc. *mf*

Red.

14

f

T
dim. - -

po - et's breast? Then how know the heart, know the heart in a po - et's
 Dich - ter - Brust? Und glaubst zu be - grei - fen, be - grei - fen die Dich - ter -

f *mf* *mf* dim.-----

Red.

18

p



breast?
-brust?
a tempo



mf

It sur - ges more fierce than the
Dort brau - set es stür - ker als

bil - low's throng; You find there the foun - tain of ev - ry song;
Wo - gen - drang, _____ dort ist der Quell von je - dem Sang,

T dim. -

there o - pen blos - soms of per - fume rare; There rage lur - id flames with - out
dort spriesst die Blu - me mit ew' - gem Duft, dort flam - met es oh - ne

dim.

30

a tempo

tem - p'ring air; There ghosts are bat - tling in yearn - ing and joy, They're
 küh - len - de Luft, dort käm - pfen Gei - ster in seh - nen - der Lust, im

cresc. ----- *cresc.* -----

Ped. _____

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bat - tling with Death who would fain de - stroy, with Death, with
 Kam - pfe ver - blu - tet des Dich - ters Brust! in Kam - pfe ver -

f < *fz*

f *fz*

Red.

T
poco rall.

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Death, with Death who would fain, who would fain
 -blu - tet, in Kam - pfe ve - blu - tet des Dich -

fz *p*

fz *dim.* *p*

Red.

40

de stroy!
 ters Brust!

a tempo

pp *cresc.*

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fz

Red.