

# Flora's Queen

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**Allegro moderato** (♩ = 80)

Soprano I: Room!

Soprano II: Room for Flo - ra's

Alto: Room for Flo - ra's Queen!

Tenor: Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room! Room! Room! Room! Room for Flo - ra's

Bass I: Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's, for

Bass II: Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room! Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room!

Piano for practice only

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Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's

Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen for Flo - ra's Queen!

Room! Room for Flo - ra's Queen for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's

Queen! Room! Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's

Flo - ra's Queen! Room! Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's

Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room! Room for Flo - ra's Queen!

Queen for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for  
 Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen!  
 Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen for Flo - ra's Queen for Flo - ra's  
 Queen for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for  
 Queen for Flo - ra's Queen! Room! Room! Room! Room! Room!  
 Queen for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen!

Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen!  
 Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen!  
 Queen for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen!  
 Flo - ra's Queen, Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen!  
 Queen! Room! Room! Room! Room! Room! Room! Room for Flo - ra's  
 Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Room for Flo - ra's Queen!

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Room for Flo - ra's Queen! Queen!  
 So sang the nymphs and shep - herds on a morn of May In

mf

*f* *p* *mf* *mf*

Queen for Flo - ra's Queen! Queen! So sang the nymphs and shep - herds on a morn of May In

*f* *p* *mf* *mf*

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rus - tic roun - de - lay, in rus - tic roun - de - lay: Then was I ware of

*pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp*

rus - tic roun - de - lay, in rus - tic roun - de - lay: Then was I ware of

rus - tic roun - de - lay, in rus - tic roun - de - lay: Then was I ware of

*pp* *pp*

one en-throned on high, Ra - diant in ves - ture and of no - ble mien,  
one en-throned on high, Ra - diant in ves - ture and of no - ble mien,  
one en-throned on high, Ra - diant in ves - ture and of no - ble mien,  
one en-throned on high, Ra - diant in ves - ture and of no - ble mien, At whose fair  
one en-throned on high, Ra - diant in ves - ture and of no - ble mien, At whose fair  
one en-throned on high, Ra - diant in ves - ture and of no - ble mien,  
one en-throned on high, Ra - diant in ves - ture and of no - ble mien, At whose fair

*cresc.* *f* *mf* *f* *mf* *f* *mf*

At whose fair feet did ma - ny gar - lands lie Of all the flowers that best be seen;  
At whose fair feet did ma - ny gar - lands lie Of all the flowers that best be seen;  
At whose fair feet did ma - ny gar - lands lie Of all the flowers that best be seen;  
feet did ma - ny, ma - ny gar - lands lie Of all the flowers that best be seen;  
feet did ma - ny, ma - ny gar - lands lie Of all the flowers that best be seen;  
At whose fair feet did ma - ny gar - lands lie Of all the flowers that best be seen;

*mf* *dim.* *p* *mf* *dim.* *p* *mf* *dim.* *p* *mf* *dim.* *p* *mf* *dim.* *p* *mf* *dim.* *p*

45 **Allegro** (♩ = 112) *mf*

Cow - slip and daf - fo - dil, and sweet wood -

Cow - slip and daf - fo - dil, Cow - slip and daf - fo - dil,

Cow - slip and daf - fo - dil, and sweet wood - bine,

Cow - slip and daf - fo - dil, and sweet wood - bine,

Cow - slip and daf - fo - dil, Cow - slip and daf - fo - dil,

**Allegro**

50 *dim.* *p* *pp*

- bine - - - That to - kens sym - - - pa - thy;

and sweet wood - bine That to - kens sym - - - pa - thy;

wood - bine That to - kens sym - - - pa - thy;

and sweet wood - bine That to - kens sym - - - pa - thy;

and sweet wood - bine That to - kens sym - - - pa - thy;

wood - bine That to - kens sym - - - pa - thy;

*dim.* *p* *pp*

White - thorn and prim - rose, and brave eg - lan - tine, eg - lan - tine That's for sim -

White - thorn and prim - rose, and brave eg - lan - tine That's for sim -

brave eg - lan - tine, brave eg - lan - tine, That's for sim -

White - thorn and prim - rose, brave eg - lan - tine That's for sim -

brave eg - lan - tine brave eg - lan - tine That's for sim -

White - thorn and prim - rose, brave eg - lan - tine, eg - lan - tine, That's for sim -

-pli - ci - ty; Li - lies for pu - ri -

-pli - ci - ty; The gen - tle vi - o - let for mo - des - ty;

-pli - ci - ty; The gen - tle vi - o - let for mo - des - ty; Li -

-pli - ci - ty; Li - lies for pu - ri -

-pli - ci - ty; Li - lies for pu - ri -

-pli - ci - ty; Li - lies for pu - ri -

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-ty and grace; Eng - land's red  
 And chief - ly, chief - ly there found place Eng - land's red  
 -lies for grace; And chief - ly there found place Eng - land's red  
 -ty and grace; And chief - ly there found place  
 And chief - ly, chief - ly there found place Eng - land's red rose, red

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rose, Eng - land's red rose for strength and dig - ni - ty,  
 rose, Eng - land's red rose for strength and dig - ni - ty, And chief - ly,  
 rose, Eng - land's red rose for strength and dig - ni - ty, And chief - ly  
 Eng - land's red rose, red rose for strength and dig - ni - ty, And chief - ly,  
 Eng - land's red rose, red rose for strength and dig - ni - ty, And chief - ly,  
 Eng - land's red rose, for strength and dig - ni - ty,





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flowers a - mong They passed, a gal - lant, gal - lant train, And

flowers a - mong They passed, a gal - lant, gal - lant train, And

still, the flowers a - mong They passed, a gal - lant train, And

They passed, a gal - lant, gal - lant train, And

They passed a gal - lant, gal - lant train, And

still, the flowers a - mong They passed, a gal - lant train, And

*f* *p* *f* *p* *f* *p* *f* *p* *f* *p* *f* *p*

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this the bur - den of the song they sung, This the bur - den of the

this the bur - den of the song they sung, This the bur - den of the

this the bur - den of the song they sung, This the bur - den of the

this the bur - den of the song they sung, This the bur - den of the

this the bur - den of the song they sung, This the bur - den of the

this the bur - den of the song they sung, This the bur - den of the

*pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *rall.* *rall.*

Tempo I

*ff*

song they sung: Long live Vic - to - ria! Long live Vic - to - ria! Long may she

song they sung: Long live Vic - to - ria! Long live Vic - to - ria! Long may she

song they sung: Long live Vic - to - ria! Long live Vic - to - ria! Long,

song they sung: Long live Vic - to - ria! Long live Vic - to - ria! Long,

song they sung: Long live Vic - to - ria! Long live Vic - to - ria! Long, may she

song they sung: Long live Vic - to - ria! Long live Vic - to - ria! Long, may she

*mf*

reign! Long may she reign! And hark! a - far a - cross the sea *mf*

reign! Long may she reign! And

long, long may she reign! hark! a - far a - cross the sea From

long, long may she reign! Long live Vic - to - - ria!

reign! Long may she reign! may she reign!

reign! Long may she reign! And hark! a - far a - cross the sea From

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*ff*

Long live Vic - to - ria!

hark! a - far a - cross the sea From clime to clime How kin - dred voi - ces, kin - dred voi - ces

clime to clime How kin - dred voi - ces, chime Join - ing the glad re -

*mf*

Hark! hark! a - far a - cross the sea From clime to

*ff*

Long live Vic - to - ria!

clime to clime How kin - dred voi - ces chime Join - ing the glad re -

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*mf*

Hark! hark! a - far a - cross the sea From clime to clime How kin - dred

chime Join - ing the glad re - - - frain hark! In

-frain In ev - er, ev - er swell - ing

*mf*

clime Hark! kin - dred voi - ces chime Join - ing the glad re - -

*mf*

And hark! a - far a - cross the sea From clime to clime How kin - dred

*ff*

-frain Long live Vic - to - - - ria!

*mf*

*mf*





reign! she Long may she reign! Long may she  
long long may she reign! Long may she reign! Long  
reign! Long, long may she reign! Long may she reign! Long,  
reign! Long, may she reign! Long may she reign! Long,  
reign! Long, long, long, may she reign! Long, may she  
long may she reign! Long, long,

*cresc.* *f* *cresc.* *f* *cresc.* *f* *cresc.* *f* *cresc.*

reign! Long may she reign! Long may she reign!  
may she reign! Long, long, long may she reign!  
long, long may she reign! Long, long may she reign!  
long, long, long, long, long may she reign!  
reign! Long, long, long, long, long may she reign!  
long, long, long, long, long may she reign!

*ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *rall.* *rall.*