

The Moon

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Allegretto $\text{♩} = 70$

Soprano: The moon, ____ the moon, ____ The moon has a face like the

Alto: The moon, ____ the moon, ____ The moon has a face like the

Baritone: The moon, ____ the moon, ____ The moon has a

Piano (rehearsal): p mf

The musical score consists of four staves: Soprano, Alto, Baritone, and Piano. The Soprano, Alto, and Baritone staves are in treble clef, while the Piano staff is in bass clef. The key signature changes from $\frac{5}{4}$ to $\frac{4}{4}$. The tempo is Allegretto at $\text{♩} = 70$. The vocal parts sing the words "The moon, ____ the moon, ____ The moon has a face like the" three times, followed by "The moon has a". The piano part provides harmonic support with chords and eighth-note patterns.

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clock in the hall; She shines on thieves on the gar - den wall, On
clock in the hall, She shines on thieves on the gar - den wall,
face like the clock, Shines on thieves on the gar - den wall,

The continuation of the musical score starts at measure 4. It features two staves: Treble and Bass. The Treble staff continues the vocal line with lyrics like "clock in the hall", "She shines on thieves", and "gar - den wall". The Bass staff provides harmonic support with sustained notes and eighth-note patterns. The key signature is $\frac{4}{4}$.

7

cresc.

streets and fields and har - bour quays, And bird-ies a-sleep in the

cresc.

On streets and fields har - bour quays, And birds a - sleep in the

cresc.

On streets and fields har - bour quays, And birds a - sleep in the

10

mf

forks of the trees. The moon,___ the moon,___ The

mf

forks of the trees. The moon,___ the moon,___ The

mf

forks of the trees. The moon,___ the moon,___

[13]

squall-ing cat and the squeak-ing mouse, The howl-ing dog by the The

squall-ing cat and the squeak-ing mouse, The howl - ing dog, door of the

The howl - - - ing dog, by the door of the

[16]

bat that lies in bed at noon, All love to be out by the light of the

bat that lies in bed at noon, All love to be out by the light of the

house, Lies in bed, Love to be out by the light of the

house, Lies in bed, All out by the light of the

[18]

moon. The moon,
the moon,
the moon,
But
moon. The moon,
the moon,
the moon,
the moon
moon,
the moon,

[21]

all of the things that be - long to the day, Cud - dle to sleep to be
all of the things that be - long to the day, Cud - - dle to sleep to be
All things that be - long to day, Cud - dle to sleep to be

24

cresc.

out of her way; And flowers and child - ren close their eyes Till up in the morn - ing the

cresc.

out of her way,— And flowers, child-ren close their eyes Till up in in morn- ing

cresc.

out of her way,— And flowers, child-ren close their eyes Till up in the morn - ing the

cresc.

28

1. sun shall a - rise.

2. sun shall a - rise.

sun shall a - rise. The sun shall a - rise.

sun shall a - rise. The sun shall a - rise.

sun shall a - rise.