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If You

IF YOU FORGET.

(Soprano or Tenor in G; CONTRALTO or BARITONE in E \flat .)

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Music by CLARA M. SCHLEIFFARTH.

Allegro Con Spirito.

The piano introduction is in G minor, 6/8 time. It begins with a *mf* dynamic and features a rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes in the bass and chords in the treble. The piece concludes with a *p* dynamic and a final chord.

Andante con espressione.

The first system of the vocal and piano accompaniment. The vocal line is in G minor, 6/8 time, with lyrics: "1. If all is o-ver, if we must / 2. Good-bye, for-get me! I will not". The piano accompaniment is in G minor, 6/8 time, with a *rit.* marking and a *A tempo.* marking.



The second system of the vocal and piano accompaniment. The vocal line is in G minor, 6/8 time, with lyrics: "sev-er, If dead the love-of gold-en years, Why will you / chide you, I will not-blame you, false though you be; What-e'er you". The piano accompaniment is in G minor, 6/8 time.

cross my path-way ev - er? Why come a - gain to wake my
 may be, what-e'er be - tide - you, Still you are all the world to

tears? Why speak a - gain of wood and riv - er. All
 me. Then if one day a ten - der yearn - ing Wakes

those dear spots where once we met? If all your love is gone for -
 in your heart and turns to me, Come, with the old sweet trust re -

ev - er, Why will you come to haunt me yet?.....
 turn - ing, Come back a - gain, my love to be!.....

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Take back the vows you once have spoken. Leave me the
 Come as of old, the past re-triev ing; Come back when

wild re-gret;..... You do not care, my heart is
 e'er you will;..... Trust-ing and hop-ing, lov-ing, be

Cres.

bro-ken..... If you can thus for-get, can thus for-get.....
 liev-ing..... I shall be wait-ing still, be (Omit)

Dim. - - c - rit.

wait-ing still.....

mf