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Marjorie and Chorus.

Music by
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Moderato

Slower.

Ca - li - for - nia's gol - den strand, And the flow'rs of Dix - ie
Where the spark - ling sap - phire sea, Calls to prair - ies roll - ing

land, Have a beau - ty po - ets tell in sond and sto - ry: — Oth - er
free, 'Rose a cit - y that has won a match - less glo - ry: — In - dian

hearts may long to be Down in sun - ny Ten - nes - see, Or in
leg - ends gave a name To this place of mag - ic fame, Spring - ing

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Flo - ri - da, the Or - ange land: Ev -
 fair - y - like from out the west: Hail

er I'm long - ing for the wheat fields, wav - ing far and near: Sweet the
 to Chi - ca - go! Naught can ev - er her fair fame de - stroy: All the

breath of roll - ing prair - ies In the state I hold so dear.
 world pays wond - ring tri - bute To the flow'r of Ill - i - nois.

CHORUS. *Slowly.*

My Ill - i - nois, My Ill - i - nois, The pride of all the gol - den

west: Old Ill-i-nois, dear Ill-i-nois, Where wave the

fra-grant fields I love the best: My Ill-i-nois, dear Ill-i-

nois, I hear your riv-ers gent-ly call: There are oth-ers skies as

blue, still my heart is ev-er true To my own, my Ill-i-nois.

f *D.C.*