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Adagio

Piano

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand plays a series of chords and single notes in a slow, melancholic mood. The left hand provides a simple harmonic accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is common time (C).

My thoughts turn back to you sweet-heart, My dreams are all of you — Why
Your lips may lie but still you'll sigh, When I have gone a - way You

The first line of the song features a vocal melody in the treble clef and piano accompaniment in the grand staff. The piano part includes a dynamic marking of *p* (piano). The lyrics are written below the vocal line.

was it that we two should part? I'm sure I nev - er knew — Your
e'en may trick me with your eye Or lead my feet a stray But

The second line of the song continues the vocal melody and piano accompaniment. The piano part features more complex chordal textures.

love was all my own sweet-heart For ev - er and for aye — Why
love you can't de - ny sweet-heart For some - thing tells me true Those

The third line of the song continues the vocal melody and piano accompaniment. The piano part features more complex chordal textures.

was it that we should de - part When tears said we should stay. —
tear-drops in your eye sweet-heart Say I be - long to you. —

poco accel. *a tempo* *poco rall.* *poco rall.*

The final line of the song concludes with a vocal melody and piano accompaniment. The piano part includes dynamic markings of *poco accel.*, *a tempo*, *poco rall.*, and *poco rall.* The piece ends with a final chord in the right hand and a sustained note in the left hand.

CHORUS Lente

Tears tell the sto - ry to me, dear, Tears that I kissed a -

p-f

way Love will not die so why try. Love is the

same al - ways ——— Tears tell the sto - ry to me, dear,

al - tho' my love you de - nied Tears nev - er lied so I'll a -

bide, Tears tell the sto - ry to me. ——— me. ———

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