

Five Shakespeare Songs

V. Blow, Blow, Thou Winter Wind

William Shakespeare (1564-1616)  
*The Merchant of Venice, III., ii.*

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**Soprano 1:**  $\text{♩} = 44$ . Notes: - (Measure 1), - (Measure 2), - (Measure 3), - (Measure 4), - (Measure 5), - (Measure 6), - (Measure 7), - (Measure 8), - (Measure 9), - (Measure 10). **Soprano 2:**  $p$ . Notes: - (Measure 1), - (Measure 2), - (Measure 3), - (Measure 4), - (Measure 5), - (Measure 6), - (Measure 7), - (Measure 8), - (Measure 9), - (Measure 10). **Alto:**  $p$ . Notes: - (Measure 1), - (Measure 2), - (Measure 3), - (Measure 4), - (Measure 5), - (Measure 6), - (Measure 7), - (Measure 8), - (Measure 9), - (Measure 10). **S1:**  $\text{♩} = 44$ . Notes: - (Measure 1), - (Measure 2), - (Measure 3), - (Measure 4), - (Measure 5), - (Measure 6), - (Measure 7), - (Measure 8), - (Measure 9), - (Measure 10). **S2:** Notes: - (Measure 1), - (Measure 2), - (Measure 3), - (Measure 4), - (Measure 5), - (Measure 6), - (Measure 7), - (Measure 8), - (Measure 9), - (Measure 10). **A:** Notes: - (Measure 1), - (Measure 2), - (Measure 3), - (Measure 4), - (Measure 5), - (Measure 6), - (Measure 7), - (Measure 8), - (Measure 9), - (Measure 10).

**Lyrics:**

Blow, blow, thou winter wind,  
Wind, wind, -  
Wind, wind, -  
Thou art not so un-kind  
as man's in grat-i-tude;  
Thy tooth is  
wind, -  
wind, -  
wind, -  
not so keen, Be-cause thou art  
not seen, Al-though thy breath be  
rude.  
wind, -  
wind, -  
Heigh-ho! sing,  
wind, -

## V. Blow, Blow, Thou Winter Wind

13

S1

S2

A

heigh-ho! un - to the green hol - ly:      Most friend-ship is feign - ing,      most lov-ing mere fol - ly. Then

Then

20

S1

S2

A

heigh - ho! then heigh - ho! the hol - ly! heigh - ho! This life is most jol - ly. Freeze,

heigh! then ho! the hol - ly! heigh - ho! This life is jol - ly.

26  $\text{d} = 44$

S1

S2

A

— freeze, thou bit - ter sky.      Thou dost not bite so nigh As ben-e-bits for

bit - ter,      bit - ter sky,

Freeze, thou bit - ter sky, freeze, freeze,