

# Life is a dream

Conducteur

A Funeral Song by Robert Jordan

Violaine Prince

[Arrangeur]

Largo  $\text{♩} = 48$

The musical score is arranged for a full orchestra and vocal soloists. It begins with a tempo marking of 'Largo' and a metronome setting of 48 quarter notes per minute. The key signature has one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 9/8. The vocal parts (Ténor, Baryton, Basse) are initially silent, with a 'p' dynamic marking appearing at the end of the first system. The Trombone part plays a melodic line starting in the second measure, marked 'p'. The Violoncelle part plays a rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes, also marked 'p'. The Cloches tubulaires (Tubular Bells) play a pattern of quarter notes and eighth notes, marked 'f'. The Timbales play a steady quarter-note accompaniment, marked 'mf'. The vocal soloists enter in the fifth measure with the lyrics 'life is a dream that knows no shade'. The vocal lines are marked 'p' for the first phrase and 'mf' for the second phrase. The Baritone part has a 'mf' dynamic marking. The Trombone part has a 'mf' dynamic marking. The Violoncelle part has a 'mp' dynamic marking. The Cloches tubulaires part has a 'mf' dynamic marking. The Timbales part has a 'mf' dynamic marking.

Ténor

Baryton

Basse

Trombone

Violoncelle

Cloches tubulaires

Timbales

T

Bar.

B

Trb.

Vlc.

Cloch. tub.

Timb.

*p* life is a dream — that knows — no shade — *mf* life is a dream - that knows — no

life is a dream - that knows — no shade — *mf* life is a dream - that knows — no

life is a dream - that knows - no shade - - *mf* life is a dream - that knows - no

*mf*

*mp*

*mf*

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T shade — *f* life is a dream of pain and woe *p*

Bar. shade — *f* life is a dream of pain and woe *p*

B shade

Trb.

Vlc.

Cloch. tub.

Timb.

12

T life *mf* life is a dream of pain and woe

Bar. life *mf* life is a dream of pain and woe

B *p* life is a dream - that knows - no shade - - - *mf*

Trb.

Vlc.

Cloch. tub.

Timb.

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3

15

T. 8

a dream from which we pray to wake a dream from which we wake

Bar.

a dream from which we pray to wake a dream from which we wake

B.

a dream from which we pray to wake a dream from which we wake

15

Trb.

15

Vlc.

15

Cloch. tub.

15

Timb.

19

T. 8

and go

Bar.

and go

B.

and go

19

Trb.

19

Vlc.

*mf* *mp*

19

Cloch. tub.

*f*

19

Timb.

*mf*

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24

T 8 *pp* life is a dream *mf* when the sweet winds -

Bar. *mf* who would sleep when the new dawn waits *mf* who would sleep when the sweet winds -

B *mf* who would sleep when the new dawn waits

Trb. *p* *mf*

Vlc. *p* *mf*

Cloch. tub. *p* *mf*

Timb. *p* *mf*

27

T 8 - blow a dream must end when the new day comes

Bar. - blow a dream must end when the new day comes

B *mf* life is a dream *f* life is a dream

Trb.

Vlc.

Cloch. tub.

Timb.

Life is a dream

30

T. 8

we wake and go

Bar. this dream from which we wake and go

B. this dream from which we wake and go

30

Trb.

30

Vlc.

30

Cloch. tub.

30

Timb.

34

T. 8

*p* life is a dream

Bar. *mf* who would sleep when the new dawn waits *f*

B. *mf* who would sleep when the new dawn waits

34

Trb.

34

Vlc.

34

Cloch. tub.

34

Timb.

Life is a dream

37

T. *f* when the sweet winds - blow

Bar. who would sleep when the sweet winds - blow

B. *mp* life is a dream of pain and woe *f*

Trb. 37

Vlc. 37

Cloch. tub. 37

Timb. 37

40

T. A dream must end when the new day comes this dream from which we pray to wake

Bar. A dream must end when the new day comes this dream from which we pray to wake

B. A dream must end when the new day comes this dream from which we pray to wake

Trb. 40

Vlc. 40

Cloch. tub. 40

Timb. 40

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T 8  
this dream from which we wake and go

Bar.  
this dream from which we wake and go

B  
this dream from which we wake and go

43

Trb.

43

Vlc.

43

Cloch. tub.

Timb.

47

T 8  
we wake and go

Bar.  
we wake and go

B  
we wake and go

47

Trb.

47

Vlc.

47

Cloch. tub.

Timb.