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EDELWEISS

For SSA* and Piano

Duration: ca. 4:10

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Freely, tenderly (♩ = 76)

Piano

p *rit.* *mf* *a tempo mp*

simile

Detailed description: This block contains the piano introduction for the song 'Edelweiss'. It is written for piano in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The tempo is marked 'Freely, tenderly' with a quarter note equal to 76 beats per minute. The music starts with a piano (*p*) dynamic and includes a ritardando (*rit.*) followed by a mezzo-forte (*mf*) section, and finally returns to a tempo (*a tempo*) with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic. A *simile* marking is placed under the first four measures. The introduction consists of two staves: a treble clef staff with chords and a bass clef staff with a simple accompaniment.

Gently (♩ = 92)

rit. *p a tempo*

6

Detailed description: This block shows the piano accompaniment for the vocal entry. It is marked 'Gently' with a quarter note equal to 92 beats per minute. The music begins with a ritardando (*rit.*) and then returns to a tempo (*a tempo*) with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The piano part features a treble clef staff with chords and a bass clef staff with a simple accompaniment. A measure rest of 6 measures is indicated at the beginning.

11

Sop. I *p Opt. solo*

Sop. II E - del - weiss, E - del - weiss,

Alto *p*

E - del - weiss, E - del - weiss,

(Bring out R.H. to m. 41)

11

Detailed description: This block contains the vocal parts for Soprano I, Soprano II, and Alto. The Soprano I part is marked 'Opt. solo' and piano (*p*). The vocal lines are in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat. The lyrics are 'E - del - weiss, E - del - weiss,'. Below the vocal parts is a piano accompaniment for the vocal entry, marked '(Bring out R.H. to m. 41)'. The piano part consists of two staves: a treble clef staff with a melodic line and a bass clef staff with a simple accompaniment. A measure rest of 11 measures is indicated at the beginning.

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rit.

ev - 'ry morn - ing you greet me.

rit.

ev - 'ry morn - ing you greet me.

15

19 *a tempo*

Small and white, clean and bright,

a tempo

Small and white, clean and bright,

a tempo

19

you look hap - py to meet me.

you look hap - py to meet me.

23

27

Blos - som of snow, may you bloom and grow,

Blos - som of snow, may you bloom and grow,

27

bloom and grow for - ev - er. *rit.*

bloom and grow for - ev - er. *rit.*

31

35

a tempo
E - del - weiss, E - del - weiss,

a tempo
E - del - weiss, E - del - weiss,

a tempo

35

bless my home - land for - ev -

bless my home - land for - ev -

39

mf

er.

er.

42

molto rit.

molto rit.

molto rit.

46

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49 *p a tempo*

Mm

mf a tempo

E - del - weiss, E - del - weiss, —

49

mf a tempo

ev - 'ry morn - ing you greet me.

53

57

Small and white, clean and bright, —

57

61

you look — hap - py to meet me.

65

Mm

Blos - som of snow, may you — bloom and grow,

65 — simile

69

bloom and grow for - ev - er.

EDELWEISS – SSA

73

E - del - weiss, E - del - weiss,

73

accel.

bless my home - land for - ev - er.

77

accel.

accel. to m. 86

81

81

cresc.

f

EDELWEISS – SSA

molto rit.

84

88 Broadly (♩ = 96)

Unis. *f*

E - del - weiss, E - del - weiss,

E - del - weiss, E - del - weiss,

f

Broadly (♩ = 96)

88

poco rit.

ev - 'ry morn - ing you greet me.

poco rit.

ev - 'ry morn - ing you greet me.

poco rit.

92

96

a tempo

Small and white, clean and

Small and white, clean and

a tempo

96

bright, you look hap - py to

bright, you look hap - py to

99

104

meet me. Bos - som of snow, may you

meet me. Bos - som of snow, may you

102

bloom and grow, bloom and grow for -

bloom and grow, bloom and grow for -

106

112

ev - er. E - del - weiss,

ev - er. E - del - weiss,

110

molto rit. E - del - weiss, **Broadly** bless my

molto rit. E - del - weiss, **Broadly** bless my

molto rit.

114

home - land, bless my dear home - land,
home - land, _____ bless my dear home - land, _____

117

bless my home - land for - ev - er -
bless my home - land for - ev - er -

120

rit. *a tempo*
rit. *a tempo*
ff *a tempo*

er!
er!

123

rit. *rit.* *ff*

EDELWEISS – SSA

