

SOFTLY NOW THE LIGHT OF DAY.

From DONIZETTI.

1. Soft - ly now the light of day Fades up - on my sight a - way; Free from care, from la - bor free, Lord, I would commune with thee.

2. Soon for me the light of day Shall for - ev - er pass a - way; Then, from sin and sor - row free, Take me, Lord, to dwell with thee.

Bass or Alto.

Thou, whose all - pervading eye Naught escapes without, within, Par - don each in - firm - i - ty, O - pen fault and se - cret sin.

Thou who, sin - less, yet hast known All of man's in - firm - i - ty, Down from thine e - ter - nal throne, Je - sus, look with pitying eye.

Small notes for Bass.

LET EVERY HEART REJOICE AND SING.

In part from DONIZETTI.

Allgratto.

1. Let ev - ry heart re - joice and sing; Let cho - ral an - thems rise; Ye reverend men, and chil - dren, bring To God your sac - ri - fice.

2. He bids the sun to rise and set; In heaven his pow'r is known; And earth subdued to him shall yet Bow low be - fore his throne.

For he is good, the Lord is good, And kind are all his ways; With songs and honors sound - ing loud, The Lord Je - ho - vah praise.

For he is good, &c.

While the rocks and the rills, While the vales and the hills A glorious anthem raise, Let each prolong the grate - ful song, And the God of our fathers praise.

Small notes for Bass.

While the manners, while the arts,
That mould a nation's soul,
Still cling around our hearts,
Between let ocean roll,
Our joint communion breaking with the Sun;
Yet still from either beach
The voice of blood shall reach,—
More audible than speech.
We are one!

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