

Many Winters

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L=circa 108 ♩=♩ throughout

Musical score for the first section of "Many Winters". The score consists of five staves, each with a different vocal range (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass, and Bass). The key signature is F major (one sharp), and the time signature is common time. The tempo is indicated as L=circa 108, and the dynamic is p (pianissimo). The vocal parts are primarily sustained notes with occasional grace notes and slurs. The lyrics "Ah," are repeated in a descending pattern across the staves.

Musical score for the second section of "Many Winters". The score consists of five staves, each with a different vocal range (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass, and Bass). The key signature changes to C major (no sharps or flats), and the time signature changes to 6/8. The vocal parts are more complex, featuring eighth-note patterns and sustained notes. The lyrics "All of my life is a dance" are repeated in a descending pattern across the staves.

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When I was young and feel-ing the earth, feel-ing the
dance. — When I was young and feel-ing the earth, feel-ing the
dance. — When I was young and feel-ing the earth, feel-ing the
All of my life is a dance. — When I was young and feel-ing the earth, feel-ing the
All of my life is a dance. — When I was young and feel-ing the earth, feel-ing the

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earth, feel-ing the earth were quick and ea - sy, quick and ea - sy, quick and ea - sy,
earth, feel-ing the earth quick and ea - sy, quick and ea - sy, quick and ea - sy,
earth, feel-ing the earth quick and ea - sy, quick and ea - sy, quick and ea - sy,
earth, feel-ing the earth My steps were quick and ea - sy, quick and ea - sy, quick and ea - sy,

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quick and ea - sy, quick and ea - sy, ea - sy, ea - sy, ea - sy.

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quick and ea - sy, quick and ea - sy, ea - sy, ea - sy, ea - sy. The beat of the earth, the

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quick and ea - sy, quick and ea - sy, ea - sy, ea - sy, ea - sy. The beat of the earth, the

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quick and ea - sy, quick and ea - sy, ea - sy, ea - sy. The beat of the earth, the

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29 *f*

The beat of the earth was so loud, the beat of the earth was so

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beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the

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beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the

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beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the

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beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the

33

loud That my drum was si-lent be - side it. All of my life rolled out from my feet,

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beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the beat of the earth life rolled out from my feet,

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beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the beat of the earth out from my feet,

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beat of the earth, the beat of the earth, the beat of the earth my feet,

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all of my life rolled out from my feet, all of my life rolled out from my feet, all of my life rolled out from my feet,

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life rolled out from my feet, life rolled out from my feet, life rolled out from my feet,

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out from my feet, out from my feet, out from my feet,

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my feet, my feet, my feet,

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37

slower

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all of my life rolled out from my feet, Like my land which had no end, which had no end as

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life rolled out from my feet, Like my land which had no end, which had no end as

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out from my feet, Like my land which had no end, which had no end as

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my feet, Like my land which had no end, which had no end as

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far, as far as I could see. *mf* The rhythm of my life

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far, as far as I could see. *mp*

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far, as far as I could see. *mp*

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far, as far as I could see. *mp*

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the *rhythm* of my life

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51 rhy- thm of my life was pure, was pure, pure and free, free.

51 was pure, was pure, pure and free, free.

51 was pure, was pure, pure and free, free.

51 — was pure, was pure, pure and free, free.

51 — was pure, was pure, pure and free, free.

51 — was pure, was pure, pure and free, free.

51 — was pure, was pure, pure and free, free.

57 *mp*

57 As I grew old - er my feet kept
accelerando e cresc.

57 *mp*

57 As I grew old - er my feet kept
accelerando e cresc.

57 *mp*

57 As I grew old - er,
accelerando e cresc.

57 *mp*

57 As I grew old - er, as I grew old - er,

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62

danc - ing, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard,

danc - ing, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard,

danc - ing, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard,

as I grew old - er, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard,

as I grew old - er, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard,

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gradually slowing and getting quieter - *mf*

danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard That I wore a spot in the

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gradually slowing and getting quieter - *mf*

danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard That I wore a spot in the

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gradually slowing and getting quieter - *mf*

danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard That I wore a spot in the

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gradually slowing and getting quieter - *mf*

danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard That I wore a spot in the

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danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard That I wore a spot in the

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danc-ing, danc-ing so hard, danc-ing, danc-ing so hard That I wore a spot in the

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I made a

71 *96* earth, At the same time a hole a
71 earth, At the same time a hole a
71 earth, At the same time a hole a
8 earth, At the same time a hole a
71 earth, At the same time a hole a
71 earth, At the same time a hole a
71 earth, At the same time a hole a

hole I

77 hole in the sky, the sky, the sky. *mf* I danced to the sun and the
77 hole in the sky, the sky, the sky. *mf* I danced to the sun and the
8 hole in the sky, the sky, the sky. *mf* I danced to the sun and the
77 hole in the sky, the sky, the sky. I danced to the sun and the
77

danced

83 rain, I danced to the sun and the rain And the moon lift-ed me

83 rain, I danced to the sun and the rain

83 rain, I danced to the sun and the rain

83 rain, I danced to the sun and the rain

83 rain, I danced to the sun and the rain

83 moving ahead

88 up so that I could dance to dance to

88 And the moon lift-ed me up dance to the stars, dance to the stars

88 lift ed me up

88 lift ed me up

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ff

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97

mf

My head touched the clouds, the clouds some-times and my feet danced deep in the

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mf

My head touched the clouds, the clouds some-times and my feet danced deep in the

97

mf

My head touched the clouds, the clouds some-times and my feet danced deep in the

97

mf

My head touched the clouds, the clouds some-times and my feet danced deep in the

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97

free

102 *mp*

earth So that I be - came the mu - sic I danced to ev - ery where, so that I be - came the

102 *mp*

earth So that I be - came the mu - sic I danced to ev - ery-where, so that

102 *mp*

8 earth So that I be - came the mu - sic I danced to ev -

102 *mp*

 earth So that I be - came the mu - sic

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108 *f*

mu - sic I danced to ev - ery-where, so that I be - came the mu - sic, It was the mu - sic of

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I be - came the mu - sic I danced to ev - ery-where, so that I be, It was the mu - sic of

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8 ery-where, so that I be - came the mu - sic I danced to ev - ery-where, It was the mu - sic of

108

I danced to ev - ery-where, so that I be-came the mu - sic I danced, It was the mu - sic of

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114 rit. *p* 8 life. Now my steps — are slow and hard and my body fails my spirit. Yet my
 114 rit. *p* 8 life. Now my steps are slow and hard and my body fails my spirit.
 114 rit. *p* 8 life. Now my steps — are slow and hard and my body fails my spirit.
 114 rit. *p* 8 life. Now my steps are slow and hard and my body fails my spirit.
 114 rit. *p* 8 life. Now my steps — are slow and hard and my body fails my spirit.

84

mp

121 dance — is still with - in me, yet my dance — is still — with - in me,
 121 *p* ah
 121 *mp* Yet my dance — is still with - in me, yet my dance — is still — with - in me,
 121 *p* ah ah
 121 ah ah

127

127
yet my dance is still with - in me, with - in me, with -
127
ah
127
8
127
ah
127
127
134 *f*
in me and my song, my song is the air, air, the
134 *f*
in me and my, my song is the air, moving forward air, the
134 *f*
8 in me and my song, my song is the air, moving forward air, the
134 *f*
in me and my— my song is the air, air, the
134

moving forward *ff*

140

air I breathe.

My song in - sists that I keep danc - ing for - ev - er,

air I breathe.

My song in - sists that I keep danc - ing for - ev - er,

air I breathe.

air I breathe.

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my song in - sists that I keep danc - ing for - ev - er, my song in - sists that I keep danc - ing for - ev - er,

my song in - sists that I keep danc - ing for - ev - er, my song in - sists that I keep danc - ing for - ev - er,

mf

My song in - sists that I keep danc - ing

mf

My song in - sists that I keep danc - ing

145 broadening

my song in-sists that I keep danc-ing for-ev-er. My song in - sists that I keep rhy-thm
 my song in-sists that I keep danc-ing for-ev-er. My song in - sists that I keep rhy-thm
 broadening

for - ev - - - er. My song in-sists that I keep rhy-thm, my song in-sists that I keep rhy-thm
 broadening

for - ev - - - er. My song in-sists that I keep rhy-thm, my song in-sists that I keep rhy-thm
 broadening

a tempo

broadening **p**

With all, with all of the earth and the sky. My song in - sists that
 a tempo

With all, with all of the earth and the sky. My song in - sists that
 a tempo

With all, with all of the earth and the sky. My song in - sists that
 a tempo

With all, with all of the earth and the sky. My song in - sists that

154 *mp*

I, my song in-sists - that I, that I will

I, my song in-sists that I, that I will

I, my song in-sists that I, that I will

I, my song in-sists that I, that I will

I, my song in-sists that I, that I will

I, my song in-sists that I, that I will

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ne - ver die, that I will ne - ver die, ne - ver die.

ne - ver die, that I will ne - ver die, ne - ver die.

ne - ver die, that I will ne - ver die, ne - ver die.

ne - ver die, that I will ne - ver die, ne - ver die.

ne - ver die, that I will ne - ver die, ne - ver die.

Concord
Coop