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# Serenade.

(LA SERENATA.)

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VOICE. 

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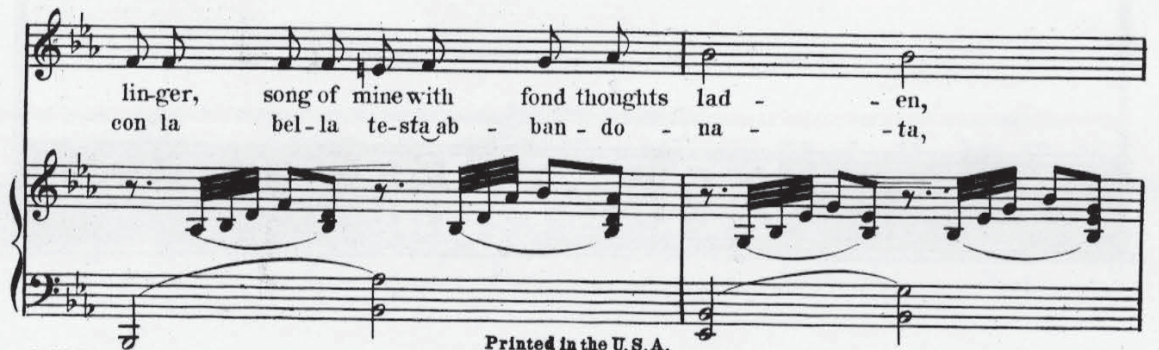
Keep - ing watch oer my  
Vo - la, O se-re-



maid - - en, With-in her cham - ber sleep - ing, G  
na - ta: La mia di - let - ta è so - la, E,



linger, song of mine with fond thoughts lad - - en,  
con la bel-la te-sta ab - ban - do - na - ta,



Round her soft pil-low sweep - ing, Watch o'er my maiden  
Po - - sa tra le len zuo - la: O se-re - na-ta,

keep - ing! Watch o'er my maiden keep - ing!  
Vo - - la, O se-re - na-ta, Vo - la.

Pure - ly glows Luna's splen - dor! Si - lence is thron'd se -  
Splen - de Pu - ra la lu - na; La - leil si-len - zio

cure - - ly! There o'er my maiden's couch a taper slen-der Its  
sten - - de, E dietro i ve-li dell' al - co-va bru - na La

pale light casts de - mure - ly, Glows Luna's splendor  
lam - pa - da s'ac - cen - de: Pu - - ra la lu - na

pure - ly, Glows Luna's splendor pure - ly!  
 Splen - de, Pu - - ra la lu - na Splen - - de.

Watch o'ernymaid - en keep - ing, watch o'er my maid - en  
 Vo - la, O se - re - na - ta: Vo - la, O se - re -

keep - ing, keep - ing.  
 na - ta, Vo - - la.

Ah! la, Ah!

la

*p*

Fly - ing, o seek my maid - en, With in - cense of my  
 Vo - la, o se - re - na - ta: La mia di - let - ta è

*p*

sigh - ing, And tell her that with love 'tis sweet - ly  
 so - la; Ma sor - ri - dendo an - cor mez - zo as - son -

lad - - en, Ask for her smile re - ply - ing,  
 na - - ta, Tor na fra le len - zuo - - la:

*p*

O seek my maiden fly - ing, O seek my maiden  
 O se - re - na - ta, Vo - la, O se - re - na - ta,

fly - ing! Bil - lows on shores are rest - ing,  
Vo - la. L'on - da So - gna su'l li - do

Winds sleep up-on the wil - lows!  
E'l ven - to su la fron - da,

But still my kiss-es find no home for nest - ing With  
Ea' ba - ci miei ri - eu - sa an - co - ra un ni - do La

her a - mid her pil - lows.  
mia si - gno - ra bion - da,

*p* On shores are resting bil - lows! *pp* On shores are resting  
So - gna su'l li - do L'on - da, So - gna su'l li - do

bil - - lows! Watch o'ermymaid - en keep - - ing,  
 L'on - - da. Vo - la. O se - re - na - - ta:

watch o'ermymaid - en keep - - ing, keep - - -  
 Vo - la. O se - re - na - - ta: Vo - - -

ing. Ah!  
 la.

la, Ah!

la