

Four Songs
Opus 68
No. 2

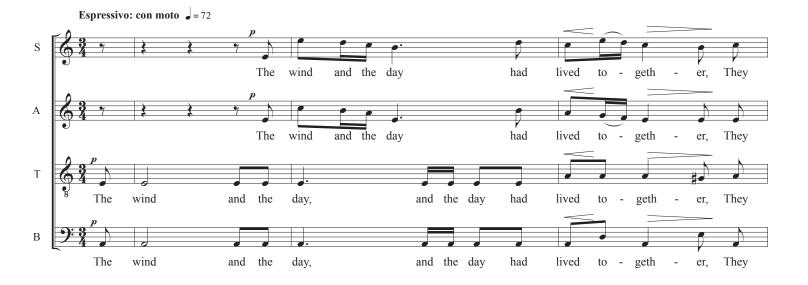


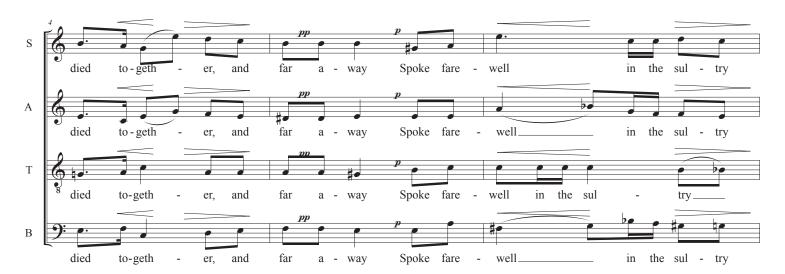
The Wind and the Day (A Sunset on Yarrow)

Arthur Foote (1853-1937)

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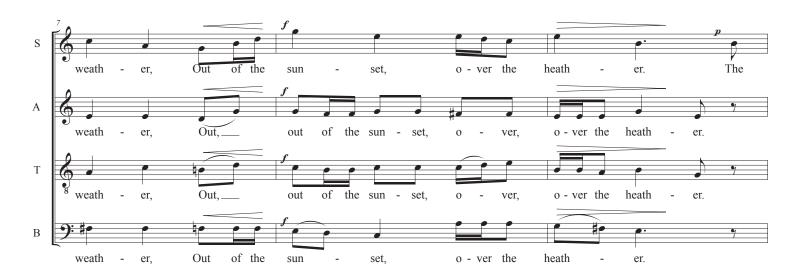
COMPOSER'S NOTE: May be sung a semitone lower, if desired.

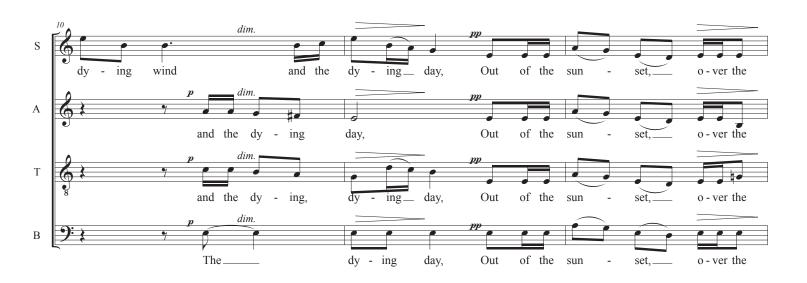


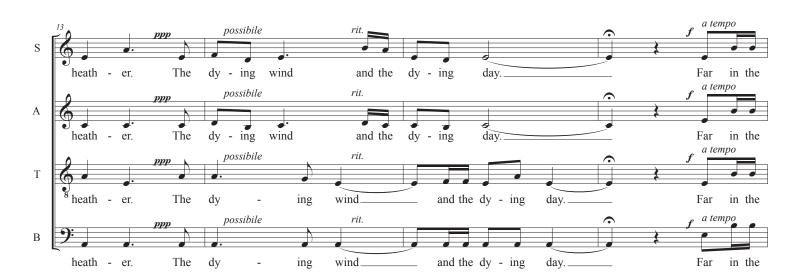


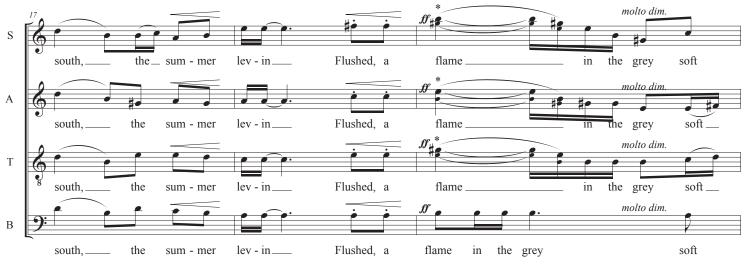


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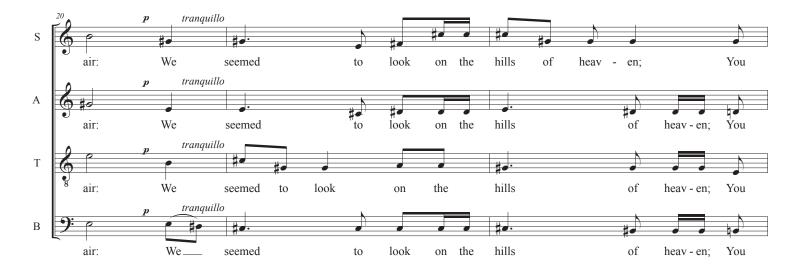


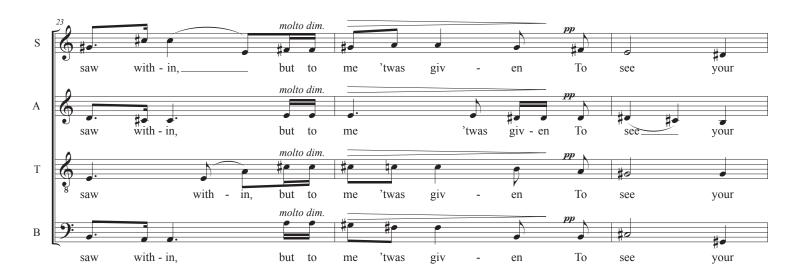


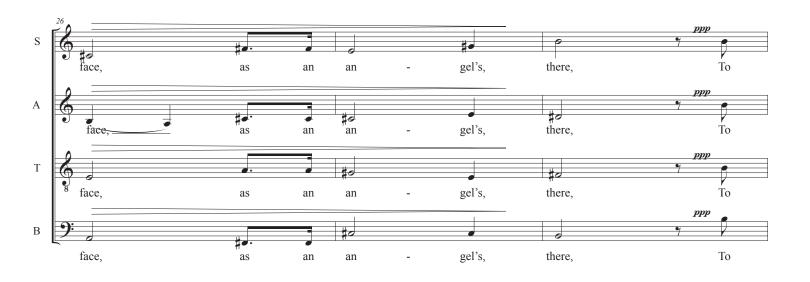


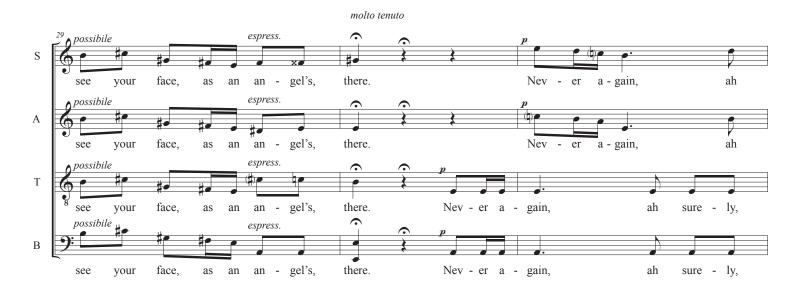


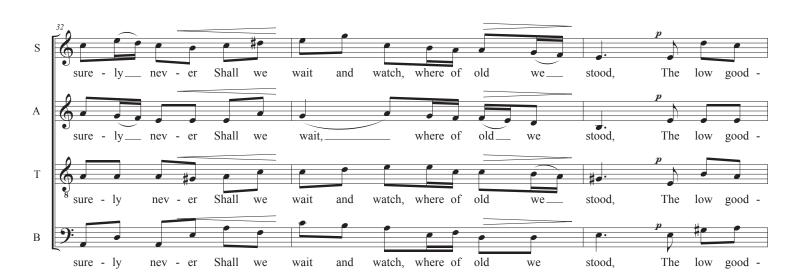


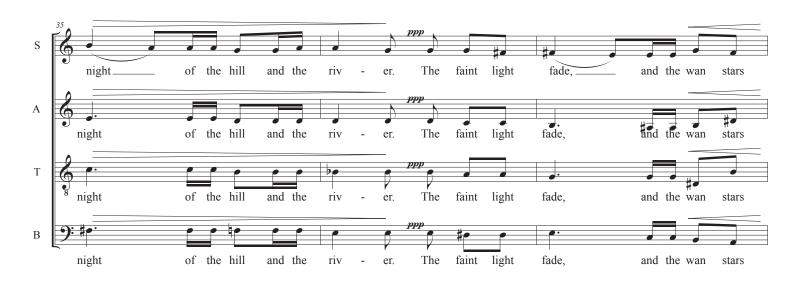


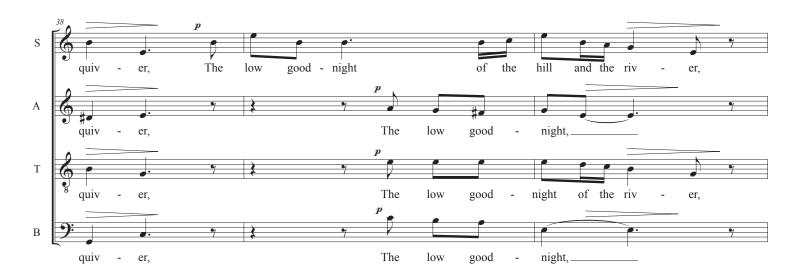


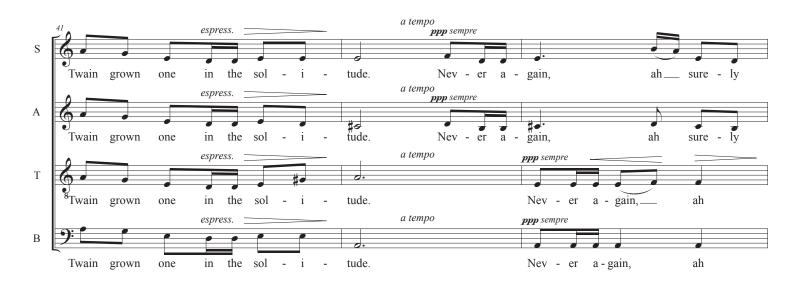


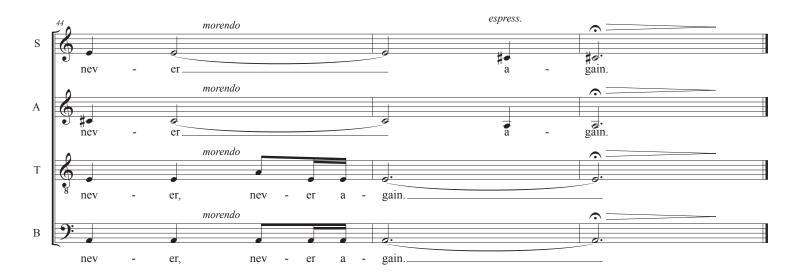












Aurthur P. Schmidt (1908)

Arthur William Foote (1853-1937) was born in Salem, Massachusetts. He began studying music at the age of 12 and, at age 14,enrolled in a harmony class at the New England Conservatory. He entered Harvard, where he studied counterpoint and fugue with John Knowles Paine and led the Harvard Glee Club. Originally intending on a career in law, he decided to pursue music, returning to Harvard and receiving the first M.A. in music to be given by an American university. Residing in Boston, he was a primarily a pedagogue, but also was active as composer, organist, and piano recitalist. He was an editor of *Hymns of the Church Universal* (1890), co-authored *Modern Harmony in its Theory and Practice* (1905), and wrote two short manuals, *Some Practical Things in Piano Playing* (1909) and *Modulation and Related Harmonic Questions* (1919). He is known as a member of the "Boston Six." The other five were George Whitefield Chadwick, Amy Beach, Edward MacDowell, John Knowles Paine, and Horatio Parker. He composed a large body of works including orchestral works, chamber music and songs. He died in Boston, Massachusetts.

The wind and the day had lived together,
They died together, and far away
Spoke farewell in the sultry weather,
Out of the sunset, over the heather.
The dying wind and the dying day.

Far in the south, the summer levin
Flushed, a flame in the grey soft air:
We seemed to look on the hills of heaven;
You saw within, but to me 'twas given
To see your face, as an angel's, there.

Never again, ah surely never
Shall we wait and watch, where of old we stood,
The low good-night of the hill and the river.
The faint light fade, and the wan stars quiver,
Twain grown one in the solitude.

Andrew Lang (1844-1912)

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