

Love's Secret

Words by William Blake (1757-1827)

Music by Muriel Herbert (1897-1984)

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Rather slowly

The musical score is presented in three systems. Each system consists of a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is three sharps (F#, C#, G#) and the time signature is 6/8. The tempo is marked 'Rather slowly'. The piano part features a consistent eighth-note accompaniment in the right hand and a bass line with triplets in the left hand. The vocal line begins in the second system with the lyrics 'Nev - er seek to tell thy love,'. The score concludes with a double bar line and a key signature change to two flats (Bb, Eb).

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Nev - er seek to tell thy love,

Original key

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