

# THE GREEN LAUREL

FOR MIXED VOICE CHORUS

Music by Michael McGlynn, Text Adapted Traditional

Brightly ♩ = 100

Soprano 1

Soprano 2

Alto

Tenor

Bass

I once had a sweet-heart but  
*mf*

*p* *mp*

*p* *mp*

*p* *mp*

*p* *mp*

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S 1

S 2

A

T

B

now I have none. He's gone and he's left me in sorr - ow to weep and\_ mourn.

Ah

Ah

Ah

Ah

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S1  
He's gone and he's left me for oth-ers to see I know that he'll soon find a -  
*mp*

S2  
Ah mm

A  
Ah mm

T  
Ah mm

B  
Ah mm  
*p*

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S1  
no-ther far bet-ter than me. I wrote him a lett-er both lov-ing and kind; he  
*mf*

S2  
Ah

A  
Ah

T  
Ah

B  
mm Ah

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S 1 wrote me an ans - wer with sharp twis - ted lines \_\_\_\_\_ say - ing "Keep your love let - ters, and

S 2 Ah \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

A Ah \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

T Ah \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

B Ah \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

*mp*

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S 1 I will keep mine; you'll write to your love \_\_\_\_\_ and I'll write to mine. \_\_\_\_\_

S 2 \_\_\_\_\_

A \_\_\_\_\_

T \_\_\_\_\_

B \_\_\_\_\_ mm \_\_\_\_\_

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S1  
Green grows the lau-rel, soft falls the dew. Hard was my heart when I  
*mf*

S2  
Green grows the laur-el soft falls the dew hard was my heart  
*mf*

A  
Green grows the laur-el soft falls the dew hard was my heart  
*mf*

T  
Green grows the laur-el soft falls the dew hard was my heart  
*mf*

B  
Green grows the laur-el soft falls the dew hard was my heart  
*mf*

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S1  
par - ted from you. In our next meet - ing I hope you'll prove true, and we'll  
*mp*

S2  
Ah In our next meet - ing I Ah  
*mp*

A  
Ah In our next meet - ing I Ah  
*mp*

T  
Ah In our next meet - ing I Ah  
*mp*

B  
Ah In our next meet - ing I Ah  
*mp*