

Fragile

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slowly (♩ = 72)

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soprano *p* Daa daa daa da da daa da, *mp* ba dot dn

alto *p* Daa daa daa da da daa daa,

tenor *p* Daa daa daa daa daa daa,

bass *p* Daa daa daa daa daa,

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daa ba dot dn da ba dot— dot da— ba da da dot— dot da— da da da, ba dot dn

daa daa daa da daa daa

daa daa daa daa daa daa

daa daa daa daa daa daa

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daa da. *mp* If blood will flow when flesh and steel are one,

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Dry - ing in the col - our of the eve - ning sun. To - mor - rows rain will wash the

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mf Daa ba dot ba Daa ba dot ba Daa ba dot ba

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noth - ing ev - er could. For all those born - be - neath an an - gry star; lest

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lets
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we for - get - how frag - ile - we are. *mp* On - - - - and on - - - - the rain - - - - will fall, - - - - like

we for - get - how frag - ile - we are. *mp* On ... rain ... like

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not

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tears from - a star, - - - - like tears from - a star. - - - - On - - - - and on - - - - the rain - - - - will say - - - - how

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frag - ile_ we are_ how frag - ile_ we are_ ba dot dn daa ba dot dn da ba dot_ dot da_ ba

frag - ile_ we are_ how frag - ile_ we are_ *p* daa daa

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da da dot_ dot da_ da da da, ba dot dn daa da. *mf* If blood will flow when flesh and

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daa daa daa daa daa da. *mf* If blood will flow when flesh and

daa daa daa daa daa da. *mf* If blood will flow when flesh and

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rain will wash the stains a-way but some-thing in our minds will al-ways

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stay. *mp* On and on the rain will fall, like tears from a star, like

stay. *mp* On ... rain ... like tears from a star, like

stay. *mp* On and on the rain will fall, like tears from a star, like

stay. *mp* On ... rain ... like tears from a star, like

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tears from a star. On and on the rain will say how frag-ile we are *p* how

tears from a star. On ... rain ... how frag-ile we are *p* how

tears from a star. On and on the rain will say how frag-ile we are *p* how

tears from a star. On ... rain ... how frag-ile we are *p* how

frag - ile_ we are_ how frag - ile_ we are_ how frag - ile_ we are_ mm *bocca chiusa*

frag - ile_ we are_ how frag - ile_ we are_ *pp* daa *p* mm

frag - ile_ we are_ how frag - ile_ we are_ *pp* daa *p* mm

frag - ile_ we are_ how frag - ile_ we are_ *pp* daa *p* mm

Very slow

How Frag - ile We Are *mp*

mp How Frag - ile We Are

How Frag - ile We Are *mp*

mp How Frag - ile We Are