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Words by
Edward Lear

Clause

The Old Man with a Beard

cap H L W

There was an Old Man with a beard,
Who said, "It is just as I feared!-
Two Owls and a Hen, four Larks and a Wren,
Have all built their nests in my beard."

Music by

Explosively (about ♪=160)

1

Sop. Alt. Tenor Bass

There once was a man with a (div.)

There once was a man with a

Pianoforte

Ped.

(div)

beard,

beard,

Who (div)

Who

2

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(ten.) rit.

Said

(ten.)

Said

"It is just as I feared, Two Owls,

"It is just as I feared, Two Owls,

a tempo

mf

Two Owls and a

mf

Two Owls and a

Ritard

(ten.)

(ten.)

Ped. Ped.

Hen; Four Larks and a Wren,

Hen;

and a Hen; four

and a Hen; four

Ped.

1

mf

Two Owls and a Hen; — Four Larks and a

mf

Two Owls and a Hen; — Four Larks and a

Larks, And a Wren,

Larks, And a Wren,

f

sfz

mf

f

Ped. Ped.

2

(4)

Wren,

Wren, and a Wren,

f (with anguish)

Have all built their nests in my

(with anguish) f

Have all built their nests in my

f

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1

mf f

Have all built their nests,

mf f

Have all built their nests,

cresc.

beard, Have all built their nests in my

cresc.

beard, Have all built their nests in my

trem.

cresc.

f

tr.

Ped. * Ped. *

5 2

f

Have all built their nests, Have all built their

f

Have all built their nests, Have all built their

f

beard, Have all — built their nests in my

beard, Have all built their nests in my

(trem.)

tr.

ff

Ped. * 8va Ped. + Ped. +

ritard. 1 Very fast

nests in my beard; in my beard.

nests in my beard; in my beard.

beard, in my beard; in my beard.

beard, in my beard; in my beard.

ritard. Very fast

sfz sfz ff

Ped. Ped.

1

sfz sfz

2 (7)

sfz sfz

Ped. *

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