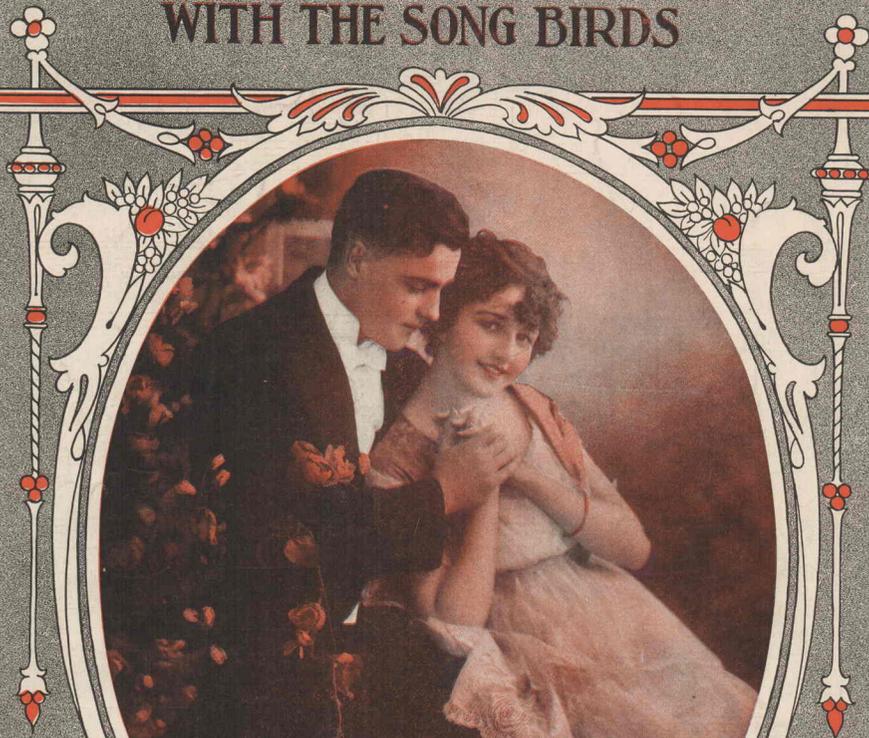


# IN THE LAND OF LOVE

WITH THE SONG BIRDS



by  
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with  
Bird Obligato

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California, How I Long to Be  
 In the Land of Love With the Song Birds

With Bird Obligato ad lib.

Words and Music by  
 F. WALLACE REGA'

Andante moderato

The musical score is arranged in four systems. The first system shows the piano accompaniment in G major, 2/4 time, starting with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The second system introduces the 'Bird Obligato' with a trill and a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic, followed by a piano (*p*) dynamic. The voice part begins with the lyrics 'Night-in-Whip-poor-' and a piano (*p*) dynamic. The third system continues the piano accompaniment with dynamics ranging from mezzo-forte (*mf*) to piano (*p*), and includes the lyrics 'gale wills sings with joy sing their lay'. The fourth system concludes the piano accompaniment with a piano (*p*) dynamic and includes the lyrics 'In the sun-ny land of love where To the gleaming stars a - bove when'. The score includes various musical notations such as trills, slurs, and dynamic markings.

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all's in rhyme      There I met      sweet Jean - nette      On a  
 day is through;      And their song      all night long      Is a

rock-y mountain trail      in      summer - time      Birds a - bove      sang of  
 message sweet of love      my      heart tells you.      Morn-ing breaks,      lark a-

love      As I told life's sweetest tale      in      three small words,  
 wakes,      And it bids the drowsy rose      to      lift her head,

*rall.* *a tempo* *rall.*

*rall.* *a tempo* *rall.*

And each breeze, stealing thro' the trees, Seemed to bless our lives a-mong the birds. —  
 While the wren, in the shady glen, Tells the blink-ing owl the night has fled. —

*rall.* *a tempo* *rall.* L.H.

Refrain

*p-mf* *p-mf* *p-mf*

In the land of love with the song birds, Where they sing their pret-ty tales of

love, You could hear the birds sweetly call - ing From the mountain roses to the

dove. It was near the end of Sep - tem - ber That she

gave her heart to me in lov - ing words; Cal - i - for - ni - a How I

long to be In the land of love with the song birds. In the song birds.



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